



2015 Welcome Aboard

Mission Statement



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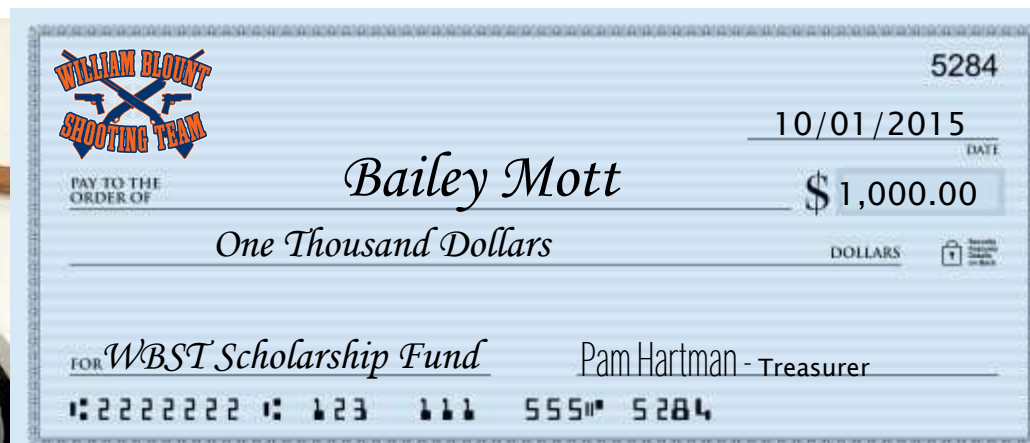
2015 Scholarship Awards



Mandy Marshall
Shotgun - Yr 7
Maryville College



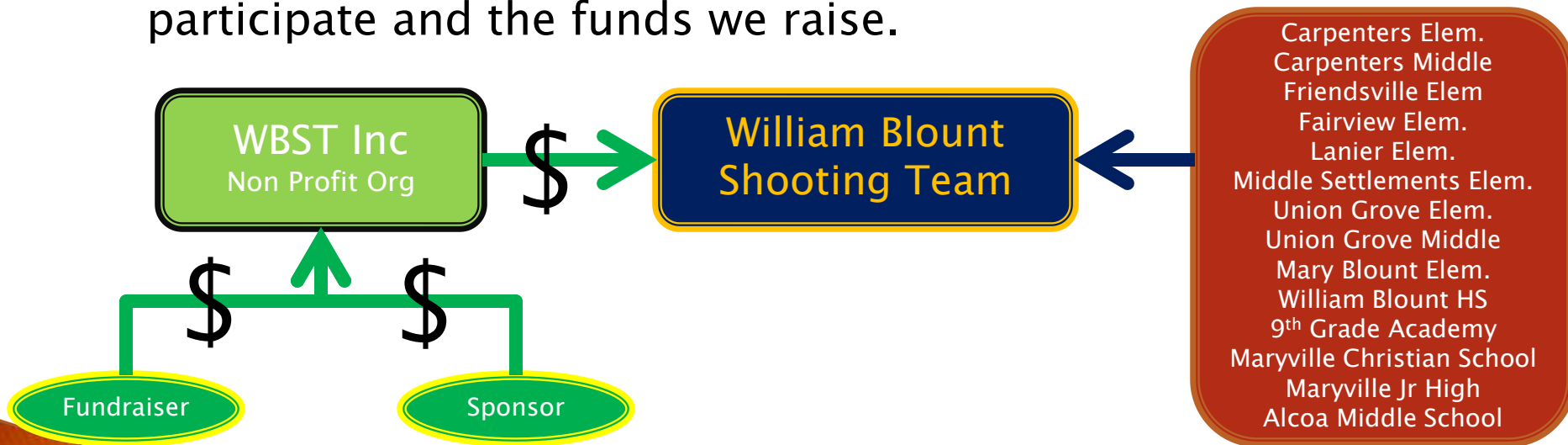
Bailey Mott
Pistol - Yr 2
Pellissippi State



Important Information Governance



- ▶ WBST has a five member board of directors which governs all team activities. We are an incorporated entity, hold a 501(c)(3) tax status and are a registered non profit charity with the state of Tennessee.
- ▶ This team is wholly funded from the fees that you pay to participate and the funds we raise.



Compensation



No members of our Board, or our Coaching staff are paid for their services.

We do this for many individual reasons, but as a whole we all feel very strongly that this is a sport which provides for equality among genders and fosters positive growth in your children. If your child lacks self confidence, self control, self esteem, or individual motivation, I think you will see a positive change in them this year.

Board of Directors



- ▶ President of the Board
 - Jim Hartman – Shotgun Team Head Coach
- ▶ Vice President
 - Bill Huskey
- ▶ Treasurer
 - Pam Hartman
- ▶ Secretary
 - Joyce Gurley
- ▶ Director
 - Paul Carrington – Pistol Team Head Coach

Board Members serve a 2 year term and must declare in April if they wish to continue. As this is an incorporated entity Board members all carry fiscal responsibility.

All Board meeting are public except the scholarship meeting.

Team Coaches



Team Manager – Pam Hartman

Shotgun Team

- ▶ Head Coach – Jim Hartman
- ▶ Coach – Jamie Hartman
- ▶ Coach – Jim Brabson
- ▶ Coach – Greg Hart
- ▶ Coach – Bill Huskey
- ▶ Coach – Danny Harbin
- ▶ Coach – Rodney Eades
- ▶ Coach – Freddy Chambers
- ▶ Coach – John Hipps

Pistol Team

- ▶ Head Coach – Paul Carrington
- ▶ Coach – Joyce Gurley
- ▶ Coach – Greg Hart
- ▶ Coach – Dave Mott
- ▶ Coach – Johnny Hanley
- ▶ Coach – Curtis Gurley
- ▶ Coach – Scott Isbell
- ▶ Coach – Mike Fields
- ▶ Coach – Robert McDaniel
- ▶ Coach – Diane McCutcheon
- ▶ Coach – Bryan Rowell

Coaching



- ▶ Coaching doesn't begin and end on the field. We encourage parents who wish to get involved. While you must attend an NRA approved Coaches Course to physically coach on the field, we are always in need of Parents to drive fund raisers, provide activity support and most of all to help us instill good practices in these young athletes.
- ▶ Parents interested in Coaching can see me after the sign up.

Important Information



- ▶ Website: www.wbshootingteam.org
- ▶ Email: wbshootingteam@yahoo.com
- ▶ Facebook: William Blount Shooting Team
- ▶ Google Group: Please provide contact info
- ▶ Questions about Team Paperwork contact Pam Hartman at 865-805-1809

Shotgun Team Information

Head Coach: Jim Hartman
Phone 865-856-5910
Email hartmanjlp@att.net
Shooting for fun
Competition Shooting
Skeet
Sporting Clays
Trap
No limit on athletes

Pistol Team Information

Head Coach: Paul Carrington
Phone 865-253-2821
Email pscarrington@gmail.com
Speed shooting at steel targets
Maximum number of athletes is
32



WILLIAM BLOUNT SHOOTING TEAM



Shooting Sports

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Home

Welcome to the home of the

William Blount Shooting Team

TNSCTP and SPP teams for the Blount County Schools.

Here you will find all the information about our team's activities, rules, requirements and accomplishments. There is a lot of information so look around. If something is missing, let us know!

Support Our Team ...

Sporting Clays Tournament
October 25, 2015
Smoky Mountain Sports Club

[Click here for details!](#)

[Click here to register.](#)

Sign-Ups

2015/2016 Registration

[Click here for details.](#)



TWF Video

Click [here](#) to watch a video from the Tennessee Wildlife Federation about our program. It provides information about boys and girls shooting trap, skeet and sporting clays. The Tennessee Scholastic Clay Target Program reaches approximately 2,000 youth annually, and has provided over \$70,000 in scholarships while also taking several hundred program youngsters hunting each year.

SPP Video

Click [here](#) to watch a video on the Basics to Scholastic Pistol Program Shooting. If you aren't already a Scholastic Pistol Program shooter, you may have wondered what that sport is all about. And if you are already a participant, you probably want to know how to improve your scores.

Hunter Education

Looking for a Hunter Education Course so you can join our team?
Visit the TWRA Hunter Education Classes page for information.



William Blount Shooting Team

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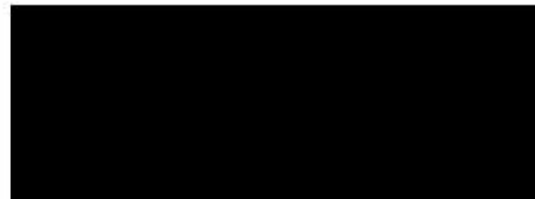
News Feed



William Blount Shooting Team

August 24 at 6:50am

Please see attached regarding the William Blount Shooting Team's Sporting Clays Fundraiser.



Calendar: Practice

Shotgun Team Practice
9/10/2015 5:00 PM

Shotgun Team Trap Practice
9/14/2015 5:00 PM

Shotgun Team Practice
9/17/2015 5:00 PM

Shotgun Team Trap Practice
9/21/2015 5:00 PM

Shotgun Team Practice
9/24/2015 5:00 PM

Shotgun Team Trap Practice
9/28/2015 5:00 PM

Shotgun Team Practice
10/1/2015 5:00 PM

Shotgun Team Trap Practice, 10/5/2015 5:00 PM

This website is your best source of information on:

- Team Activities
- Practice Schedules
- Rules & Regulations
- Cancellations
- Where to practice
- Fundraisers

Team Eligibility Requirements



- ▶ Must be at least nine (9) years old for Shotgun Team and twelve (12) years old for Pistol Team.
- ▶ Must be enrolled as a full-time student.
- ▶ Must complete and pass Hunter Education Class.
- ▶ Must complete all required forms and pay any associated fees.
- ▶ Must maintain at least a 2.0 grade point average.

Scholarship Eligibility Requirements



- ▶ Must be an active WBST shooter with the following:
 - Active enrollment in the team for two years.
 - Attendance to 70% of practices.
 - Attendance to 70% of the Teams competitions.
- ▶ Must be a high school graduate.
- ▶ Must demonstrate acceptance to a 2-year, 4-year, or technical college/university.
- ▶ Must have a 2.5 GPA or higher upon graduation.
- ▶ Must submit a complete Scholarship Application.
- ▶ Must provide an Essay (300 word minimum).
- ▶ A letter of personal recommendation.

Scholarship Funding



- ▶ The WBST Scholarship is funded 100% through our Midway USA Foundation Grant Program
- ▶ Throughout the year Midway provides WBST with items to assist in fundraising free of charge. We in return deposit ½ of the funds raised into our endowment account. Midway then matches the funds raised 1:1.
 - Example Raffle of Browning Silver Sport Shotgun
 - Shotgun donated by Midway USA
 - 500 Tickets sold at \$10 each
 - \$2500 – goes into the team general fund
 - \$2500 – goes to Midway, who matches and deposits \$5000 into our endowment fund.
- ▶ We may draw 5% of the value of this fund once per year.
- ▶ The Board determines at beginning of the year the number and value of the scholarships. Any remainder goes into the operating fund.

Equipment Needed



- ▶ A safe and serviceable firearm.
- ▶ Safety glasses meeting ANSI Z87.1 safety standard.
- ▶ Ear protection with a noise reduction rating of 29dB (NRR29).
- ▶ Closed toe shoes.

Uniforms / Team SWAG



Your child is required to purchase a uniform shirt and a cap to be worn at competitions.

This year we will set up an online ordering system so that you may purchase direct from the uniform provider!



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IT'S WHAT WE DO.

Required Training



- ▶ All WBST Team members must have **TN Hunter Safety**. This can be obtained a variety of ways, however you must register through the TWRA Website. There is a link on our homepage. If you register for the Oct 19th Class it will be taught by Mr. Tilley, who is one of our parents and has said that regardless of the TWRA roster he will get you into that class if you need it. Please place yourself on the TWRA wish list and let us know, we will coordinate with Mr. Tilley.
- ▶ Shotgun Team – All new shooters and all returning shooters who score 70% or lower must attend Shooting Fundamentals. This course will be held at the New Life Ministries Church of God on 411 on Sept 12. Class will run from 9am to noon.
- ▶ Pistol Team – Classroom exercise is required for all shooters. Coach Carrington will announce through the GoogleGroup tool the time and place. This training will take place in September.

Practices Pistol Team



- ▶ Are held on the second Sunday of every month from 1pm to 5pm beginning in October.
- ▶ Interim practices may be scheduled as opportunity is made available. We continuously seek opportunities to practice closer to home. To date we don't have a closer parent range.
- ▶ Practices are held at Oak Ridge Sportsmans Association located at 199 Hermitage Blvd. in Oak Ridge.

Practices Shotgun Team



- ▶ September 10th – returning shooters first practice
- ▶ September 12th – new shooters first practice

- ▶ After September 12th we practice on Monday and Thursday from 5PM to 7PM.

- ▶ Monday practices are held at the Blount County 911 Center located behind Newell–Rubbermaid at 1427 William Blount Drive in Maryville.

- ▶ Thursday practices are held at the Smoky Mountain Sportsman’s Club located at 4286 Miser Station Road in Louisville.

Competitions Pistol



- Virtual tournament times are submitted in April.
- Southeast Fall Regional's Oct 25th
- Tennessee State Match May 14
- Kentucky Bluegrass Sportsman's Tournament – TBD
- National Championships are held in July at the World Shooting Complex in Sparta, IL.

Competitions Shotgun



- ▶ Three (3) regional tournaments held in May.
 - ▶ Sporting Clays held at Lucky 7 Ranch in Sweetwater, TN.
 - ▶ Skeet held at ORSA in Oak Ridge, TN.
 - ▶ Trap held at Hog Heaven in White Pine, TN.
- ▶ State Championships are held in June at the Nashville Gun Club in Nashville, TN.
- ▶ National Championships are held in July at the World Shooting Complex in Sparta, IL.

High School Lettering Criteria



- ▶ Must remain in good standing as a member of the team throughout the full season.
- ▶ Must participate in given program for at least two (2) years.
- ▶ Must attend at least 70% of weekly practices.
- ▶ Must compete in a regional competition.
- ▶ Must maintain a 2.5 GPA.
- ▶ ***We awarded 8 Letters to WBHS Students last year!***

Costs



NRA Grant \$4,207.25
Alcoa Grant \$1000
Donations \$1215
Fundraisers \$4855

Total cost of the program

\$90,162.25

Total funds raised by team

\$11,274.25

Average Annual Cost Shotgun:

\$1,154.34

Average Annual Cost Pistol:

\$432.31

Fundraising



2014 Fundraisers

NRA Grant: We apply for this annually without guarantee
Alcoa Grant We apply for this annually with a \$1000 target
Fundraisers
Car Wash
Bake Sale
Pancake Breakfast
Raffles

We want to step this up a notch this year.....

2015 Fundraising Raffles



Winchester Model 70 Super Grade

THE WINCHESTER MODEL 70 SUPER GRADE. THIS FIREARM IS CHAMBERED IN A .280 REM AND ONLY 500 HAVE BEEN PRODUCED!



Firearm is in our possession and raffle begins tonight!

500 Tickets at \$10 each!

Drawing on Oct 25th

Fundraising Raffles



Berretta A300 Outlander
12 gauge Semi Automatic Shotgun



Shotgun will be available on Oct 25
Raffle Dates: Oct 25 - Jan 7
250 Tickets - \$10

Fundraising Raffles



Browning DIY Butcher Kit Master Packs

Each kit comes in a MidwayUSA Foundation roll-up case. Participants of this promotion will receive 10 [ten] Browning DIY Butcher Kits. Please return \$1,250 to your Team Endowment Account for this promotion. These funds will be matched through November 30, 2015.



Kits are in transit
Raffle Dates/Value
TBD

Fundraising Raffles



Ruger Mark III Target
.22 cal Semi Automatic
Customized by C&J Customs



Firearm is in our possession
Raffle Dates/Value -TBD



2015 Sporting Clays Tournament Show your support for Youth Shooting Sports in East Tennessee!

Held at the exclusive

Blackberry Farm Shooting Range!

Blackberry Farms Range - 4286 Miser Station Rd, Louisville TN 37777

Oct 25th - Flights at 10 & 2

100 Target Course across 12 stations!

Team Awards for 1st 2nd & 3rd place

Each competitor will receive a gift bag and a meal for their participation.

The Five Stand will be open for practice rounds

Only 24 - 5 gun teams will be allowed to participate

Individual registration
is \$100 per shooter.
We will pare you with a
team.

Team Sponsorship
to include 5 shooters
and a place for your
company logo on our
sponsor board -

Sponsor a Clay Station!
Consists of a sign
configured with your logo
at one of the 12 shooting

Applications for Individual Registration, Team and Station Sponsorship may be found at www.wbshootingteam.org or by calling 865-856-5910

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WBST is a Non-Profit 100% Volunteer Organization. All proceeds directly benefit our student athletes .

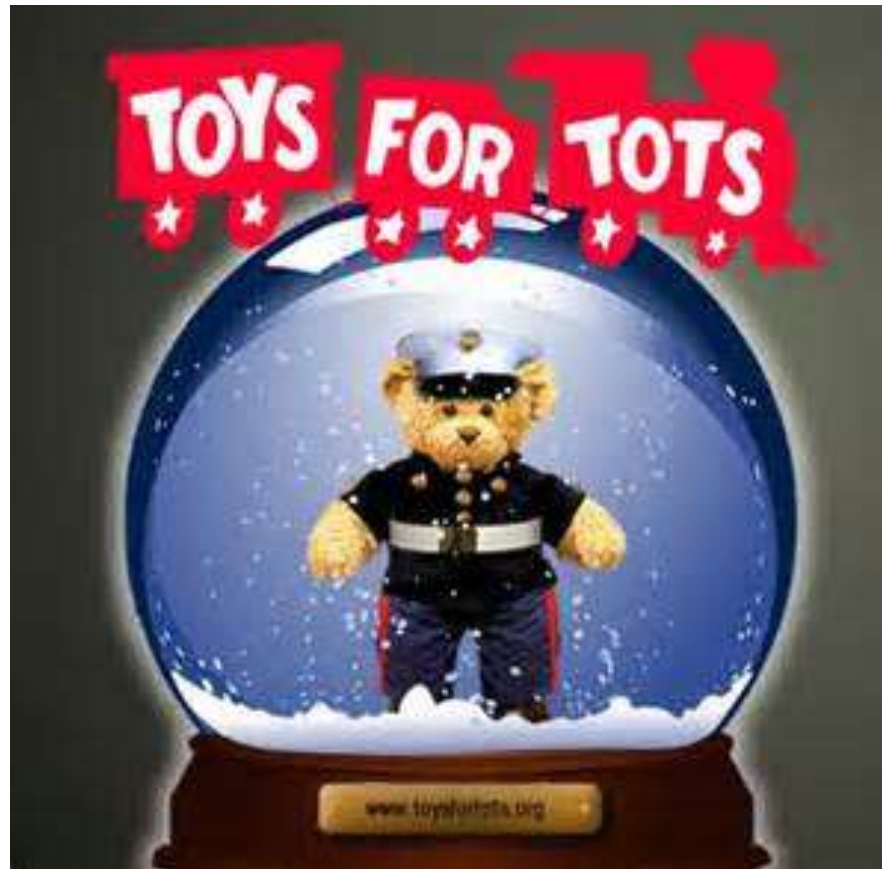
We have reached an agreement with Blackberry Farm!

If this is successful, it may eliminate the need to hold raffles and external fundraisers in the future!

Sponsors



Community Service



Team Building



2014 Christmas Parade Champions!



Questions



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