

Nampa Rod & Gun Club, Inc

Range Orientation

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Safety Rules Review

Range Safety Rules

- Each member is responsible for reading, understanding, knowing, and following the club's range and safety rules.
- Educate your guests about the rules in advance of shooting.

Outdoor Range Rules

1. Know and obey range commands and rules
2. Willful disregard of range commands or rules will result in loss of range privileges.
3. No uncased or unholstered firearms are allowed on Nampa Rod and Gun Club property except on the firing line. Uncased firearms may be transported from the vehicle to the firing line provided (1) The action is open (2) The firearm is unloaded (3) The firearm is pointed in an upward direction.
4. Eye and Ear protection is strongly recommended for all personnel on the firing range and may be required by individual shooting disciplines.
5. The rifle range is close when the gravel pit on the north side of the range is in use. It is the shooters responsibility to determine if the gravel pit is in use. The silhouette range and pistol pits will remain open.
6. Use of rifles is prohibited on the silhouette range. On the rifle range, firing will be from the provided bench rest line (except for structured competitions or practice sessions).
7. All targets on the rifle range must be placed on the 25, 50, 100, 200, or 550 yard target frames. Glass Targets are prohibited on all ranges.
8. It is a safety violation to shoot from or across a road.

Outdoor Range Rules, continued

9. Firearms may only be handled on the firing line, or if provided, at a safety area. Ammunition or loaded magazines will not be handled at the safety area.
10. While on the firing line, the muzzles of firearms must be pointed down range at all times.
11. Do not discard loaded ammunition in range barrels.
12. An adult member must accompany persons under 18 years of age.
13. Tracer, incendiary, and armor piercing ammunition are prohibited.
14. Alcoholic beverages, drugs and/or individuals under the influence of such are not allowed on Nampa Rod and Gun Club property.
15. Be courteous to other shooters.
16. No hunting is allowed at the outdoor range.
17. Remove all of your practice targets before leaving the range.
18. Lock the gate on entering and leaving the range.
19. Range keys may not be loaned or copied. Violations of this rule can lead to the loss of range and membership privileges.

GENERAL RULES

- Safety is everyone's responsibility.
- Shooting hours for members are sunrise to sunset.
- Membership card on person while at the range.
- Guests are the member's responsibility.
- Members may not use for business purposes.
- No alcohol.
- Club is not responsible for lost articles.

General Rules Continued

- **THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO SHOOTING AT ANY TARGETS EXCEPT PAPER TARGETS OR SPOTS AFFIXED TO THE EXISTING PLYWOOD TARGET HOLDERS.**
- Do not set any targets on the ground.
- Do not use any bottles, bricks, rocks, cans, milk jugs, boxes, etc. as targets.
- No 50BMG caliber or larger allowed!
- No Tracer Rounds are allowed!
- No Full Automatics are allowed!
- No metal targets are allowed!

General Rules Continued

- Do not copy or loan range key to anyone.
- Gate is to remain locked at all times except during a scheduled discipline event. It may be open during Police training.
- If you find the gate open and do not see anyone using the range, contact a Board Members.
- Pick up your trash and targets. Leave the range cleaner than when you arrived.
- If you damage something or find something damaged, contact a Board of Director member.

General Rules Continued

- Safety is everyone's responsibility! Report observed violations to the Board of Directors. (Please include vehicle description and license plate number)
- Safety violations or rule infractions are grounds for termination of membership.
- A hearing before the board of directors is normally required for violations or infractions.

The Whole Picture



Parking

- Do not park where doing so will disrupt shooting activities.
- Rifle Range
- Silhouette Range
- Above the pistol pits
- Behind the 600 yard berm on the High Power Rifle Range

The Pistol Pits

- All shooting locations in the pistol pits have signs to indicate type of firearms and targets that may be used in each. There is absolutely **NO SHOOTING** in unsigned areas.
- Members are to use paper targets on the plywood target holders only.
- **Metal targets are not allowed** except during scheduled discipline events.
- Pits are numbered 1 through 8 and each sign details Do's and Don'ts for that location.
- Two safety areas are provided. There is **NO SHOOTING** in safety areas.

Silhouette Range

- This range is for standard silhouette targets on existing stands **ONLY during scheduled discipline events.**
- It is not open to the general membership.
- Small bore pistol, hunter pistol and cowboy rifles only may be used.
- No other targets or shooting is allowed on this range.

High Power Rifle range is reserved for CMP/High Power scheduled discipline events only.

- There are three raised firing positions for 200, 300, and 600 yard shooting.
- Firing positions are NOT target berms. DO NOT place targets or shoot into the firing positions.
- The General Rifle Range and part of the pistol pits are closed when the High Power Rifle Range is being used.

General Rifle Range

- Benches are numbered 1 through 10 running from West to East with 3 wooden benches at the Eastern end of the firing line.
- Benches 1 and 2 are to be used for the 550 yard target position.
- Benches 3 and 4 are to be used for the 200 yard target holder position.
- Benches 5 through 8 are to be used for the 100 yard target position.
- Benches 9 and 10 are to be used for the 50 yard target position.
- Wooden benches are to be used for the 25 yard target positions.
- **THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO SHOOTING AT ANY TARGETS EXCEPT PAPER TARGETS OR SPOTS AFFIXED TO THE EXISTING TARGET HOLDERS.**
- Do not use any rocks, cans, milk jugs, boxes, etc. as targets.
- Any standard hunting rifle caliber is allowed. No 50BMG caliber or larger allowed!
- Closed when High Power Rifle range is used.

General Rifle Range continued

- Before you begin to shoot, be sure to scan the gravel pit, 550 yard target bunker and down range area to make sure the area is unoccupied.
- Never handle a firearm when anyone is downrange.
- When not shooting, keep your weapons secure, pointed down range and leave the action open.

SHOOTER'S SKILL LEVEL

- All shooters are required to have adequate skill to place **all** their shots into the impact area at any position they are shooting on.
- New firearms and those with maladjusted sights should be on the target within a reasonable number of shots (less than 10).
- If you or your guest do not possess the skill to hit the impact area - move to a shooting position where you can confine your fire to the designated impact area.
- If your guests are new or unskilled shooters, observe them closely to be sure they are placing their rounds into the designated impact areas.
- If you are a new or unskilled shooter, please ask for help or instruction from a Board Member or Discipline Director.

Right to Inspect

A club official may inspect any firearm or ammunition on the ranges, and may order any firearm or ammunition off the ranges which they, in their sole judgment, considered to be inappropriate or in an unsafe condition.

SAFETY

- SAFETY MUST BE THE HIGHEST PRIORITY WHEN USING THE OUTDOOR RANGE.
- THINK SAFETY!
- PRACTICE SAFETY!