POSITION TITLE: Assistant Instructor (Pistol, Archery, Rifle, Shotgun, Black Powder)

TIME COMMITMENT: Length of service is one year. Renewable. Program ranges from 8-100 hours/year.

LOCATION: Serve within the county/area.

TYPE OF POSITION: Volunteer assistant leader; no direct salary.

SUPERVISION: Shooting sports discipline instructor, coordinator and Extension professional in charge of 4-H (youth) programs.

GENERAL PURPOSE: Assist the discipline instructor in teaching the knowledge and skills related to a specific discipline to 4-H members, age 8-19.

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:
1. Stress shooting safety.
2. Coach members on proper shooting techniques as directed by the discipline instructor.
3. Attend shooting club meetings and activities.
4. Participate in all additional training programs the local shooting sports committee decides to include (i.e., Hunter Education, Red Cross First Aid, 4-H Leadership).
5. Help plan the yearly program.
6. Actively encourage and support members.
7. Encourage members to participate in other 4-H events and activities.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED:
1. Ability to work with youth.
2. Have an interest in shooting and some knowledge of shooting techniques.
3. Be familiar with 4-H objectives and philosophy and/or willing to learn about them.
4. Moral standards consistent with the 4-H philosophy.
5. Go through the NDSU Extension Service Child Protection Training.

SUPPORT TO BE PROVIDED:
1. 4-H shooting sports coordinator training workshop (14 hours minimum).
2. 4-H shooting sports curriculum handbook upon completion of the workshop.
3. Local volunteer training programs.

To apply, contact your local NDSU Extension Service county office.