

Shooting Sports Contest SDHSRA 2023

There will be the Qualifying Shoot to qualify for national competition on Thursday, June 15th, 2023 (TRAP) and Friday, June 16th, 2023 (RIFLE) in Fort Pierre, SD. It will begin at 1:00 pm. Meet by the rodeo office at 12:30 pm and you will carpool out to the shooting site (Willow Creek Wildlife, Inc.).

You must pre-register to shoot by June 6th, 2023 *by email* at office@sdhsra.com.

Shooting contest entry is on sdhsra.com.

You must check in at SDHSRA State Finals Rodeo check-in times, in official dress. See state finals schedule for registration check-in times.

There you will pay your fees, submit any paperwork if needed (see below) and get your back number.

This is the only Shoot offered.

*If you have not competed in the rodeo events at a Regional Rodeo you are required to turn in and bring to contestant registration in order to receive your back number - properly and completely signed:

1. Stanley County Waiver (unless you have completed this for 4H rodeo for 2023)
2. Year End Report Card.

Forms are in the contestant qualifier informational packet, sdhsra.com, rodeos, state finals.

*If you have competed at Regionals you need:

1. Stanley County Waiver (unless you have completed this for 4H rodeo for 2023)

The shoot will follow nhsra shooting guide rules – they are available at sdhsra.com, programs, shooting sports.

You must wear jeans and back number, no open toe shoes allowed.

Bring your own shotgun, rifle and ammunition. It is not guaranteed there will be any there to provide you. In that case, you may not be able to compete.

You may shoot rifle and/or trap. Your spot in the draw for the evening rodeo performance, if you are a contestant, will not be changed or held for you.

Parents will not be permitted to “coach” their kids when competing.

Depending upon available funds, *you may not* be provided with qualifier money to attend Nationals. You are not guaranteed qualifier money.

You will want to bring bug spray, sunscreen, and lawn chairs to the shoot.

Top 4 Qualifiers have the option of competing at NHSFR National Competition in Gillette, Wyoming July 17-23. You will need to declare if you will be shooting for competition prizes, national team placement or both on the entry form.

You will not be able to change your mind after the entry is submitted.

If you qualify in the top 4 for national team placement in Gillette, you must attend the National Qualifier Meeting on Sunday June 18th at the Fort Pierre Youth Center, 8:30 am. If not there you will forfeit your award and it will be given to fifth place, they will also take your place at national, if they are in attendance.

For questions , please contact:

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Do Not call Willow Creek.

You should also review the NHSRA Shooting Sports Guide on nhsra.com.