

**2010
WELLS COUNTY
4-H SHOOTING SPORTS**

PELLET PISTOL SAFETY CLUB

6:30 - 8:30 PM, Quonset Building, 4-H Park, Bluffton

PELLET PISTOL

April 20 (6:30 – 8:00 PM)	Sign Up & Safety Rules	May 18	Meeting (Test)
April 27	Meeting	May 25	Meeting (Test Make-up)
May 4	Meeting	June 1	Meeting
May 11	Meeting	June 8	Awards Night

LEADERS

Tex Mauger 260-827-0266
Don Kiefer 260-824-1585

WHO CAN JOIN?

Youth may become 4-H members when they enter third grade may continue their membership through the completion of grade 12. A member may continue membership for a maximum of ten (10) years.

AGES & COST

Pellet Pistol: Grade 3 and above - Cost \$17.00

No person will be turned away for financial constraints. Cost includes: (Book - for new members) Equipment, Supplies, Insurance, Awards and Refreshments at Awards Night. If you have more than one youth in the family, the second member is only \$15.00. Scholarships available – check with leaders.

LIMITED MEMBERSHIP

For safety reasons and to provide adequate instruction, membership will be limited to the first 20 youth in Pistol.

BB & RIFLE

The 4-H BB Gun & .22 Caliber Rifle program is offered each year, late January through March. Watch the 4-H Newsletter for details.

SAFETY FIRST

The 4-H program teaches firearm safety taught by NRA and 4-H certified instructors. All equipment Daisy Pellet Pistols will be furnished. Members are not to bring any equipment with them.

PARENT HELP

Parent help is needed to assist with scoring targets, recording scores, and as range assistants along with set-up and tear-down.

LEADERS NEEDED

More adult volunteers are needed to become club leaders. If interested, call the County Extension Office at 824-6412 or talk to one of the leaders.

QUESTIONS?

For more information about 4-H, contact the
Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative
Extension Service,
1240 S. 4-H Rd.,
Bluffton, IN 46714
260-824-6412
rsheer@purdue.edu

Web Site: www.wellscounty.org/4h/

**SHOOTING SPORTS
INCLUDE**

**Archery
BB Gun
.22 Caliber Rifle
Pistol
Shot Gun**

Each topic teaches safety, concentration, self-discipline, self-confidence, goal-setting, decision making and courtesy as the young people learn basic skills and build toward more advanced activities. Both competitive and cooperative skills are included. Participants are exposed to local policies, regulations, laws, and ethical behavior both by repeated demonstrations and through personal practice.

4-H PLEDGE

I pledge my HEAD to clearer thinking; my HEART to greater loyalty; my HANDS to larger service; and my HEALTH to better living for my club, my community, my country and my world.

Fair Poster Option

You may make a poster or notebook about some aspect of shooting sports or may exhibit something you made. Examples might include: Poster or Notebook: Firearm Safety; Cross a Fence with a Gun, Eye Dominance; Muzzleloading; Target Trap; Archery Safety; Types of Arrows; Buying a Bow; Shooting Vests; Hunter Ed; Tree Stand Safety; Percussion or Flintlock; Hunting Wild Turkeys; Handmade Items – Gun Rack or Tables, Ammo Box, etc.

Shot Gun

The Shot Gun Club will continue to meet in 2010. Sign up will be Saturday, April 17 from 9 – 11 AM at the Wells County Gun Club, 2555 E. 400 N., Ossian IN. Meetings will be held each Saturday. Call Ryan Kline, 375-3865 for details or the Wells County Extension Office, 824-6412.

Archery

Sign up will be April 19, 6:30 – 8 PM at the 4-H Park Qunset Building. Call 622-6617 for details or the Wells County Extension Office, 824-6412.

PARTICIPANTS GAIN

Lifetime Useful

Knowledge and Skills

Safe Habits

Self-Discipline

Self-Esteem

Friendship

Concentration

Confidence

**4-H CLUB MOTTO
To Make The Best Better**