



4-H Target Smart Camp October 1-4, 2020 W.P. Ridley 4-H Center, Columbia, TN

4-H Target Smart Camp is:

- A 4-H activity that develops firearms safety, responsibility and life skills
- An opportunity to participate in skill competition in different disciplines
- A camping adventure located in the natural environment of a modern 4-H Center
- An opportunity to make new friends, experience adventure and accept responsibility for group living in a camp setting

To Be Eligible:

- Campers should be in 5th through 9th grade as of January 1, 2020
- Campers do not need shooting experience prior to attending camp, however, some experience is preferred
- All participants will be expected to complete an Activity and Event Acceptance Form (F600) and to abide by the stated guidelines

Discipline Areas Include (campers will experience and participate in every discipline during this camp)

Hunting Rifle/BB Archery

Shotgun Muzzleloader

NEW this Year:

Hunter Education Certification - If they complete the TWRA online class prior to camp (https://www.hunter-ed.com/tennessee/) then this camp will serve as the "Field Day" portion and therefore complete their Tennessee Hunter Education Certification. Bring proof of online course completion with you.

Free-time Activities Include:

Crafts/games Recreation/nature studies

Swimming/campfires (if weather permits) Wildlife Center

Things to Bring:

Sheets and pillow Casual clothes, tennis shoes or boots
Blankets/sleeping bag Insect repellent

Towels, washcloths and soap Notebook, pencil and paper, stamps

Toiletries, brush and comb

Flashlight, alarm clock, camera

Swimsuit, flip-flops, sunscreen Old clothing/shoes (for creek stomping)
Sweatshirt or jacket/rain gear

F600 Activity and Event Acceptance

Form — completed and signed

Do NOT Bring:

Electronic devices (games, cell phones, radios, music players), chewing gum, food, drugs, alcohol or tobacco products, fireworks, knives or any other items that could cause harm to other campers. Participants should not bring firearms or equipment to the 4-H Center (all will be provided).

Clearly label all belongings!

Check In:

5:30 - 6:00 p.m. (CDT) Thursday, October 1, at Ridley 4-H Center in Columbia

Adjournment:

9:00 a.m. (CDT) Sunday, October 4

Cost:

The cost to attend the 4-H Target Smart Camp is \$300.00. This fee includes your lodging, meals, shooting supplies and other recreational activities. Please return your check with your registration to your county UT Extension office.

Transportation:

Transportation costs are not included in the registration fee and are the responsibility of each camper. Coordinate these arrangements with the 4-H Agent at your county Extension office.

Every effort will be made to ensure that participants have a safe and rewarding experience:

Campers are adequately supervised by county 4-H agents, adult leaders and camp staff.

4-H center facilities are regularly inspected and meet health department guidelines. Professional and summer staff receive training in first aid/CPR and safety procedures.

If you need to reach your camper during the camp session because of a family emergency, the number to call is 931-388-4011. Please do not use this number for other purposes.

A first aid station is located on the grounds. Campers may bring their own prescribed medications however; ALL medications are kept in a locked location and are dispensed under direct adult supervision. A health care professional is employed by the 4-H center. Arrangements have been made with local hospitals for emergency care. It is the responsibility of the parents to notify 4-H agents of pertinent medical conditions.

Campers may take supervised field trips to participate in related studies. It is assumed that by signing the Activity and Event Acceptance Form, parents give permission for their child to participate.

We cannot guarantee that your child will not be injured, but every attempt will be made to minimize risk and encourage safe participation. UT Extension cannot be held responsible for accidents.

TARGET SMART Video:

https://youtu.be/VhtqALzodNc

Visit the 4-H Shooting Sports Website at:

https://4h.tennessee.edu/Pages/shootingsports.aspx

Programs in agriculture and natural resources, 4-H youth development, family and consumer sciences, and resource development.

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