Four Point Rod & Gun Club: Pistol and Rifle Range Rules

The Board of Directors have established these Rules to promote the safe and responsible use of firearms on the Four Point Rod and Gun Club Pistol and Rifle Range. Safety, courtesy, and respect are expected from all. It is the responsibility of the Member to be familiar with and comply with the Rules. Directors, Range Safety Officers, and other authorized persons reserve the right to prevent any activity which they consider to be unsafe, unreasonable, or detrimental to the club. The Board reserves the right to interpret the Rules.

General

- 1. The range is strictly for the use by members and their supervised guests.
- 2. All members must be range certified and credentialed prior to using the range.
- 3. Members must display their credentials while on the range. Credentials must be visible and presented to any other member upon request.
- 4. All members must sign-in upon entering the range and record their number of guests.
- 5. Hours of operation are from 10:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. or sunset, whichever comes first.
- 6. A "Quiet Time' is reserved for Saturdays between 10:00 a.m. and Noon. All shooting during the "Quiet Time" is restricted to rimfire firearms no larger than .22 caliber.
- 7. Members are responsible to pick-up the area when finished. This includes cleaning up debris, collecting spent brass, and taking down targets.
- 8. No person may modify property without Board approval
- 9. No person may damage club property. Members shall report damage to the board or range officers as soon as possible.
- 10. Pets are not permitted on the range.

Safety

- 1. Members must always operate their firearms in a safe, competent, and responsible manner.
- 2. Eye and ear protection must be worn by all persons on the range.
- 3. Firearms must be in an unloaded condition when brought onto the range.
- 4. Muzzles must always be pointed in a safe direction.
- 5. Firearms are to be loaded and unloaded at the shooting benches only. Drawing from a holster, pocket, belt, vest, or otherwise is prohibited.
- 6. Members are responsible for every shot they take; Members must be certain of their target and backstop. Shots that fail to hit the target or backstop are evidence of failure to control a firearm in a safe, competent, and/or responsible manner.
- 7. All shooting must be from a stationary position at the firing line at a target positioned for that particular station.
- 8. Members may shoot offhand from any station. Shooting from the prone position is only permitted when using the prone bench attachment.
- 9. Automatic, "Bump Fire", "Slide Fire", hip, or unconventional shooting is prohibited
- 10. The leftmost two rifle bays are for targets placed at 50 yards only. The center two bays are for targets placed at 100 yards only, and the rightmost bay is for targets placed at 200 yards only.
- 11. Any shooter may call a "Cease Fire" and all shooters must comply immediately.
- 12. A "Cease Fire" requires all shooters to immediately cease fire, open the action of their firearm, place the firearm on the bench pointed down range and exit the "Red Zone". Handling of firearms anywhere on the range during a "Cease Fire" is prohibited.
- 13. Prior to any person going beyond the firing line for any reason the "All Clear" signaling device must be engaged. Members must verify that all shooters have acknowledged an "All

Clear". An "All Clear" requires all shooters to immediately cease fire, open the action of their firearm, remove all ammunition from the chamber, remove any magazine, and place the firearm on the bench pointed down range and exit the "Red Zone". Handling of firearms anywhere on the range during an "All Clear" is prohibited.

14. No person under the influence of drugs or alcohol is allowed at the range.

Firearms and Ammunition

- 1. All firearms and ammunition must comply with Federal, State, and local laws.
- 2. All ammunition must be of common lead and/or copper construction. Prohibited use ammunition includes but is not limited to: armor piercing ammunition, tracer or incendiary ammunition, rubber, plastic or polymer projectiles, or any other "special" use ammunition. Board authorization is required to use any other ammunition.
- 3. Only single projectile ammunition may be used on the rifle side. Shot shells are not permitted.
- 4. Shotguns may not be used at the 7-yard target positions on the pistol side.
- 5. All firearms and ammunition must be safe and in good working order. The test firing and/or the use of questionable firearms or ammunition is prohibited.
- 6. "Duds" may be deposited in the "Dud" box. Never deposit duds in the Brass Buckets.

Targets

- 1. Shooters may use Only Paper or Cardboard targets. The use of any other targets or materials on the range must be pre-approved by the Board.
- 2. The use of photographs or likenesses of public figures as targets is prohibited.
- 3. Target stands and holders are provided at the range. Use only the provided stands and holders, as they are designed to hold targets in the appropriate positions.
- 4. Do not alter or damage target stands or holders.
- 5. Targets must be centered on the stand. Multiple targets may be hung vertically only.

Emergency Response

- 1. In the event of a medical emergency call 9-1-1.
- 2. Notify club personnel as soon as practical.
- 3. If any dangerous condition exists, leave the range immediately and notify club personnel or emergency agencies as appropriate.

9-1-1 Information: Four Point Rod and Gun Club

4400 Union Street

Town of Chili (Between North Road and the Thruway)

(585) 889-4708

Guest Policy

- Members may have one (1) or two (2) guest shooters at any one time.
- A range fee of \$5 per guest shooter per day is payable prior to shooting.
- Members and their guests are entitled to one shooting station at a time. They may use
 more than one station but must relinquish additional stations when requested by another
 member.
- Members are responsible for the conduct, safe and responsible handling of firearms, and compliance with club and range rules of their guests.

Consideration for Concealed Carry

The club respects the right of permitted handgun owners to lawfully carry concealed handguns at the range. The club also considers the safety of its members as one of its highest priorities. Therefore, concealed carried handguns are welcome but must remain holstered on the range. There shall be no drawing or holstering of handguns on the range. Members intending to shoot a carried handgun must unload the handgun outside the range and bring it onto the range unholstered. An unloading and loading station in the parking lot is available for drawing and unloading, and loading and holstering.

It is the responsibility of the Member to be familiar with and comply with the Rules and directions of Club personnel. The safe and enjoyable use of this range depends on the responsible actions of our members.

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