

ALASKA 4-H SHOOTING SPORTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Bi-Monthly Zoom Meeting
September 23, 2024 @ 6 PM AKST



Present: Patty Miller, Velma Vining, Alyssa Martin,
Samantha Russell-Blumenkonig

Trainings: Save the Date! January 18th, 2025 8am-5pm, Lunch provided, Kodiak, Level-1 Rifle

Postal Matches: Re-working timelines to match what is feasible on the AK landscape,

Proposing

April 2025, Postal Matches–Archery, Air Rifle

May 2025, Postal Matches–Pistol, Air Pistol

June 2025, Postal Matches, Rifle, Shotgun

Working to shift AK rules to align better and better prepare youth for Nationals

Youth qualify for nationals the year before (Jimmy does AK Postal matches in 2024 in order to go to nationals in 2025).

Alaska Quiz Bowl:

Online through Z-Suites December 16, 2024 through December 22, 2024

–Samantha working on determining platform (kahoot, quizlet, etc)

State Calendar of Events: (Tentative/Proposed)

- Dec. 16-22, 2024: State SS Quiz Bowl Online
- Jan 18, 2025: State 4-H Level 1 Rifle Training, Kodiak
- April 2025, Postal Matches–Archery, Air Rifle
- May 2025, Postal Matches–Pistol, Air Pistol
- June 2025 - National Matches - Postal Matches–Rifle, Shotgun
- State - hunting skills

Action Items:

- All shooting sports leaders, keep your eyes peeled for demographic info requests from Samantha. She will send them as soon as she receives them, they will be due 12/1/24.
- Before next meeting (10/7), look at current AK Postal Match Rules
(<https://www.uaf.edu/ces/4-h/get-involved/current-member/shooting-sports/events.ph>)

p) and compare to National Postal Match Rules [Details here](#) or at “2024 Event Synopsis” link here: <https://4h.unl.edu/shooting-sports/national-rules>

Next Meeting: Monday, 10/7 via Zoom at 6PM AKST. Send Samantha (sjrussell5@alaska.edu) an email as items occur that you want on the next meeting’s agenda. Samantha will try to send an agenda by 10/4