

Crowley County Woman Winner in State 2011 4-H Shooting Sports Raffle

Jennifer Stalder, who works for the Department of Defense, is an avid Crowley County hunter and outdoor's woman who can't say no when asked to support the 4-H Shooting Sports Program. So when Colton Gruntorad of the Crowley County 4-H Program asked her to buy a raffle ticket to support the 4-H Shooting Sports Program she came through with a purchase.

When contacted and told that she had won first prize she was, to say the least, surprised. "I've never won anything like this, when can I get it?" The first prize in the first ever state wide 4-H Shooting Sports fund raising raffle was a CZ-USA Redhead 12 gauge over/under shotgun donated by CZ-USA.

According to James Hamilton, 4-H Shooting Sports Coordinator, "The 2011 4-H Shooting Sports Raffle was developed to help local 4-H Shooting Sports programs raise funds to support their needs." The majority of the funds, over 50% of the \$10,000 that the raffle generated, stayed at the local level, benefiting the educational efforts of the 4-H Shooting Sports Program in individual counties. The remainder of the funds will be used to augment and supplement educational and programmatic efforts of the state level 4-H Shooting Sports Program.

CZ-USA has donated another shotgun and a .17 HRM bolt action rifle for the 2012 fund raising event. Be on the lookout for and support your local 4-H Shooting Sports members when they come around after the first of the year, selling raffle tickets. Who knows, YOU might be the lucky one in 2012!



Pictured (l to r) Back row: Joe Gruntorad, Crowley County 4-H Shooting Sports Leader: Cody Stalder, son of Jennifer: Jennifer Stalder, 2011 4-H Shooting Sports Raffle Winner: Olga Rosales, owner of M&O Pawn Shop in Rocky Ford and FFL dealer. Front row: Colton Gruntorad, seller of the winning ticket & 4-H Shooting Sports member: Kyle Stalder, son of Jennifer.