

Knox County Impact At-A-Glance



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Nebraska Extension creates opportunity through the Shooting Sports Apprentice role. Over 150 Knox County youth were influenced by Apprentice Leaders.

The Knox County Shooting Sports program is dedicated to youth leadership development opportunities, creating responsible, productive citizens. One way to enhance the program has been the Nebraska Shooting Sports Apprentice program. This program allows youth to attend training hours to become a certified Shooting Sports Apprentice Leader. Knox County has three youth serving in this role. When asked what has impacted him most in this role, Jake Schroeder said: “I love helping the younger shooters and seeing them improve. It is so fun to see them smile when all of their hard work pays off.”

Programs At-A-Glance

- Through Bazile Groundwater Management Area programming efforts 91% of landowners/operators are now aware of the health effects associated with high nitrate levels in drinking water.
- Building Better Babysitters prepares youth to provide safe and reliable care for children. 88% of participants feel comfortable babysitting a child themselves after the course.

74%

74% of youth were reached through Extension youth development programming.

131

Partnering with Knox County Economic Development, Connect the Dots reached 131 high school youth.

320

320 youth participated in the National Ag Innovators Experience at the Life on the Farm event.