Raiders Trap Shooters Dominate at Conference

Hudson Raider shooters dominated the Western Blue Division Trap Shooting Conference in 2018. The seven week conference pitted Hudson shooters against competitors from area teams including Osceola, Baldwin-Woodville, New Richmond-Somerset, Amery, River Falls and Prescott in weekly virtual shooting matches. Individual and divisional accolades were awarded for each of five divisions including Senior/Varsity, Senior/Junior Varsity, Intermediate/Advanced, Intermediate/Entry and Rookie.

In the Senior/Varsity division, the Raiders went 5-1, shooting an impressive 741/750 targets with many perfect scores of 25 posted throughout the conference shoots. Alex Giebler earned the top spot, hitting 160/175 clay targets and Jordan Persinger took second with 159/175 in the overall conference standings.

The Senior/JV division, led by Brandon Armstrong (153/175), was undefeated breaking 648/750 targets overall. Garrett Wood earned second place in the JV Division by breaking 146/175 targets.

In the Intermediate/Advanced Division, the Raiders were fourth in the conference with four wins and two losses, hitting 617/750 targets. However, the I/A Raider shooters swept the individual conference standings with Meghan Ford earning first place (149/150), Jack Jensen second (137/150) and Claire Diethert third (139/150).

The Intermediate/Entry Division, led by Peyton Johnson (145/150), was also undefeated, breaking 581/750 targets. Jackson Melloy earned second place in the I/E Division by breaking 140/150 targets.

The Rookie Division busted 334/750 targets and was the only rookie squad in the conference. This squad was led by Chase Johnson (114/150), Thomas Englund in second (98/150) and Noah Svoboda in third (74/150).

Caitlin Cravens of the Senior/JV division earned the title of high overall individual female shooter for the Western Blue Division Conference, shooting 162/175 birds.

JV shooters were undefeated with the top overall female shooter, and the first and second place shooters in their division. Pictured L-R is Brandon Armstrong, Caitlin Cravens and Garrett Wood.

Meghan Ford, first in the Intermediate/Advanced division, taking aim at a clay target