

Sportsmen's Club of Clifton Park  
200 YARD RIFLE RANGE RULES

The following rules apply to all users of the 200 yard range. These rules are meant to enhance health and safety of range users, range supervisors and persons nearby.

Rules:

1. Allowed firearms: rifles, muzzle loaders, hand guns and shotguns. Shotguns may only be used with slugs...birdshot and buckshot is not allowed.
2. No targets are allowed to be placed short of the 50 yard berm.
3. Minimum shooting distance is 50 yards...nothing closer.
4. There is no shooting forward of the firing line/shooting benches.
5. Eye and hearing protection is required and mandatory.
6. Before anyone may go forward of the firing line, all firearms must be cleared, actions open, removed from the bench and racked. No handling of firearms when anyone is forward of the firing line.
7. Walking down range shooting is strictly prohibited. There is no shooting outside the building except during an authorized and supervised shoot such as the Civilian Marksmanship Program.
8. Turn on the red safety light when anyone is down range.
9. Only authorized target frames are allowed made of wood to club specifications.
10. Target bulls eyes must be 5 ½ feet above the ground to insure impact on the backstop. No exceptions.
11. Always point the muzzle of a firearm in a safe direction.
12. Keep your finger off the trigger until ready and safe to fire
13. Firearms must be unloaded until ready to shoot.
14. Know how to use your gun safely.
15. Use only the correct ammunition for your gun.
16. Never use alcohol or drugs before or while shooting.
17. Store guns so they are not accessible to unauthorized persons.
18. No shooting before 9:00 AM, all shooting must end before dusk.
19. Only paper and cardboard targets are allowed.
20. Do Not Use Targets that extend beyond the outside dimensions of the target frame or below the center cross member.

Violation of these rules should be reported to the club officers or board of directors. Violators may be dismissed from the club.

These rules are reviewed annually by the range committee chairman. Any suggestions or recommendations to make our club safer should be directed to the rifle committee chairman or any member of the club management team.

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