

STATE CONTEST INSTRUCTIONS; RIFLE

Hello Shooters and Coaches I am your Line Official on this Range. Today we are going to go over a few rules and procedures.

THERE WILL BE NO ABUSE OF LINE OFFICIALS!

(ALL THE WORKERS ARE VOLUNTEERS AND THEY DESERVE TO BE TREATED WITH RESPECT).

THERE WILL BE NO ABUSE OF THE SHOOTERS!

All Shooters, Coaches and Parents are subject to the 4-H Code of Conduct and will be held responsible for their actions.

Conduct not in keeping with high 4-H standards will not be tolerated. Violations of rules contained within the Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports State Contest Rule Book will be strictly enforced. Consequences may include removal from this event.

IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM COME TO THE EVENT SUPERINTENDENT.

#1 Competitors to the line.

Competitors may bring equipment to the line. A line official will go down range and verify targets and lanes

#2 Competitors.

Bring your Rifle to the line with CBI inserted, actions open and up. Adjustments will be made during the sight-in period.

#3 Your five (5) minute sight-in period begins now.

Competitors may live fire rifles at sight-in target and make any necessary adjustments. Coaches are permitted to instruct how to make sight adjustments, **but may NOT physically make such adjustments.** Any and all adjustments must be made by the competitor.

#4 Cease Fire.

All shooting stops after the site-in period. Competitors will insert CBI's and back away from their rifle. Range personnel will go down range with the permission of the range officer to mark errant shots (Only mark shots not in the sighter bull). Coaches will be excused from the firing line.

#5 You will now have 40 minutes for your record shots. Commence Firing.

Competitors will have the allotted time to shoot record shots. (See Course of Fire in individual contest rules.) When competitors are finished, rifles are to remain grounded with CBI's inserted and actions open and up. Competitors are to remain on the line until they are instructed to leave the line.

#6 Cross Fires:

All cross fires must be reported to the line official prior to relay completion. (If not reported they will be scored as excessive hits on the target).

#7 Cease Fire.

After the allotted time, or at any time the range officer deems necessary, the cease fire command will be given. Firing must cease immediately. All competitors will insert CBI's ground their rifles with the actions open and up and back away.

#8 Competitors may remove their Rifle then equipment from the line.

Upon hearing this command, competitors will 1st remove their Rifle then their equipment from the line at this time. Range personnel will collect the targets and transport them to the scoring location.

**Check the Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports
State Contest Rule Book for additional rules.**