

Indoor Range Rules

Follow The Four Vital Acts of Firearm Safety

- Assume every firearm is loaded.
- Control the muzzle direction at all times.
- Trigger finger must be kept off the trigger and out of the trigger guard.
- See that the firearm is unloaded - **PROVE** it safe.

P.R.O.V.E. It Safe

- Point the firearm in the safest available direction.
- Remove all cartridges.
- Observe the chamber.
- Verify the feeding path.
- Examine the bore.

A. Range Operation & Safety Rules

1. Range Officer

- When more than one shooter is on the firing line a Range Officer must be designated.
- The first Member to arrive is deemed to be the Acting Range Officer. This may be handed over to another TGC member at any time
- A Range Officer as designated by these rules, shall enforce these Range Rules.

2. Range is Active (Hot or Live). - TARGET LIGHTS ON, ALLEY LIGHTS OFF

- Do not go forward of the firing line.
- Shooting may commence.
- Guns may be cased/uncased ONLY while the range is ACTIVE.

3. Range is no Longer Active (Safe or Cease Fire) - TARGET LIGHTS OFF, ALLEY LIGHTS ON

- Do not handle firearms.
- Guns left on benches during cease fire must be P.R.O.V.E.'d safe and actions open.
- Safe to go forward of the firing line.
- Magazines may be charged during Cease Fire if firearms are not handled.
- It is every shooter's responsibility to know what is going on around them and to ensure all others on the line know as well. Always double check and confirm that EVERYONE is prepared for firing to commence or for a Cease Fire.

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B. General Range Rules

1. Members and Guests must sign into the guest book upon arrival. A guest can only be a guest 3 times, after which they must become a member.
2. Membership cards must be visible or available while on the range and must be produced to a club representative upon request.
3. Children under 12 must be directly supervised by a responsible adult while on the property.
4. When carrying, all guns must have actions open and barrels down or barrels up.
5. Eye and Ear Protection are mandatory. **“EYES and EARS”**
6. Always keep the firearm unloaded until ready to shoot.
7. Make sure downrange is clear prior to shooting activities.
8. Ensure the firearm is in sound condition and safe to use. Confirm the correct ammunition to match the calibre of firearm being used.
9. Familiarize yourself with the functions and actions of your firearm during safe DRY practice at home prior to bringing it to the range.
10. Never use alcohol or drugs before or while shooting.
11. Unattended firearms should not be accessible to unauthorised persons.
12. Allowable rifle calibers .17 .22 rimfire rifles only.
13. Allowable handguns calibres, rimfire, Mid range center fire handgun loads. **No magnum loads, No steel jacket, No steel core.**
14. **Never** handle firearms when anyone is forward of the firing line.
15. Targets are to be hung below the red line with staples or tacks only.
16. Load and unload your firearm at your shooting station only.
17. Only approved paper targets are allowed.
18. Everyone must manage your brass and remove your used targets. Leave your shooting station/ range cleaner than you found it!
19. The last user to leave must ensure the lights and heat are turned off and the building is locked and made secure.
20. **Please clean up after yourself and leave all ranges cleaner than when you arrived!**
21. **It is your responsibility to keep our ranges in good condition.**
22. **Safety is the first rule in this range and REMEMBER: SAFETY FIRST, so we can all enjoy the range for a long time.**