

## General Rules and Range Rules

- a. **All shooters** (including club members) must report to the Office of Sport office on arrival, sign-in and pay fees. You must present your current Firearms Licence when signing-in.
- b. **All Range Officers** (including club members) must report to the Office of Sport office on arrival and present their current Firearms Licence when signing-in.
- c. **All other entrants, including visitors and trades persons**, must report to the Office of Sport office on arrival and present their current and approved form of photo ID (e.g. drivers licence) when signing-in.
- d. By signing-in your proof of identity documents will be scanned and collected for the purposes of complying with law enforcement requirements. Information will be held in accordance with the national and the NSW legislation *Privacy Act 1988*.
- e. All shooters must be under the supervision of a non-shooting Range Officer licenced for firearms in use and endorsed with Target Shooting for that category.
- f. All persons must obey the instructions and directions of Shooting Complex staff or Range Officers.
- g. Children must always be accompanied and be under the direct supervision of a responsible adult at all times when on-site.
- h. Anyone considered to be affected by alcohol or drugs will not be permitted on the range.
- i. No person may enter or leave the Complex with a loaded firearm.
- j. No person may handle a firearm while on site, unless they hold a current and appropriate category of Firearms Licence or have completed a P650 declaration and are under the supervision of a Shooting Complex staff member or an approved Club Range Officer and have signed-in appropriately.
- k. No visitor may go beyond the spectator safety barrier unless authorised by the Range Supervisor on duty.
- l. All potentially hazardous situations must be reported immediately to the Range Officer or Shooting Complex staff.
- m. Shooters and visitors should familiarise themselves with the location of the First Aid equipment and evacuation procedures.

## Range Rules

- a. The red flag must be flying at the gate and on the stop butt during shooting.
- b. Only approved calibres and loads may be used on the range in accordance with the NSW Firearms Registry Shooting Range Approval. Any queries regarding approved calibres and loads should be referred to Range Officers.
- c. Only approved matches and appropriate targets may be used in accordance with the Firearms Registry range licence.
- d. No firearm may be loaded until the Shooter is in place at the firing line and directed to do so by a Range Officer.
- e. At all times, while loaded, the firearm shall point down range.
- f. At all times, while loaded, the firearm shall be under the control of the user.
- g. When not at the firing line, the firearm must be unloaded at all times.
- h. At the completion of shooting, the firearm must be immediately unloaded.
- i. Before firearms are removed from the firing line they must be cleared by a Range Officer
- j. No person may touch a firearm belonging to another person without that person's express permission and must be appropriately licensed.
- k. No person on the firing line shall touch a firearm (or any part of a firearm) whilst any other person is forward of the firing line.
- l. All personal belongings must be stored away from the firing line.
- m. All malfunctions must be reported immediately to the Range Officer. Dropped and misfired rounds are to be disposed of in the yellow marked hazard bins.
- n. Hearing protection must be worn while shooting is in progress on all ranges.
- o. Eye protection must be worn when shooting handguns (excepting air pistols).
- n. Covered footwear must be worn on the ranges whilst shooting is in progress.
- o. All wildlife is protected and cannot be injured in anyway. Any wildlife within the Range Area must be reported to the Complex staff for appropriate removal and re-location.
- p. Smoking is prohibited within the Complex unless it is done in the "designated smoking areas as signposted".
- q. Domestic animals are prohibited anywhere within the grounds of the Complex.
- r. Overnight storage of firearms and ammunition anywhere at the Complex is prohibited unless approved by NSW Police and the Secretary of the Department of Planning and Environment as part of an approved special event and confirmed by the Office of Sport.
- s. Camping or staying overnight anywhere at the Complex is prohibited, unless approved by the Secretary of the Department of Planning and Environment as part of an approved special event and confirmed by the Office of Sport.
- t. During the fire season, the range is closed on days declared Severe, Extreme or Catastrophic Fire Danger as defined by the Rural Fire Service. The Complex Manager may close the range if these conditions are forecast or at any other time determined as unsafe.

## Rifle Rules

- a. All rifles must be cased unless on the firing line or in an approved rack. There is to be no handling of firearms behind the firing line or benches on the firing line. This includes:
  - Preparation of the firearm
  - Putting on cheek pieces
  - Adjusting the stock
  - Putting the firearm together
  - Putting on sights
  - Adjusting the firearms between stages
  - Cleaning firearmsAll of these actions are to take place at the firing line and ONLY when the lights are RED.
- b. Any cases containing rifles must be secured in a vehicle or be at the firing line with the shooter or secured to the bench with a safety cable to prevent theft. If you do not have a safety cable, please secure additional firearms in a vehicle.
- c. Rifle racks can only be used by Clubs in a designated area approved by the Range Supervisor, If rifle racks are used, all rifles must be cleared, chamber flags inserted and magazines removed.
- d. All firearms are to be cleared and safety flags inserted before going forward to change targets.
- e. Whilst target changes are taking place all shooters are to remain behind the designated red line.
- f. All shooters are to remain behind the red line until the range has been cleared by the Range Officer and the **RED LIGHT** is turned back on again
- g. **RED LIGHT** indicates that there is danger and the range is in use.
- h. **GREEN FLASHING LIGHT** indicates the range is safe and shooters may go forward and change targets. Those shooters not changing targets must return behind the red line.

## Pistol Rules

- a. Pistols must be taken to the firing line in a bag, case or box.
- b. Any cases that contain a pistol or pistols must be in the bay with you, or secured to the range bench with a safety cable to prevent theft. If you do not have a safety cable, please secure additional firearms in a vehicle.
- c. Cleaning of pistols can be done in the designated safety area.
- d. Shooters may only draw from the holster if they have a current holster accreditation card approved in the rules for the match they are competing in.
- e. Holstered firearms may not be worn off the firing line, unless it's during an open competition event.
- f. No loaded magazines are permitted on belts whilst in the carpark.

## Post Shoot Procedures

- a. Collect spent cartridges, brass, and targets and any other rubbish and place in the marked recycling or rubbish bins.
- b. Miss fired rounds are to be placed in the red bins and NOT in general rubbish bins.

## Additional

In addition, the following activities are strictly prohibited within the Venue without prior written permission from Venue Management:

- The collection of money;
- The sale or hire of any goods or services;
- Conducting amusements, entertainment, venue tours, personal training or performances;
- Participation in, or organisation of, any protest, march, demonstration or public meeting;
- The display or distribution of any advertising or political material;
- Commercial filming (whether cinematic or video) or photography, including drones;
- The erection of any structures such as marquees, awnings etc;
- The distribution or use of balloons or stickers;
- To erect, place or affix any banners or signage within the Venue or on any Venue infrastructure;
- The use of any public address system including a hand-held megaphone;
- Teaching any person how to drive a car or ride a motorcycle;
- The operation of motorised model aircrafts, boats or cars; and
- Conducting any kind of survey of visitors to the Venue.

## SPEED LIMITS

- The speed limit for all motor vehicles is 20kph.

## MOTORISTS

Motor vehicles at the Venue:

- Must remain on designated roads and be driven in accordance with all signs;
- Must be parked in designated parking areas in accordance with signs, not on any other areas including any grassed areas, unless directed by a Venue authorised person.