

Colfax Falcons Trap Team
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The Colfax Falcons Trap Shooting Team is youth development program for high school boys and girls, grades 9-12, that provides its participants with a positive, life-enhancing experience and to represent their High School. It is an opportunity for young people to participate in a supervised, shooting sports program taught by NRA Certified Shotgun Coaches that emphasizes gun safety and skill development in clay target shooting. The learning environment at team practices and at competitive events is designed to include the element of fun for all participants. Good sportsmanship, individual responsibility, self-discipline, positive academic progress and personal commitment are emphasized in the CYSSA and Colfax Falcons Trap program.

Registration Costs: \$80.00 per returning shooter and \$110 non-refundable.

Student Athletes are responsible for their own funding including team apparel, practices, travel, and shooting fees. They are responsible for their own transportation to/from each week's practice or meet. Team jerseys are included in the registration price for new shooters. Additional team apparel not included in the registration fee (T-shirts, sweatshirts, etc.) will be ordered at a later date. Below is a typical season fixed costs, previous and proposed fund raising activates, and the net student costs. These costs are inclusive of the entire season and are paid on a weekly basis as they are incurred.

		2023	2023 Actual		2024 Estimated	
Actual Fixed Costs		Per Week – 15 weeks		Per Week – 15 weeks		
Practices		1 Rounds	2 Rounds	1 Rounds	2 Rounds	
Club fees per round (25 shots)	\$8.00	\$90.00	\$180.00	\$120.00	\$240.00	
Shot shells per box (25shots)	\$11.00	\$165.00	\$330.00	\$165.00	\$330.00	
Fun Shoots -6 shoots per season						
Tournament fee (100 shots)	\$50.00	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$300.00	
Shot shells per box (25shots)	\$44.00	\$264.00	\$264.00	\$264.00	\$264.00	
State Shoot						
Club fees per round (200 shots)	\$110.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$110.00	\$110.00	
Shot shells per box (25shots)	\$88.00	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$88.00	\$88.00	
US Open - Las Vegas Shoot						
Club fees per round (200 shots)	\$125.00	optional	optional	optional	optional	
Shot shells per box (25shots)	\$88.00	optional	optional	optional	optional	
Estimated Fixed Costs		\$989.00	\$1244.00	\$1047.00	\$1322.00	
Fund Raising Activities	_					
Shoot Administration		-200.00	-200.00	-200.00	-200.00	
Midway USA Foundation		-\$100.00	-100.00	-\$100.00	-\$100.00	
Green Machine		-\$80.00	-\$80.00	?	?	
SEE"S Candy New Fund Raiser		-\$150.00	-\$150.00	?	?	
		\$459.00	\$714.00	\$747.00	\$1022.00	

These net actual season costs do not take into consideration any additional Sportsmen's Club Fund Raising that may be done during the season. Nor does it include any practices or competitions missed due to illness, or conflict in schedules. NEW THIS YEAR - A one time option payment of \$ 500.00 is available for team members that are unable to participate in team fund raising activities.

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EQUIPMENT

Students need to provide their own shotguns to be eligible to participate. Sharing shotguns and equipment, unfortunately, is not permitted. Students must also have appropriate equipment each week or they will not be allowed to shoot: safety glasses, hearing protection, shell pouch or vest, and a few extra shells. We shoot rain or shine, only stopping for lightning or hail – it's a good idea to have rain gear or jackets available.

- ✓ Any shotgun action type, 12 gauge or smaller, may be used as long as it is in a safe and workable condition.
- ✓ Guns with exposed hammers and guns with release triggers are prohibited.
- ✓ Lenses, optics or other shooting scopes are prohibited.

Shot shells

- ✓ Shot shells used in the discipline of trap must meet the following specifications:
 - A maximum shot charge of 1 1/8 oz. cannot exceed a velocity of 1,290'/sec. or
 - A maximum shot charge of 1 oz. cannot exceed a velocity of 1,325'/sec. or
 - A maximum shot charge of 7/8 oz. cannot exceed a velocity of 1,350'/sec.
- ✓ Loads containing nickel, steel or copper coated shot, tracer loads, or black powder are prohibited.

Eyes, Ear protection and Proper Attire

- ✓ All CYSSA Participants, coaches and anyone on the shooting field must wear appropriate ear (earplugs or muffs. Radios, i-phones, or earphones are NOT acceptable) protection during practices and competitions. Participants must wear ear and appropriate eye protection when on the shooting line.
- ✓ Mandatory closed toed shoes. If you wear flip flops or any type of open toe shoe, you will not be permitted to shoot.
- ✓ Ladies shorts may NOT be shorter than 5 inches from the inseam or you will not be permitted to shoot.

PRACTICES

We have the following two locations and times for practices:

1. Auburn Trap Club Thursday 4:30 pm – 6:00pm

Saturday 10:00 am-3:00pm *by appointment with your coach only

SHOOT SCHEDULE

Our tournament schedule dates are as follows;

March 9th Yolo
March 23rd Stockton
April 6th Auburn
April 20th Yolo

May 4th Sierra Valley May 19th Carson City

June 8-9th State Championship – Livermore Gun Club

July 9^{th -} 13th US Open – Las Vegas/www.youthclayshooting.com (This is an Optional tournament)

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