



Vermont 4-H Shooting Sports National Team Coach Application

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Email Address _____

Phone _____

4-H Club _____

Team you wish to coach _____

How long have you been an active 4-H Shooting Sports leader? _____

When were you trained in the specific discipline you would like to coach? _____

What level? _____

Do you continue to instruct annually? _____

Why would you like to coach a team? _____

What experience do you have that would help you succeed as a coach for this team?

List your involvement with youth at other regional or national level events (chaperone, instructor, organizational leader, parent, etc.)



Please submit this application along with the following:

- Two references with contact information.
- Outline of practice schedule.
- List of materials and equipment needed.

Send to: Holly Ferris, Vt. 4-H Shooting Sports Coordinator, 29 Sunset Drive, Suite 2, Morrisville, VT 05661
or holly.ferris@uvm.edu.

Criteria expected of all coaches include:

- Be 25 years of age or older.
- Be a current 4-H Shooting Sports Leader in Vermont and registered as active in 4Honline.
- Follow Vermont 4-H Volunteer Behavior Code of Conduct and Policies
<https://www.uvm.edu/sites/default/files/media/4hvolunteerpolicyhandbook.pdf>.
- Willingness to commit to the time, details, and responsibility to this position.
- Find and secure location for practices.
- Willingness to travel for practices.
- Chaperone the group.
- Must attend 2 orientations, practices, and the event in Nebraska.
- Provide instruction on the specific team discipline.
- Provide practice on the specific discipline events.
- Provide outside competition opportunities when available.
- Manage 4-H owned equipment and keep records of material/supplies and equipment use.
- Enjoy working with teenagers!
- Possess leadership skills, manage stress, and make learning fun.

Additional Requirements:

- Learn and know the current year event rules and National Governing Body rules discipline.
- Ability to help make the team cohesive.

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