



County Shooting Competition

This year's competition will take a different format to previously. The competition will take place at Gresham's Senior School in Holt and will be run as a weekend camp with a maximum of 20 teams able to take part. The winning teams from District Shooting Competitions will be given priority, provided that they register by the closing date.

The Explorers and Network members will camp and cater in their Districts.

There will be opportunities at the camp for Explorers and Network members to take part in activities other than shooting including mountain biking, tomahawk throwing, backwoods cooking and swimming. Network members and Leaders will also have an opportunity to shoot small-bore on the Saturday evening in the range.

Rules

Each team to consist of 4 Explorer Scouts/Network members.

All participants must be aged 14-25 years old on the day of competition. Air Arms S200's and S400's will be used on the competition rifle events and PCP Alpha pistols will be used in the pistol event.

As the network members will be camping with Explorer Scouts (members under 18 years of age) all will require a current DBS.

A waiting list will be held and teams approached to take part once the winning teams have had an opportunity to register. To avoid disappointment, please email norfolkscoutsshootingteam@gmail.com to register your team before issuing paperwork to Explorer Scouts/Network members.

All completed forms together with entry the entry fee of £40 per team should be sent to Norfolk County Scouts Office, Eaton Vale Activity Centre, Church Lane, Norwich, NR4 6NN to arrive no later than the 19th August 2017. Cheques should be made payable to Norfolk County Scout Council.





Format

There will be a main shooting competition which will consist of Standing and Prone Rifle as well as Pistol and Field Target. There will then be an individual Knock Down competition and a team Archery competition. Crossbow will be a have-a-go event this year.

Trophies will also be awarded to the winning team members and the individual shooter with the highest combined score.

No jackets, slings, gloves, supportive trousers or shooting boots to be worn. Blinders can be used.

Air Rifle Competition

- Standing with rifle at 10 metres 5 practise shots followed by 3 targets of 5 pellets each.
- Prone with rifle at 10 metres 5 practise shots followed by 3 targets of 5 pellets each.
- Knock Down will be shot at 6 yrds. Competitors will have 2 minutes to knock down 5 targets. This will be shot head to head against another competitor. If there is a draw the shooters will be split on the number of pellets they have left in their pot.
- Field Target (in lanes) 2 minutes to shoot 2 pellets each a different distance spinner targets. There will be 4 separate lanes to complete.

Air Pistol

• 10 metre range - 5 practise shots followed by 3 targets of 5 pellets each. Shooting will take place one handed.

Crossbow

• Will take place at 10 metres. Shooters will get 3 practise shots followed by 3 targets of 3 each.

Archery

• Will take place at 20 metres. 5 practise shots followed by 3 targets of 5 arrows each.





Other Information

All members should arrive and depart in uniform. Neckerchief to be worn throughout the competition but competitors may change into comfortable clothes for shooting activities.

Drop-off will be at Gresham's sports fields on Friday 25th August from 1800hrs onwards. Awards will be held on Sunday afternoon at 1530hrs with pick up directly afterwards.

Districts are responsible for providing their Explorers and Network members with kit lists and equipment, as well as food for the entire weekend. Open fires will not be permitted. Water will be accessible onsite, as will toilets.