

CLUB RANGE RULES AND REGULATION

GENERAL: The rules and Regulations given herein are to be considered as part and parcel to the foregoing Bylaws and the application of specifics to the operation of the ranges. They may be amended, added to, or deleted at any time consistent with safety.

PURPOSE: The purpose of the Rules and Regulations, pertaining to the Club range property of M.D.R.C, Inc. is set forth, in writing, in a clear and concise form, an accepted regulatory guide and a restrictive measure for the sale and controlled operation of the Club range and its facilities. These regulations are generally intended for the protection of property, safety of humans, protection of fish and wildlife, control of activities, trespass, and in particular the operation and maintenance of an outdoor Sportsman's Range in accordance with a Sportsman's Ideal and Creed.

ADMINISTRATION: The distribution of these Rules and Regulations shall be included with the membership card, together with other papers, delivered to all new members. It shall be the duty of all members to familiarize themselves with the Regulations, to follow them, and to encourage strict compliance by others. Copies of the Regulations shall be posted at several strategic points on the Club range property.

ENFORCEMENT:

A. Each member shall have the right to enforce the Regulations on any other member, group of members, visitors, and non-members while on the Club range property.

B. Each person shall have the right to reprimand, point out, and discuss the Regulations with any person who, according to his own interpretation, is an alleged violator of the rules and Regulations while on Club range property.

C. Each member shall have the right to cite any violation of Regulations by any person on Club range property.

D. After citing of violations and the refusal to comply with the regulations by an alleged violator. A member shall have the right to report the member or persons either orally or written to the officers or to the Board of Directors of the Club.

PENALTIES:

A. In the case of a reported violation involving members, the Board of Directors, after an equitable hearing, act in accordance with the Bylaws, Article No. 2, Section 9, which deals with the suspension of members.

B. In the case of violation by non-Members, the Board of Directors may proceed by Civil Action according to law.

C. In the case of willful destruction or damage of material, equipment or property, the Board of Directors may take such action as is necessary, either by demand or civil suit, to recover losses sustained.

D. The names of violators and the nature of the violation shall be read and made known to all Club members at any General Assembly of the Club.

GENERAL:

1. The Club range and grounds shall be considered OPEN every day of the week, including Saturday and Sunday, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., except for certain schedules of events restricting use of ranges, and with outdoor ranges **being restricted** to use during daylight only, using Artificial light only when provided by the Club. **RANGE WILL BE CLOSED TO GENERAL USE DURING ANY SCHEDULED MATCH.**

2. The drinking of intoxicants, or use of any consciousness altering drugs on the range is **PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES.**

3. Members must **have on their** person the **current years** membership card when on Club property.

4. Boisterous and overt acts are prohibited at all times.

5. Members are permitted to bring guests, but guests and nonmembers must, at all times, be accompanied by a Club member who shall be responsible for their guests conduct.

6. No member has the right to give to non-members or any other persons, the permission to visit or use range facilities without accompanying the non-member or persons.

7. The training of dogs on the Club range in legal training season is permitted, but dogs must be under the supervision of the owner at all times. (Remove number 7 completely)

8. The buildings and equipment on Club range property are to be kept under lock and key when not in use.

9. It shall be the duty of any Club member using the facilities to return the equipment to the storage place and to restore the building to a locked position.

10. It is the duty of any Club member, who is the last to leave Club range property, to inspect and insure that all equipment is placed in storage and all buildings are locked.

11. The setting of fires, burning of rubbish, etc., at other than designated times and places is prohibited.

12. The starting of brush and field fires is prohibited.

SHOOTING RANGES:

13. No firearm of any description may be carried, left standing, or left unattended, which is loaded or has the action in a CLOSED position. No firearm shall be loaded except at the firing point. (change to – No rifle or shotgun of any description may be carried, left standing or unattended, which is loaded or has the action in a closed position. No firearm shall be loaded except at the firing point. Exceptions to this rule would be MDRC members with a lawful concealed carry permit, law enforcement officers or a certified MDRC-IDPA members during practice.)
14. Firearms or arrows must be discharged on the designated ranges only.
15. Firearms or arrows must be discharged in the designated direction of fire only, pernicious or careless shooting or plinking in any other directions absolutely prohibited.
16. Firearms in unsafe or poor condition not permitted on Club range property.
17. Shooters must notify all other shooters by audible signal when about to change targets, and must not step beyond the firing line until it is clear and safe.
18. Shooting at objects such as cans, bottles, trees, buildings, target frames etc. anywhere on range property is absolutely prohibited.
19. High power rifles are prohibited on the pistol ranges.
20. Incendiary military ammunition absolutely prohibited.
21. Any member attending the range and having the accompaniment of minors or persons under the age of 18, must remain with the children, minors or persons under the age of 18 at all times and be directly responsible and supervise all their actions and activities if such minors have in their possession any firearms or bows and arrows.
22. Shooting at buildings, equipment or match props is absolutely prohibited.
23. Shooting into water is prohibited.
24. No objects, cans, etc., are permitted to be placed on any ranges, suspended from trees, wires, target racks, or any other place. Use of glass objects or steel plates as targets is absolutely prohibited. Steel targets approved by a national organization for which the specific matches are sanctioned will be exempted from this rule.
25. Firearms must be left in place at the point of firing at targets. The carrying of firearms to and from targets is prohibited.
26. Range officer has control of the range at all times and instructions from the range officer must be obeyed. All Board of Directors are to be considered range officers and may act in that capacity when on Club range grounds.

SPRINGS AND WATERWAYS;

THE FOLLOWING IS PROHIBITED;

1. Shooting into water.
2. Throwing objects, rubbish, or foreign matter into water.
3. Removal of plant life from water.
4. Shooting and destruction of frogs.
5. The blocking or damming up of waterways.
6. ALL SHOOTERS ON THE FIRING LINE MUST BE NOTIFIED AND MUST CEASE FIRING AND OPEN BOLTS BEFORE ANYONE IS PERMITTED TO TARGET AREA.

RIFLE RANGE: Rifles only which include center-fire, rim-fire and muzzle-loader. Absolutely no pistols or shotguns. Paper targets only. No glass, tin cans, or clay birds. Do not carry rifles to and from targets. Bolts open when not shooting. **POLICE THE RANGE WHEN FINISHED SHOOTING . PICK UP ALL YOUR BRASS, TARGETS etc, AND TAKE THEM WITH YOU.**

TRAP RANGE; Low brass loads only, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9 shot only. Shoot from designated positions behind trap house only. Shooters using trap house have precedent over those using hand traps. Close doors on trap when finished. Actions open if not your turn to shoot. Gun must be empty when another person is shooting. Do not load gun then stand around waiting to shoot. **POLICE THE RANGE WHEN FINISHED SHOOTING . PICK UP ALL YOUR EMPTY HULLS, TARGETS etc, AND TAKE THEM WITH YOU.**

PISTOL RANGE; Pistols only which include revolvers, rim-fire, center-fire or muzzle-loading. Absolutely no rifles or shotguns. PAPER or CARDBOARD targets only. Return target frames to the shed when finished shooting or, if you are using your own frames, take them with you. Actions open when not shooting. Absolutely no fast draw or holster play unless you are a certified IDPA member practicing under the rules of the national organization or law enforcement officer and while doing so, you shall follow the guidelines set forth by MDRC for proper range conduct which will be strictly adhered to at all times. **POLICE THE RANGE WHEN FINISHED SHOOTING . PICK UP ALL YOUR BRASS, TARGETS etc, AND TAKE THEM WITH YOU.**

SILHOUETTE RANGE: Pistol or smallbore rifle only. Paper targets not allowed. Only certified silhouette targets. Metal targets allowed on stands or metal practice target frames allowed. **POLICE THE RANGE WHEN FINISHED SHOOTING . PICK UP ALL YOUR BRASS, TARGETS etc, AND TAKE THEM WITH YOU.**

IDPA RANGE: To be used for pistol only, and only for matches or registered practices. No use at any other time is permitted. (Change to – To be used for pistol, shotgun or carbine within the guidelines set forth by the national IDPA organization and MDRC range rules for proper conduct. These rules will be strictly adhered to at all times and only for matches or registered practices. No use at any other time is permitted. Approved IDPA targets only are permitted which include metal stationary and falling poppers. **POLICE THE RANGE WHEN FINISHED SHOOTING . PICK UP ALL YOUR BRASS, TARGETS etc, AND TAKE THEM WITH YOU.**)

SHOTGUN RANGE: At right of clubhouse, restricted to hand throwers at this time. **POLICE RANGE WHEN DONE.** (Change to - Located at right of the indoor range and is restricted to clay birds and shotgun only. No rifles or pistols are to be discharged or used in anyway in this area. **POLICE THE RANGE WHEN FINISHED SHOOTING. PICK UP ALL YOUR EMPTY HULLS, EMPTY BOXES, TARGETS etc, AND TAKE THEM WITH YOU.**

BENCH HOUSE: To be used by Rifle (center-fire, rim-fire or muzzle-loading); Pistol or Revolver, (center-fire or muzzle-loading); Shotgun with slugged barrels or slug rounds. The bench house is to be used for sighting in your firearm or load development and group size shooting only. You must pick up all your brass, all your targets and all your paper. Every member using the bench house should also sweep up for the next member. POLICE THE BENCH HOUSE WHEN FINISHED SHOOTING . PICK UP ALL YOUR BRASS, TARGETS etc, AND TAKE THEM WITH YOU.

PLEASE

REMEMBER, THIS IS OUR RANGE. IT NOT EXCLUSIVELY YOURS SO PICK UP, SWEEP UP AND POLICE THE AREA AFTER YOU ARE DONE SHOOTING. ANOTHER MEMBER WILL BE USING THE SAME AREA THAT YOU JUST FINISHED WITH SO SHOW SOME COURTESY TO THE NEXT MEMBER AND SHOW SOME LOYALTY TO CLUB YOU BELONG TO.

THANK YOU

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