



Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports Ambassador Program

Application Packet

All Packets must be received no later than – October 15, 2021

Complete and submit packet to Sam Lowry, Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports Specialist. Incomplete packets will not be considered. A completed packet includes the following:

1. Application Form
2. Resume
3. Essay
4. Certification Form
5. High School Transcript
6. (4X6) Glossy Color Photograph & Digital Copy (jpg)
7. Two (2) Letters of Reference:
 - a) Extension 4-H agent (required),
 - b) 4-H shooting coach or instructor,
 - c) School representative - principal, guidance counselor or teacher
 - d) Person outside your family who knows you well.

Mail Completed Application Packet To:

Sam Lowry
Colorado State 4-H Shooting Sports Specialist
4040 Campus delivery
Fort Collins, Colorado 80523-4040

OR

Email completed packets in pdf file format to Sam Lowry sam.lowry@colostate.edu



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Application Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

County: _____ Club: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age (as of December 31 of current Year): _____

Years in 4-H: _____

Grade in School: _____ Grade Point Average (GPA): _____

Years in 4-H Shooting Sports:

_____ Archery _____ Air Rifle _____ Muzzleloading

_____ .22 Rifle _____ Air Pistol _____ Shotgun

_____ Western Heritage _____ Hunting & Outdoor Skills

The following information is to assure that any clothing ordered for you will fit properly. Standard shirt and blouse sizes are used, including neck, sleeve and length for gentlemen and standard blouse sizes for ladies.

Shooting Vest Size: (check) S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL _____

Dominance: Right _____ Left _____

Shirt/Blouse Size: _____ Neck _____ Sleeve Length _____



Resume

Your resume should be no more than three pages, single spaced with margins no less than 1 inch, and a font size no less than 12 point. Be sure to include your experiences in citizenship, leadership and public speaking.

Essay

Please describe your concept of leadership, and describe 4-H leadership roles you have been involved in. Also, how have you used your leadership skills to help others in the 4-H program or your community?

Write an essay with the above entitlement. Your essay should be no more than two pages, double spaced with margins no less or no more than one inch, and a font size no less or no more than 12 point.

References

2 Letters of Reference from:

- County Extension Agent/Educator responsible for the program - Required
- Coach or instructor from your club
- High School principal or counselor
- Person outside your family who knows you well
- Additional letters of support may be submitted but are not required

Interviews

Potential candidates will participate in a panel interview online. Potential candidates will receive a topic to make a short presentation on and then answer questions from a panel consisting of current Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports Ambassadors, 4-H Agents and Volunteers. Interview topics and dates will be sent to those candidates selected for interviews only.

Ambassador Training

A mandatory Ambassador training is **tentatively** scheduled for January 2022. This training will incorporate training and activities covering public speaking, team building and Ambassador expectations and responsibilities. Potential Colorado 4-H Ambassador Activities are listed below:

- ✓ Leadership Development Conference – Denver – January 2022
- ✓ State 4-H Leader Training Workshops – Varies Locations & Times
- ✓ State 4-H Conference – Fort Collins – June 2022
- ✓ CSU Ag Day with 4-H – Fort Collins - TBD
- ✓ State 4-H Shooting Sports Championships – Pueblo/Colorado Springs – August/September
- ✓ Local Donor/Supporter Functions – Varies Locations & Times
- ✓ Specific County Functions – Varies Locations & Times



Certification Form

I have reviewed the application form to be considered for the position of a Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports Ambassador and I am willing to devote the time required. I will follow the Colorado 4-H Code of Conduct, be active in my club and county 4-H program, as well as maintain an acceptable academic standard in school during my service as a State 4-H Shooting Sports Ambassador. Further, I am willing to conduct myself in the highest standards expected of an Ambassador.

Applicant's Signature _____

Date

I understand that my child wishes to serve as a Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports Ambassador. I will support my child in fulfilling the responsibilities of a Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports Ambassador should they be selected.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date

I certify that the above named 4-H'er is enrolled, active and in good standing in our 4-H club and county 4-H program. We support this application for the position of Colorado State 4-H Shooting Sports Ambassador.

4-H Club Leader Signature _____

Date

Extension 4-H Agent Signature _____

Date