



1. Name: Matt Bartel

2. State Affiliation: New Hampshire (NH)

- 3. Background/resume in the sport of shooting/marksmanship: Started as a junior smallbore shooter, continuing with the Naval Academy/NCAA. Spent the next 15 years shooting slightly larger guns (20mm) as a Navy FA-18 driver, returning to Service Rifle and Service Pistol as the Officer-in-Charge (OIC) of the Navy Marksmanship Team. Have always had a passion for teaching junior shooters, likely as a result of those great Americans who taught me how to shoot as a kid.
- 4. Awards or Accolades: 10-time All Navy Rifle and Pistol Champion, 2014 National Trophy Individual Rifle Champion, Winner of the Arleigh Burke, Wyatt and Nimitz Trophies at the National Championships.
- 5. Personal Information (married, children, hobbies, interests): Systems Engineer with BAE

 Systems, and enjoy working on a farm older than our country (1740). Married with 3 daughters

 (God's revenge on a misspent youth).

- **6. Reasons for Becoming a State Director:** Desire to return to the shooting sports a small portion of the discipline, pleasure and meditation that it has brought me.
- 7. Goals/Hopes for the Future of Junior Shooting in your State: Re-establish a strong feeder program for people committed to a lifetime of shooting enjoyment, whether it be competition or recreational shooting. Engage High School, College and adult shooting communities to foster an appreciation for marksmanship and a desire to share that experience with everyone they encounter.