

Range Procedures and Rules 2017

- 1) Using your padlock code (stamped on back of membership card) open gate and put up Red Warning flag. Most members close gate behind them. Keep your membership card with you at all times.
- 2) Eye protection is mandatory for shooters and spectators on all rifle and handgun ranges.
- 3) Go directly to sign in shed and sign in with date and time, plus membership number. If you have guests even if they don't shoot, please sign them in and put \$10 for adults or \$2.00 for juniors in tin for guests insurance. If you have a guest (non-paying member) that is not going to shoot you still need to sign them in and pay.
- 4) Advance to the shooting Bay of your choice, if you are unsure what firearms are appropriate to shoot in each bay follow the rules below and at the sign in shack. Red/Green flag system. Red when firing (hot), Green when clear.

Shooting rules for each bay:

BAY 1- Cowboy Action Bay, this shooting area is specifically reserved for the Cowboy Action Group. Only Firearms that shoot PISTOL caliber and shotgun is allowed in this Bay. No magnum rounds on steel targets, except at special events or by previous approval.

BAY 2- Multipurpose Bay, all types and calibers of firearms are allowed in this Bay.

Bay 3- 100/200 Rifle Bay, be respectful this is a busy bay and shooting pistol, shotgun or 22 should not be shot in this bay. Shooters on ranges 100 meters or longer shall only use target holders erected by the range. Theses shall be placed at the backstop so that bullets will pass through the target and strike the backstop below midline. Do not fire at any targets directly on the ground. Bullets striking the ground will be deflected over side berms or backstop.

Bay 4-Multipurpose Bay with all firearms and calibers allowed.

Bay 5-22 Caliber Bay, rifle and pistol. Do not shoot center fire rifles/shotgun in this bay. Except at special events or by previous approval.

Bay 6-Handgun Bay, no shot gun or center fire rifle except rifle shooting pistol rounds in this bay. 22 calibers are allowed. No magnum rounds on steel targets. Except at special events or pervious approval.

Bay 7- Handgun Bay, no shotgun or center fired rifle except rifle shooting pistol rounds in this bay. No magnum rounds on steel targets. Except at special events or previous approval.

Bay 8-Shotgun Bay, no handgun or any rifle No larger than 7 ½ shot or single projectiles on the shotgun range. Except at special events or by previous approval.

- 5) You must supply your own targets at outdoor ranges. Use only paper targets and affix them to target stands/plywood. Place all paper targets BELOW the 2x4 target board support. Do not use bottles, cans, ammo boxes or garbage cans for targets and do not shoot objects on the ground.
- 6) The steel targets in bays 1, 5, 6&7 are for 22 rifle and handgun only. Do not shoot steel closer than 10 meters and do not move steel targets to another bay. Do not shoot steel targets with high caliber handgun rounds like 357mag, 44 mag or 50 cal. If you notice that your rounds dent or make holes in the steel stop shooting them and remove from range for repairs.
- 7) Do not shoot rifle on the Shotgun range.
- 8) No larger than 7 ½ shot or single projectiles on the shotgun range.
- 9) Clean up after yourselves, **Pick up or sweep up your empties. Please place brass in catch buckets. Please put non-brass empties in the trash cans. Do not sweep them out in front** take your used targets, brass, shotgun husks home with you. If you see members behaving improperly- stop them.
- 10) If you see non members accessing the range ask them to leave, they are trespassing and our range is a private members only facility.
- 11) Due to existing fire regulations, smoking is allowed on roads only or designated areas.

Range Rules

- 1) All Federal, Provincial and Municipal Laws and Regulations must be followed while on range property.
- 2) All shooters as well as spectators within close proximity to the firing line must wear ear and eye protection at all times.
- 3) Never allow horseplay, careless handling of firearms or any distraction while shooting is in progress.
- 4) Ranges are for use by members and invited guests only. Members shall be responsible for ensuring that their guests are aware of the range rules and supervise their actions.
- 5) Shooters on ranges 2,3&4 shall only use target holders erected by the range. These shall be placed at the backstop so that bullets will pass through the target and strike the backstop below midline.

- 6) Use only paper targets and affix them to target stands/plywood. Place all paper targets BELOW the 2x4 target board support. Do not use bottles, cans, ammo boxes or garbage cans for targets and do not shoot objects on the ground. THERE ARE MANY APPROVED TARGET STANDS AVAILABLE USE THEM ONLY
- 7) When more than one member is on the range, appoint a range officer. The range officer shall give the commands to "commence fire" and "cease fire". The range officer shall also be responsible for ensuring firearms are unloaded during a cease fire and that no firearms are handled while any person is down range.
- 8) Firearms are to be unloaded and completely clear of all ammunition coming to and from the firing line. All firearms placed on the firing line bench shall have actions open until ready to fire. No shooter shall handle a firearm during a cease fire or while others are down range. Keep the action of the firearm open at all times except when actually shooting.
- 9) Any firearms requiring maintenance shall be removed from the firing line to a designated safe area.
- 10) Keep the muzzle direction down range at all times and under your control.
- 11) No person impaired by alcohol or drugs shall be permitted to handle or discharge firearms on the range property.

PLASTIC BARRELS ARE NOT TO BE USED AS TARGET

HOLDERS, TARGET STANDS OR TARGETS !!!!!!!!!!

Target stands and metal targets are not to be moved from bay to bay

Pick up and clean up your empties and/or target debris. Leave the range cleaner than when you arrived. Show everyone you are proud of your shooting facility!

