## Lahontan Valley Claybreakers (LVCB)

**Eligibility**: All <u>academically eligible</u> school-age boys and girls in Grades 4-12 with the physical, mental and emotional maturity to participate in a team sport are eligible to participate in LVCB.

**Academic Eligibility**: Team members must make satisfactory academic progress and be deemed eligible by school official of their home school for participation in the school's extra-curricular activities including school sports teams. A copy of report card must be turned in by the first scheduled practice, April 8th.

**Conduct**: All individuals REGISTERED with LVCB and those associated with the LVCB must comply with the conduct requirements in the Sportsmanship Contract. The Sportsmanship Contract must be signed and returned on Safety and Orientation Day, March 30th.

**Divisions**: These Divisions, determined by **School Grade Level**, are designed to allow participants to compete on a level playing field with one another. **GRADE LEVEL** in school, **NOT AGE**, is the criterion used to populate the Divisions.

ROOKIE DIVISION...... Grades 4-5, must be accompanied by adult at all practices INTERMEDIATE DIVISION......Grades 6-8
SENIOR DIVISION......Grades 9-12

**Categories**: In order to level the playing field even more, novice Athletes compete in a separate competitive grouping or Category from the more experienced Athletes.

## Rookie Division (Grades 4 and 5) **NO CATERGORIES IN ROOKIES DIVISION**

Intermediate Division Categories (Grades 6-8)

<u>Entry Level</u> – 1<sup>st</sup> year of participation in the Intermediate Division <u>Advanced</u> – After one year of participation in the Entry Division

Senior Division Categories (Grades 9-12)

<u>Junior Varsity</u> – 1<sup>st</sup> year of participation in the Senior Division

<u>Varsity</u> – After one year of participation in the Junior Varsity Division

**Registration:** All Divisions \$275.00

This includes ammo for all practices, safety

equipment, T-Shirt, hat, shooting bag and cost of shooting.

PITA Membership Dues (Pacific International Trapshooting Association, \$12.50)

**Guns:** No hammered or .410 gauge shotguns are allowed in this program.

**Ammunition:** This year we have been able to purchase ammunition for practice. Shooters will be issued a case at a time with parents signing for it and being responsible for handing out to their shooter. This ammo will be for practice only. Shooters will be responsible for their own ammunition for PITA shoots and CYSSA shoots. If you come to practice unprepared you will have to purchase ammunition from the Fallon Trap Club or not shoot.

**Practices:** Practices will be twice a week, starting April 8th Monday and Wednesday's after the safety meeting approximately at 5:30 p.m., a calendar has been provided. Please try to be at the trap club at 5:15 p.m. Come prepared to shoot with all your safety equipment, guns and ammo.

**Dress Code:** Team shirt and hat, denim, black or tan pants or shorts will be worn at all competitions. For questions contact your coach.

**Weather**: Call a coach about practice when weather is a question. Phone numbers will be provided to parents and posted on the LVCB bulletin board.

**E-Mail/Website:** Our quickest and cheapest means of communication is the use of internet e-mail. Please make sure you provide a legible email address that can be put in our database. Contact Pat Whitten <a href="whittenp@cccomm.net">whittenp@cccomm.net</a> for questions. Visit our website, <a href="claybreakers.com">claybreakers.com</a> for upcoming shoots and ongoing information.