



## AZ State Shooting Sports Committee (SSSC)

07 August 2024 Meeting

Meeting notes/minutes denoted in red font.

- Welcome, Introductions and Pledges

### Attendance:

- o Erik S.
- o Kristine S.

- Review of previous meeting minutes/notes: July meeting notes/minutes posted to state website 04 July 2024.
- State shooting sports account balances as of 02 July 2024:

#### U of A accounts:

2370240 Instructor Certification: \$8969.39  
2372050 Match: \$8827.70  
5600700 SSEIC Gift Acct: Instructor Certification: \$49  
5600700 SSEM Gift Acct: Match: \$33

Arizona SSS Midway Foundation Agency Endowment: \$6748.56

- State shooting sports certified instructors as of 02 July 2024.
  - 125 Level-1 Instructors qualified in 278 disciplines.
  - 13 Youth Level-1 Instructors qualified in 25 disciplines.
  - 12 Level-2 Instructors qualified in 20 disciplines.
  - 1 Level-3 Instructor qualified in 1 discipline.
  - 20 Level-1 Instructors in-progress, awaiting certified volunteer status
- State shooting sports project enrollments by discipline as of 04 July 2024.

Project	4-H Year			
	2021	2022	2023	2024
Archery (all)	0	207	323	424
Air Rifle	0	55	44	245
Air Pistol	0	26	85	175
Hunting Skills	0	19	11	72
Muzzleloading	0	6	9	38
Shotgun	0	67	72	95
Smallbore Pistol	0	39	61	119
Smallbore Rifle	0	111	130	198
Western Heritage	0	0	0	17
Shooting Sports (general)	9	0	67	50
<b>Total Project Enrollment</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>1433</b>

  

Horse (all)	0	673	690	713
Poultry (all)	0	301	515	562
Beef (all)	0	280	324	401

\* Date source: Z-Suites ES327 report

- Old Business:

- AZ Shooting Sports Operations Policy update. State Director (Dr. Todd Kessner) has been briefed on the issues and has begun trying to work on this one through the administration.
- Shooting Sports / 4-H Tri-fold creation: U of A marketing department working on a background draft. Expected return is unknown.
- 2025 State Rulebook recommended changes for discussion and decision follow. Final rulebook modifications will be made after discussion during this meeting.
  - Process needed to deal with protests and issues that may arise after a course of fire is complete, but before an awards presentation has occurred; or a definitive time period that protests are no longer accepted.

- Authorization is needed for event operations staff to spot check scores and make changes if needed, in order to avoid potential purposeful scheming or accidental scoring errors.
  - Allowable assistance from another 4-H member, volunteer, or RSO during written tests.
  - Allowable smallbore rifle trigger weight for Sr. class in 3-P match.
  - Add National 4-H CMP rules to state rulebook for county use.
  - Allowance of members and coaches to wear shorts on all ranges except muzzleloading.
  - Update National 3-P position order in air rifle and smallbore rifle.
- State Archery 3-D Fun Shoot 27-28 July 2024 after action review.
  - Volunteer and family shooting sports surveys. Large scale roll-out expected within the next 45 days?
  - Upcoming 2 to 1 match period for our Midway endowment account.

- New Business

- Archery: (Kip Bennett):
- Smallbore Pistol: (Jon Webster):
- Smallbore Rifle: (John Sparlin):
- Shotgun: (Stacy Hadley):
- Air Rifle / Pistol: (John Sparlin):
- Muzzleloader: (Steve Fenn and Doug Whitehead):
- Hunting Skills: (Steve Fenn):
- Western Heritage: (Stacy Hadley):

- Open Floor:

- Next meeting date time group (DTG): 07 August 2024, 6:30pm, Zoom

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