

WHAT CAN 4-H DO FOR YOU!

Provide you the opportunity to:

Learn the safe handling and use of firearms and archery tackle under the competent leadership of specially trained adult volunteers.

Increase your knowledge

Learn new skills

Belong to a club

Be a club officer

Make new friends

Gain leadership skills

Learn to work together

Take 4-H projects related to Shooting Education and other topics

Practice and improve your skills

Participate in local, district, state and national competition matches

Participate in 4-H Shooting Education camps and special programs

Build self-confidence and a positive attitude

Learn to set realistic goals and strive to achieve them

Become more responsible

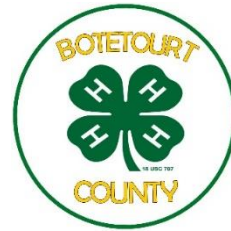
Improve public speaking and communication skills

Learn to manage time and other resources

Receive awards for your effort

Have FUN!

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BOTETOURT 4-H SHOOTING EDUCATION CLUB



Disciplines offered:

Rifle
Shotgun
Archery
Air Pistol
Outdoor Skills

**For Boys and Girls ages 9 – 19
as of September 30th, of the current
4-H year**

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WHO ARE WE?

The Botetourt County 4-H Shooting Education Club members are a diverse group - boys and girls sharing one common interest – **shooting, a desire to be safe, learn more, and have fun.** The club was organized to provide youth in Botetourt County the opportunity to learn about and have fun shooting by participating in a family-oriented, outdoor program.

WHO CAN JOIN?

The 4-H program is open to all youth ages 9 – 19 as of September 30 of the current year. Any young person, male or female, may participate and join if they want to learn more and be with other youth with similar interests. Not all club members are experienced at shooting; some are first-timers, and some are very experienced.

HOW TO JOIN?

Members accepted once a year in October. Interested youth ages 9 – 19 should contact the Botetourt County Extension Office, at (540) 928-3210, to place their name on the waiting list. Meeting dates, times, and practice sessions are announced at the beginning of the program year.

WHAT DO WE DO?

Monthly 4-H Club meetings

- Elect Officers
- Conduct club business
- Educational programs, speakers, and shooting practices
- Plan activities
- Participate in matches

Hands-on training in shooting education

All members enroll in at least one 4-H project book and are encouraged to complete it to learn more about shooting education as well as a means of recording 4-H activities for the year.

Members are encouraged to participate in local practices, 4-H Shooting Education Camps, District Shoots, County Matches, State Shoots, and National Shoots.

Members are encouraged to participate in community service projects as a club as well as individually. Most clubs conduct several community service projects each year.

Members are encouraged to participate in other county, district, and state 4-H activities and contests.

Involve the parents and adults through volunteer opportunities in helping with club activities to being certified instructors.

ANYTHING ELSE?

4-H Activities, Camps, and Competitions related to Shooting Education:

Various field trips

4-H Shooting Education Camps

Various counties sponsor shooting matches

District 4-H Shoot

Virginia 4-H BB/Air Rifle Match

National Invitational

International BB Gun Championship

And many other competitions

Other 4-H Activities:

Botetourt County 4-H Camp as well as other camps – Forestry, Mountain Ecology Camp

County, District, and State contests – 4-H Presentation, Talent, Public Speaking, etc.

Wildlife Habitat

Forestry Judging

And activities about various other topics

