



2024 District 12 4-H Shooting Sports Postal League  
**ARCHERY**

**Guiding Principles & Contest Rules**

Each of the events will follow the Texas 4-H Shooting Sports rules for the respective discipline except as noted below. The focus of these events is to provide 4-H members involved in shooting sports in District 12 with an opportunity beyond what may be available in their county.

**Archery Postal League Match Rules**

1. Texas 4-H Archery Rules will be followed except as noted in these contest rules. FITA Indoor rules will be used to structure this event.
2. All entries must be submitted through 4-H Online by a supervising volunteer or the individual 4-H member within the Registration Period (January 26 through February 20, 2024).
3. All record scores must be done under the supervision of a certified coach on a single date and time specified by the supervising coach within the Match Period (March 1 through April 31, 2024).
4. Targets be provided. Participants are required to use the correct target for the match as follows:
  - \* Barebow/Recurve/NASP Genesis Archers - FITA **60cm** 10-ring 5-color target
  - \* Compound Unaided/Compound Aided - FITA **40cm** 10-ring 5-color target
  - \* All archers will shoot 10 ends of 3 arrows at 18 meters. 1st Year Juniors will shoot at a distance of 9 meters.
5. Senior compound archers **only** will use the inner 10, for scoring purposes.
6. Bow Divisions - refer to the "Know Your Bow" resource on the website to determine the correct Division.
7. Scores and scoring instructions provided will be considered part of the rules governing this event.
8. All scores must be posted online by the coach (<http://d124-h.tamu.edu/events/shooting-sports/>) by April 5, 2024.
9. All official scorecards and targets must be **received** (not mailed/postmarked) in the District office by April 10, 2024. *Mail to: District 12 4-H Program - Postal League, 2401 E Business 83, Weslaco, Texas 78596.*
10. ***IMPORTANT! All targets and scorecards must be turned in (mailed) to the district office by the date specified above.***

**Archery Postal League Scoring Instructions**

1. Coaches and leaders must use the Texas 4-H Archery Rules (FITA Indoor) to score each archer's targets.
2. Senior compound archers only will use the inner 10, for scoring purposes.
3. Official scorecards provided must be used to record official scores.
4. Each scorecard must have at least two signatures, the archer and coach.
5. Any changes in Division or Classification should be noted on the official scorecard.
6. The scorecard must be filled out completely with all record scores, including total 10's and 9's.
7. Scorecards must be used to record scores and posted by the responsible coach leader online at <http://d124-h.tamu.edu/events/shooting-sports/> by April 5, 2024.  
***Any scores not posted online by the deadline will not be considered for awards.***
8. All official **scorecards and targets** must be mailed to the district office postmarked by April 10, 2024.  
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**Target General Appearances.**  
 Size differences noted.

