Archery Match
<u>Know Your Bow Class</u>

This information was developed for coaches specifically for District 12 4-H Archery matches in accordance with Texas 4-H Shooting Sports rules and USA Archery bow class definitions. Other 4-H archery matches may vary their requirements.

<u>Barebow</u>
- Bows may be a recurve or longbow design only
- No wheels, cams, or pulleys of any type
- No sighting devices may be used including but not limited to marks, fixed pin, single pin, multiple pin, string mark, peep sights, string sights, etc.
- Bows may have weights but weights must be attached directly to the riser without extension bars/rods, angular mounting connections, or shock-absorbing devices.
- No stabilizers are permitted
- No "shoot-through" type risers
- No mechanical release aids are permitted of any type. Only fingers can be used.

<u>Recurve</u>
- Bows may only be a recurve design
- No wheels, cams, or pulleys of any type
- Bows may be equipped with a single sighting device, single pin, multiple pin, or hunting style sights. No string peeps or string marks for rear sights are permitted.
- Use of stabilizers, weights, and combinations are permitted
- No mechanical release aids are permitted of any type. Only fingers can be used.

<u>NASP Genesis ®</u>
- Original Genesis ® bows are allowed. No Genesis ® Mini or Genesis ® Pro bows allowed.
- Only Easton 1820 30-inch arrows are allowed.
- No sighting devices may be used including but not limited to marks, fixed pin, single pin, multiple pin, string mark, peep sights, string sights, etc.
- No mechanical release aids are permitted of any type. Only fingers can be used.
- No stabilizers permitted

<u>Unaided Compound</u>
- No magnified sights are allowed
- No stabilizers are permitted
- Bows may be equipped with a single sighting device, single pin, multiple pin, or hunting style sights.
- No mechanical release aids are permitted of any type. Only fingers can be used.

<u>Aided Compound</u>
- Magnified sights are allowed
- Stabilizers are allowed
- Mechanical releases are allowed