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**Quincy High School Wins South Central Michigan Clay Target Championship
at Hillsdale College's Halter Shooting Sports Education Center**
Six area high schools competed for a shared trophy

Hillsdale, Mich. — Area high schools brought their best five shooters to the John Anthony Halter Shooting Sports and Education Center for a 100-target trap event on Saturday, June 5. Quincy High School took home the traveling trophy, beating Hillsdale High School by four targets. Camden took third place, taking their place on the podium for the first time.

“It was a tough competition this year,” said Bart Spieth, rangemaster. “Hillsdale College opens its shooting range to local high school teams for their regular practices. It was great to host the many high school shooters and their families.”

Around 300 community members attended the event. Thirty high-school shooters competed, five per team, representing Reading, Quincy, Hillsdale Academy, Will Carleton Academy, Camden, and Hillsdale schools. Teams paid a \$30 entry fee, which included a barbecue lunch from Hillsdale's Bon Appétit Management Company.

Additional team members divided into groups of three and filled their squad with two sponsors for another 100-target trap event. Scoring first in the Pro-AM with a score of 369 was Hillsdale Academy with the mixed student-and-adult group of Kahle Welden, Andy Welden, Scott Welden, Tony Wright, and Vincent Reagle shooting.

Cody Adams from Hillsdale High School was the top shooter with a 96/100. Championship high school team scores are as follows:

- Quincy High School – 425
- Hillsdale High School – 421
- Camden High School – 387
- Reading High School – 372
- Will Carleton Academy – 364
- Hillsdale Academy – 327

[Click here](#) to view photos from the event.

About the John Anthony Halter Shooting Sports Education Center

The John Anthony Halter Shooting Sports Education Center is a 113-acre state-of-the-art shooting facility located five miles from the Hillsdale College campus. Opened in 2008, the Center aims to introduce individuals to shooting sports and encourage interest across all levels of experience. To conduct its recreational mission, the Center features ranges for small arms, archery, and shotgun, including Michigan's only international bunker trap. The Halter Center also serves an educational purpose by promoting the principles of the Constitution and teaching beginner and experienced shooters in various classes. Home to Hillsdale College's collegiate shooting teams, the Halter Center is also a resource for the public through camps, conferences, and other programming. For more information, visit shootingsportshillsdale.edu.

About Hillsdale College

Hillsdale College is an independent liberal arts college located in southern Michigan. Founded in 1844, the College has built a national reputation through its classical liberal arts core curriculum and its principled refusal to accept federal or state taxpayer subsidies, even indirectly in the form of student grants or loans. It also conducts an outreach effort promoting civil and religious liberty, including a free monthly speech digest, *Imprimis*, with a circulation of more than 5.7 million. For more information, visit hillsdale.edu.

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