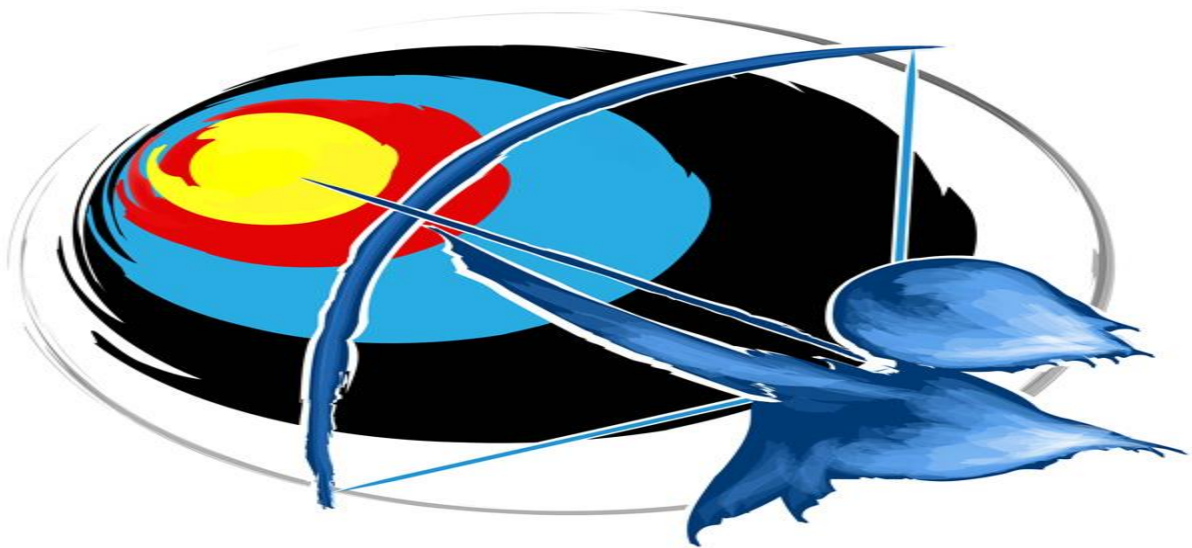


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Contact: John Harden 559-381-1534 or johnh@unverferth.com

Check-In 9:00 A.M. Mandatory Participant Orientation 9:30 A.M., Match starts immediately following orientation.

This archery tournament is designed as a county wide event for 4-H shooting sports members to participate in.

**Concession stand will be on sight. Pre-paid lunches on entry form.**

**REGISTRATION IS DUE NO LATER THAN October 3rd, 2014**  
**PLEASE SEND ONE CHECK PER CLUB FOR ALL FEES TO**

**EXETER 4-H CLUB**  
**1853 S. Holliday St**  
**Tulare Ca, 93274**

Only pre-registered shooters will be allowed to shoot on the day of the match.

**Eligibility:** Open to Tulare County 4-H members enrolled in the shooting sports project.

**Age Divisions:** Junior ..... 9 & 10 year olds – Born in the years 2005 and 2004  
Intermediate.....11, 12, & 13 year olds – Born in years 2003 thru 2001  
Senior.....14 to 19 years old - Born between the years 2000 thru 1995

**Categories:** Unsighted, Sighted, & Release (**May enter one category only**)

**AGE DIVISIONS ARE CALCULATED AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 FOR THE CURRENT PROGRAM YEAR**

### Tournament Divisions:

#### **Unsighted Division**

Compound, Long, or Recurve bows without sights or bowmarks.

#### **Sighted Division**

Compound, Long, or Recurve bows with any type of fixed sight accessories (sights, bowmarks).

#### **Release Division**

Compound, Long, or Recurve bows with release aids.

**Team:** One shooter in each age division Junior, Intermediate & Senior only. \*\*All team members must be from the same club\*\*. Two shooters may represent a club for the Team Award. However, it is to the club's advantage to have a full team. Clubs may have as many teams as they like, but they will compete independently of each other. A 4-H member may move up a division to fill a team, if this happens the shooter will be required to shoot from the distance that he or she has been moved to. Team member, may never move down a division to fill a team.

**Entry fee is \$5.00 per Shooter**

## TOURNAMENT GUIDELINES:

### **Shooting accessories:**

- A shooting glove, tab, or mechanical release aid may be used on the string hand for releasing the string.
- An ordinary glove, mitten or similar item may be worn on the bow hand.
- A bow sling and stabilizer may be used.
- An arm guard may be used on the bow arm to prevent string slap and to hold clothing away from the string.
- A vest or protector may be used to control clothing on the upper body.
- Shooters may wear any clothing suitable for the climatic and weather conditions. However, sleeved shirts and closed toed footwear are required for shooters at all times. \* **Flip flops and sandals are not allowed**\*

### **Arrows:**

- Arrows consist of a shaft with a head, nock, fletching, and personal identification markings.
- Each archer must provide an adequate number of arrows to complete the required course of fire. Each archer's arrows will be marked, with his or her name, initials, other insignia or cresting to permit identification.
- All arrows must be inspected for soundness. [Coaches and 4-H'ers are responsible for pre-shoot check.]
- No arrows 23/64ths (9.3 mm) in diameter or larger are permitted.
- Only target or field points may be used in 4-H archery events.

## EQUIPMENT:

- 1.) Shooters will use their own archery equipment and arrows, unless arrangements have been made with his or her 4-H Archery leader.
- 2.) A ground quiver or a quiver worn by the shooter must be used to hold arrows.
- 3.) Binoculars or a spotting scope may be used to spot arrows
- 4.) If equipment is found to be unsafe and corrections not made before the match, then the shooter will not be allowed to participate in the event.
- 5.) Maximum bow weight allowed in any division is **40 pounds**. This will be checked before the match begins. **Bows above the max draw weight must be modified and re-checked.**
- 6.) A nocking point indicator is required to position the nock of an arrow on the string. The nocking point indicator may be of any conventional design, including materials that may be crimped, wound or heat shrunk to the center serving.
- 7.) Ordinary eye glasses, shooting glasses, or sunglasses may be worn; but the glasses must not include any device or structure to aid in aiming.
- 8.) An arrow must be released off of a felt arrow shelf, whisker biscuit or other arrow rest. The use of an **OVERDRAW** arrow shelf or rest is prohibited.
- 9.) Contestants **must** attend mandatory safety orientation meeting prior to match.

### Inspection of Equipment:

- All Archery equipment will be inspected at the check in table prior to the event to be sure it is in compliance with 4-H rules and tournament guide lines.

### **Note:**

**All appeals will be made threw your 4-H Archery Leader not directly to the Range Official.**

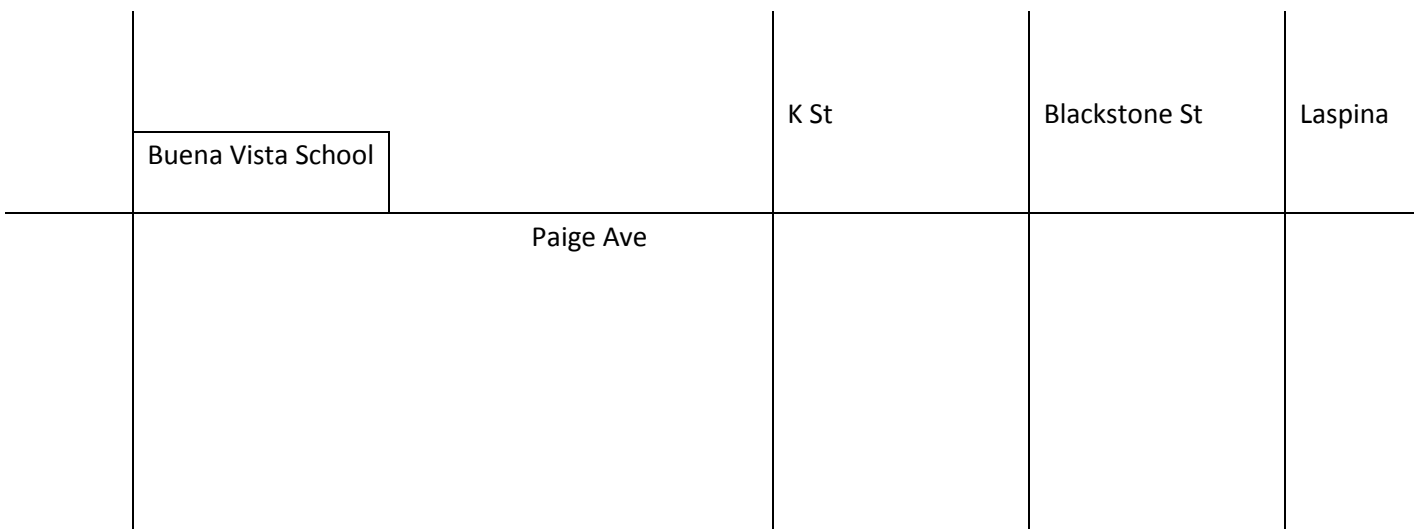
## Range Control, Operation, and Safety:

- Maintenance of safety is the responsibility of every shooter and coach as well as the designated range officials.
- Range officials will notify coaches of any visible safety or equipment violations.
- All shooting will be under the control of range captain at all times.
- Arrows may be shot only when a safe zone of fire exists from the firing line to the ultimate impact zone of the arrow. Observing safety hazards downrange is the responsibility of each shooter as well as the range officials and coaches.
- No practice shooting will be permitted on the day of the Tournament.
- Arrows may be nocked only after the appropriate command to fire is given.
- Bows may be drawn only on the firing line.
- Only 4-H'ers in the flight or relay actually shooting and range officials may be present on the firing or shooting line during active firing.

### FIRING LINE COMMANDS:

1. Flight number \_\_, to the firing line.
2. Flight number \_\_, to staging.
3. IS THE LINE READY?
4. Flight \_\_, Fire when Ready
5. Is the line clear?
6. Flight \_\_, Score your targets and pull your arrows.

NORTH



From Blackstone St to Buena Vista School is Approximately 6 miles West

## Scoring:

- \* Scoring will be done at the completion of each round while arrows are in the target. Scoring will be done by appointed scoring officials. All score cards are to be taken directly to the scoring table at the completion of each round. Failure to do so will result in a Zero score for that round.
- \* The archer should check and verify that the scorer has recorded each arrow's score correctly. If the archer and scorer are not in agreement, an appeal needs to be made to the hosting range commander, who will then score the shot. **Scores cannot be appealed once an arrow is pulled from the target.**
- \* **No arrows or targets may be touched until scored.** Any arrow or target touched before scored will be scored a zero.
- \* Scoring is determined by the position of the shaft in relationship to the scoring rings. The shaft must break the scoring ring of the higher score in order to score the higher value.
- \* In the event of a tie, shooters will then shoot one arrow from a predetermined distance chosen by the range official to determine a winner.
- \* Witnessed bounce-outs or arrows that pass completely through the target will be re-shot. A dropped arrow may be replaced by a spare arrow, if the dropped arrow is within 10 feet of the shooting line. **Under no conditions is an archer to step in front of the shooting line to retrieve an arrow.**
- \* Score keepers are not allowed to give out scores. Please don't ask or interfere with their work.
- \* Scores will be available and awards will be given out as soon after the competition as possible.

### Scoring your Target in all Divisions

Bullseye	11 points
Yellow	9-10 point rings
Red	7-8 point rings
Blue	5-6 point rings
Black	3-4 point rings
White	1-2 point rings

<u>Division:</u>	<u>Shooting Distance in Yards:</u>	<u>Target Used:</u>
Junior	<u>18 Arrows at 10 Yards &amp; 12 Arrows at 15 Yards</u>	FITA – 60 CM
Intermediate	<u>18 Arrows at 15 Yards &amp; 12 Arrows at 20 Yards</u>	
Senior	<u>18 Arrows at 20 Yards &amp; 12 Arrows at 25 Yards</u>	

**Course of fire will be 30 arrows per shooter at the above distance. 6 arrows per round with a 4min time limit per round.**

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Participant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_

Age as of December 31, 2014 \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent

Please Circle "ONE" Division    Unsighted    Sighted    Release

**T-Shirt Order:** A 4-H match T-Shirt is for sale and will be available for pick up at match check in. Each shirt will be \$10.00 each.

Child				Adult						Total Shirts	Total Cost Shirts X \$10.00	
Small	Medium	Large	X Large	Small	Medium	Large	X Large	2X Large	Other			
											\$	
<b>Pre-paid lunches:</b>									_____	Lunches X	\$5.00 =	\$
										Entry Fee	\$5.00	

**Total Amount \$**

**Please make checks payable to your 4-H Club for Entry Fee, T-Shirts, and Lunches.**

Please, check here if you will require any accommodations in order to participate in this 4-H Youth Development Program Event. List the participant's name and accommodations needed here: \_\_\_\_\_

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Instructions: Project Leaders must list all shooters with their information. Shooters may enter only one individual category and one team. Mail this form along with a **CLUB CHECK** for Entry Fee, T-Shirts, and Pre Paid Lunch's to: Exeter 4-H Club 1853 S. Holliday St Tulare CA, 93274. Entries must be received by October 3, 2014. Please refer to Match Program for Match specifics. If shooters are sharing equipment please place an X in the margin next to the names who are sharing.

**Club:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shooting Sports Leader Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

Shooter	Last	First	Age	Sights "UN" "S" "R"	Lunch \$5.00	If Ordering T-Shirt(s),, Mark quantity of each size										
						Youth Sizes				Adult Sizes						
						S	M	L	X L	S	M	L	X L	2 X L	Other	
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Total number of Entries _____ x \$5.00 = _____																

Team Name	Junior Shooter	Intermediate Shooter	Senior Shooter

**Team entries**

**Adult volunteers that will help with Tournament if needed.**

Name	Address	Phone	Email
1.			
2.			
3.			

**This form may be duplicated if clubs have additional participants**