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**4-H SHOOTING SPORTS OVERALL CHAMPIONS NAMED**

Junior and Senior Grand Champion 4-H Shooter Awards were presented on Tuesday, July 16 at the Morgan County Fairgrounds in Brush.

During the Awards Presentation the grand champion overall shooters were announced. Chad Schilling and Saxson Keller were named the Grand Champion Overall Shooters for senior and junior divisions, respectively. Chad Schilling's senior plaque was sponsored by Engle Construction, Denny and Sandy Engle. Jon and Cheryl Flair, sponsored the junior award that was given to Saxson Keller. To qualify for awards, youth must shoot in a minimum of three divisions and complete a record book. Schilling competed in .22 Rifle, Air Rifle, .22 Pistol, Air Pistol, Shotgun, and muzzleloading. Keller competed in .22 Rifle, Air Rifle, Muzzleloading, and Shotgun.

Junior Reserve Grand Champion was Kaine Eicher, and Senior Reserve Grand Champion Shooter was Soul Keller.

During the awards presentation, Outstanding Participant awards were awarded to a youth within each of the disciplines. These youth were nominated by their peers for going above and beyond in the respective disciplines, being a leader for others, and showing good sportsmanship. The winners of these awards were .22 Rifle – Kaine Eicher; .22 Pistol – Shylynn Larrick; Air Pistol – Chad Schilling; Air Rifle – Sateen Keller; Archery – Cole Koch; Muzzleloading – Ben Werner; and Shotgun – Damon Lucero.

Youth are now preparing for the state competition which will be held over two different weekends during the Colorado State Fair.

Champions: Junior and Senior Overall Grand Champions and Reserve Grand Champions from the 2024 Morgan County Fair.

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