**Lafayette County 4-H Shooting Sports**

**8th Annual Lafayette County Archery Invitational**

**Saturday, April 14, 2018**

**Belmont Community Schools**, **Belmont, Wisconsin**

**(This is also a 4-H National Invitational qualifying opportunity. Must compete in Wildlife for scores to qualify)**

Name: (print) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone No. (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_County: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

This event is open to all 4-H members in good standing with their local club. Registered shooters must be between 8 and 19 years of age. Please check event listing for any age restrictions.

**Participating in Age-Group Class (Check One) - (Age as of 4/14/18)**

**Junior (ages 8-11) \_\_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate (ages 12-14) \_\_\_\_\_\_ Senior (ages 15-19) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

**No refunds will be given due to the competitor’s inability to compete within the scheduled time for that discipline. It is the responsibility of the competitor to enter only as many events as they can compete in within the time allotted. Note: Before selecting your events, please read the descriptions and rules on the accompanying pages.**

For Intermediates in Archery that want to be scored for the 4-H National Invitational, **please check \_\_\_\_**

Note: Intermediates must shoot Senior distances to qualify for the 4-H National Invitational.

For recurve archery competitors qualifying for the 4-H National Invitational, **please check \_\_\_\_**

**All events will consist of an indoor 300 round (12 ends, 5 arrows per end) scored on either a single spot or 5 spot NFAA target face. Please check the styles you will be shooting below.**

**300 Round Animal Round**

**Compound Barebow \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_**

**Traditional (recurve/barebow) \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_**

**Freestyle Limited Recurve/Longbow \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_**

**Freestyle Bowhunter \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_**

**Freestyle Limited Bowhunter \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_**

**Freestyle** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_

**Freestyle Limited \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_**

**Wildlife (no entry fee required) \_X\_** (Wildlife event closes at 2:00 p.m.)

Total number of events entered \_\_\_\_ @ $7.00 per event excluding Wildlife. **Total Enclosed $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Genesis Team Shoot** – adult/youth or youth/youth can team up. Register on-site only. $2.50 per competitor.

**I understand the archery rules and tournament rules regarding participation.**

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4-H Shooter’s Signature Parent/Guardian Signature

***Permission Statement:* I grant** permission for my child to participate in the Lafayette County Archery Invitational. **I release** Belmont Community School District, their employees, the UW Extension, employees, and volunteers from any financial responsibility for sickness or accident while in attendance. **I agree** to pay all expenses including medical expenses not covered by insurance. **I authorize** the use of photographs for educational or media purposes at this event.

Return this form and registration fees by **April 7, 2018** to: Melissa Zasada, 15999 Meylor Ln, Darlington WI 53530

Phone (608)482-1311, zasada4x@gmail.com **(Make checks payable to “Lafayette County Shooting Sports”)**

**Pre-registration is preferred, $5.00 late fee for on-site registration.**

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**Location:** Belmont Community Schools, 646 Liberty Street Belmont, WI 53510

**Registration:** opens at 7:30 a.m. Saturday April 14, 2018

**Shooting times:** first line opens at 8:00 a.m. Spots will be given on a first come first serve basis. We will do our best to accommodate groups traveling together, but there may be a wait. No archers will be allowed to register after 1:00 p.m. Final start time for the line will be 2:00 pm.

**Wildlife Ecology:** Wildlife will close at 2:00 p.m. Any archer wishing to submit scores for NQE will need to complete wildlife ecology!

**Genesis Team Shoot:** Will run during regular range times as space permits. Feel free to bring your own “Barebow Genesis” as we have a limited quantity of Genesis bows. We will provide arrows if needed. Team will consist of Youth/Youth or Youth/Adult. Each team member will shoot 20 arrows (4 ends, 5 arrows per end) for a maximum score of 100 (per archer) on an NFAA single spot face at a distance of 10 yards. Total X’s will determine tie breakers. Youth archers may enter in youth/youth once and youth/adult once to ensure adequate space for all competitors.

**Awards:** Award presentation will occur as close to the end of competition as possible.

**No binoculars or range finders allowed.**

**No coaching allowed.**

**Lafayette County 4H Shooting Sports will provide a food stand on location.**

**Equipment Classification**

**Compound Barebow:** “Genesis” type bow without the use of sights or stabilizer. Standard flipper style rest will be allowed. Archers may not use a mechanical release.

**Traditional:** Recurve bow or longbow without the use of sights, stabilizers, or rest other than “shelf” in the riser. Archers may not use a mechanical release.

**Freestyle Limited:** Recurve/Longbow: sights, clickers, stabilizers, plungers are allowed. Archers may not use a mechanical release.

**Freestyle Bowhunter:** sights, rests, stabilizers, and mechanical releases are allowed. Sights/scopes may NOT use magnification and stabilizers must be a length of 12 inches or less.

**Freestyle Limited Bowhunter:** same as Freestyle Bowhunter except release is limited to glove, tabs, or fingers.

**Freestyle:** sights, rests, stabilizers, and mechanical releases are allowed. Magnification of sights/scopes is permitted, and stabilizers may exceed 12 inches in length.

**Freestyle Limited:** same as Freestyle except release is limited to gloves, tabs, or fingers.

**Statewide Invitational Shoot -Archery Tournament RULES**

1. Arm guards are recommended as a safety measure, but not required.

2. Junior Archers (ages 8 to 11) will shoot from a distance of 10 yards.

3. Intermediate Archers (ages 12 to 14) will shoot from a distance of 15 yards.

4. Senior Archers (ages 15 to 19) will shoot from a distance of 20 yards.

5. Designated scoring personnel will do all the scoring. Any arrow or target touched before scoring will be scored as a zero. All arrows that miss the target or hit the wrong target will be scored as a zero.

6. Bounce-outs or pass through will be scored only if the designated scorer can unquestionably determine the point of impact; otherwise, these will be re-shot at the end of the round.

7. Scoring is determined by the position of the shaft. The shaft must touch the scoring ring to score the higher value. The range commander will immediately determine any questionable call. The decision is final.

8. Archers are given the option to re-add their total scores with the scorekeeper when finished shooting.

9. Time limit is 4 minutes per end (5 arrows).

10. N.F.A.A. single spot or 5 spot target face will be used for the event. Shooters must choose single or 5 spot target face at the line check in station. No changes allowed thereafter.

11. Any competitor who requires accessibility accommodations should contact Randy Cushman (number below) to arrange for accommodations **prior to the day of shoot**. Range commander will have final say on line location and shooting time.

12. Any rule infraction(s) may disqualify a participant at any time during the tournament as determined by the range commander or tournament committee chairperson.

**13. All competitors must maintain proper sportsmanship with other competitors at all times.**

**14. Shoot will follow national rules.** Go to <https://unl.app.box.com/s/fp6zz5k3gcarqer9ys7af2kuljp7kpqn> to open the archery rules.

Qualifications include being capable of competing in a safe manner without any assistance from parents, coaches, or other adults, and meeting any age restrictions for a given event.

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For further information contact:

Randy Cushman (608) 762-6107 or calcush@hotmail.com

Dave Zasada (608) 482-1311 or zasada4x@gmail.com

**Directions to Belmont Community School:**

Belmont is located at Exit 26 on US Highway 151. From Exit 26, turn left on HWY 126 South (Mound Avenue). Take second left turn on to Liberty Street. Belmont Community School is located at 646 Liberty Street, approximately ½ mile after making left turn.

**Hotel and Lodging Information:**

Quality Inn, Belmont — 608-762-6900 Mound View Inn, Platteville -– 608-348-9518

Quality Inn, Mineral Point -– 608-987-4747 Super 8, Platteville – 608-348-8800

Super 8, Darlington -– 608-776-8830 Country Inn Suites, Platteville – 608-348-7373

**We look forwarding to seeing you in Belmont on April 14th!**