

Head Coach's Last Name: _____



Iowa High School and Scholastic Clay Target ProgramSM CONSENT & WAIVER FORM



The **Scholastic Clay Target Program (SCTP[®])** is sponsored by the Scholastic Shooting Sports Foundation (SSSF) and independent manufacturers and retailers in the shooting, hunting and outdoor trade industry (collectively, SCTP Sponsors). Joining SSSF in the SCTP is the Iowa DNR, National Shooting Sports Foundation (NSSF[®]), the Amateur Trapshooting Association (ATA), the National Skeet Shooting Association (NSSA), the National Sporting Clays Association (NSCA) and USA Shooting (USAS) which may also include their affiliated state associations (collectively, Governing Bodies).

INSTRUCTIONS: Before you can participate in the SCTP, this Consent & Waiver must be completed, signed by you (and your parent/legal guardian if you are under the age of 18), and returned to your Head Coach to submit to Iowa DNR/SCTP Headquarters. **NEW CONSENT & WAIVER FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH SCTP SEASON.**

PLEASE READ THIS FORM CAREFULLY. AS IT IS A LEGAL DOCUMENT THAT CAN AFFECT YOUR RIGHTS – SEE BACK OF THIS FORM!

Did you participate last year? Yes No DNR Shooter Number # _____

Full Name: _____
(Please PRINT) (First) (Middle) (Last) (Optional - Nickname)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Current School Grade Level _____

Gender: Male / Female Birth date (mm/dd/yyyy): ____/____/____ School Attending: _____

Adult T-Shirt Size: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian E-mail address: _____

PLEASE NOTE: In addition to this form required for the Iowa state-wide league and state championship events, registration for the Scholastic Clay Target Program and SCTP State Championship events must be completed by the team's head coach via the online registration process at www.sssfonline.org.

COACHES: Make sure the appropriate division/category box is checked in which the member will be participating (Trap, Skeet, Sporting Clays, Olympic Trap or Int'l Skeet). Use the following **DEFINITIONS** to aid in determining the correct division/category for each discipline. The highest category in ANY SCTP discipline will be classified automatically in that same category in all disciplines for which they are registered.

ROOKIE DIVISION [Grades 5 and under ONLY]

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION [Grades 6–8 ONLY]

SENIOR DIVISION [Grades 9–12 ONLY]

CATEGORIES:

ENTRY LEVEL:

1st year participating in the Intermediate Division

ADVANCED:

After one year participating in the Intermediate Division

CATEGORIES:

JR. VARSITY

1st year participating in the Senior Division

VARSITY

After one year participating in the Senior Division

ROOKIE

INTERMEDIATE /Entry Level INTERMEDIATE /Advanced

SENIOR / Jr Varsity SENIOR / Varsity

* **SCTP Athletes:** IF member, provide numbers: ATA # _____ NSSA # _____ NSCA # _____ USAS # _____

Please fill in your
State Abbreviation:

Head Coach's Last Name:

(Parents: Please Read Carefully)

In exchange for and as a condition of being allowed to participate in the Iowa High School / SCTP, Athletes and Athlete's parent/legal guardian (if Athlete is a minor child) agree as follows:

1. Athlete acknowledges that the Iowa High School and SCTP features team competition in trap, skeet and sporting clays involving the use of firearms. Athlete further acknowledges that the Iowa High School and SCTP will emphasize safe firearm handling and shooting skills and provide for shooting competitions at the local, state and national levels.
2. Athlete understands that there are risks and dangers associated with the use of firearms, including serious bodily injury, death and property damage. Athlete agrees to assume all risks, inherent or otherwise, that may occur due to, arise out of or be in connection with Athlete's own participation, including without limitation the risk of serious bodily injury, death and property damage. Athlete further agrees to assume all risks, inherent or otherwise, that may occur due to, arise out of or be in connection with the participation of others in the SCTP, including without limitation other competitors; instructors/coaches; staff or volunteers of SSSF, SCTP Sponsors, Iowa DNR or the Governing Bodies; and audience members.

NOTE: Please be advised that it is not possible to list all of the activities and related risks that Athlete may encounter by participating in the SCTP. There may be risks that are not known to Athlete, or to other athletes of the Iowa High School/SCTP, including staff or volunteers of SSSF, SCTP Sponsors, Iowa DNR or the Governing Bodies, and may not be foreseen or reasonably foreseeable by anyone at this time or at the time of the activities in which Athlete participates. Athlete agrees to assume all risks of serious bodily injury, death and property damage, and all other risks of participation in the SCTP, whether or not described to Athlete. Athlete understands that there are risks and dangers associated with the use of firearms, including serious bodily injury, death and property damage. Athlete agrees to assume all risks of serious bodily injury, death and property damage that may occur due to, arising out of or in connection with Athlete's own participation or the participation of others in the SCTP.

3. Athlete further covenants not to sue and agrees to release, waive, and discharge the SSSF, Iowa DNR, SCTP Sponsors and the Governing Bodies, and each of their respective directors, officers, employees, agents or volunteers (collectively, "Released Parties"), from any and all claims, demands, actions, suits, proceedings, liabilities, damages, losses, judgments and expenses (including reasonable attorney's fees and costs) that Athlete may suffer, directly or indirectly, due to, arising out of or in connection with Athlete's own participation or conduct (negligent or otherwise) in the Iowa High School/SCTP or the conduct (negligent or otherwise) of other athletes in the SCTP, including without limitation, the conduct (negligent or otherwise) of the Released Parties.
4. To the fullest extent allowed by law, Athlete agrees to defend, indemnify and hold the SSSF, Iowa DNR, SCTP Sponsors and the Governing Bodies, and each of their respective directors, officers, employees, agents or volunteers, harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, suits, proceedings, liabilities, damages, losses, judgments and expenses (including reasonable attorney's fees and costs) by third parties (including Athlete's own family) for any bodily injury, death or property damage or other incident occurring due to, arising out of or in connection with Athlete's own participation or conduct (negligent or otherwise) in the Iowa High School/SCTP.
5. Medical Attention: Athlete gives his/her consent to SSSF, Iowa DNR, Sponsors, the Governing Bodies and the host organization of any SCTP event to provide, through a medical staff of its choice, customary medical/athletic training attention, transportation and emergency services as warranted in the course of my participation in Iowa High School/SCTP events.
6. Athlete grants to the NSSF, Iowa DNR, SCTP Sponsors and the Governing Bodies permission to reproduce, publish, distribute, or otherwise use in any reasonable manner Athlete's name, photograph, likeness and statements in connection with the promotion of the Iowa High School/SCTP, in all media, including, without limitation, the Internet, news articles, advertisements or other electronic or print materials. Athlete further covenants not to sue and agrees to waive, release and discharge the NSSF, Iowa DNR, SCTP Sponsors and the Governing Bodies, and all of their respective directors, officers, agents, employees and volunteers, from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, suits, proceedings, liabilities, damages, losses, judgments and expenses (including reasonable attorney's fees and costs) arising out of or in connection with the use of Athlete's name, photograph, likeness and statements, including, without limitation, any and all claims for invasion of privacy, publicity, defamation and/or portrayal in a false light, copyright infringement and any claims and/or demands for compensation or royalties.
7. Athlete's signature below indicates that Athlete has read and fully understands this entire Consent & Waiver, and that it shall be binding upon Athlete, his representatives, heirs, assigns and next of kin.

Parents/Legal Guardians

8. As the parent or legal guardian of the Athlete, a minor child, I affirm that I have the authority to act on behalf of the Athlete and, as such, do hereby give my consent for the Athlete to participate in the Iowa High School/SCTP. I declare that I have read and fully understand this entire Consent & Waiver, and that by signing below I agree that all of the provisions of this Consent & Waiver are equally binding upon me, my representatives, heirs, assigns and next of kin, as they are upon the Athlete.

Parent / Guardian Name: _____
(Please PRINT)

Address (if different than above): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Parents Email Address (2): _____
(Optional)

Parent or Legal Guardian's Signature

Date

Athlete's Signature

Date

***NOTE TO COACHES:** A completed copy of this Consent & Waiver Form for each team member must be in your possession prior to registering any athlete. You must **retain a copy** of the consent form and **mail the copy with the original signature** to Iowa DNR. No athlete will be considered a SCTP Member until their completed consent form is on file at the Iowa DNR/SCTP National Headquarters. Random spot checks with SCTP Coaches for document retention will be conducted regularly. Coaches must comply with information requests from headquarters. Failure to produce the required information will result in removal from the program.

It is YOUR responsibility to verify that the divisional information is correct. If you determine there is an error in the information you have submitted, contact Iowa DNR / SCTP Headquarters immediately! No corrections to an athlete's division will be considered once the SCTP State Championship Squad Entry Form has been submitted (per discipline). If it is determined that the divisional information is incorrect for a squadded athlete, the entire squad involved with the individual in question will be disqualified from participating in that discipline for the balance of the SCTP season.

ALWAYS fill in your Team State abbreviation & your last name at the top of every form being submitted.