

## Range Safety Rules

**Safety on our shooting range is paramount and all members and guests are expected to follow all range safety rules while using the facility**

1. Open the 'Range in Use' sign at entrance before using the range.
2. Raise the red warning flags to show the range is active.
3. Stay well behind the front or side of the firing line when firing is taking place.
4. Keep the action of your firearm open, except when in use on the range.
5. Keep firearm muzzle pointed down range towards target at all times.
6. Keep all ammunition under control.
7. Place targets off the range floor.
8. Place targets before you approach the firing points with a firearm.
9. Use paper, cardboard, or soft plastic targets only (Explosive targets are prohibited).
10. Load firearm only when all has been made ready for firing to commence.
11. Load only one cartridge at a time into the firearm.
12. Confirm that other shooters and guests are safely behind the firing line before you aim.
13. Before moving to the target or from the firing line:
  - unload and render the firearm safe
  - leave the breach open and firearm down, and
  - BE SURE it is safe to proceed!
14. Clean range of all debris before leaving. Ensure all expended cartridge are collected.
15. If you are the last to leave, lower the red warning flags and close the range-in-use sign.

## Range Rules

1. You must book range time through the MRPC website (<https://mrpc.isportsystem.com>).
2. Unauthorized use of the range is not permitted.
3. You must be 18 years old, or over to book range time. Anyone 17 or younger must be under the immediate supervision of a responsible adult
4. You must follow the range officer's instructions.
5. You must wear eye and hearing protection at all times while using the range and follow all range safety procedures
6. You must clean up after yourself - pick up all debris and expended cartridges
7. You must NOT be under the influence of or in possession of alcohol or drugs while on range property
8. You must NOT use unsafe or hazardous arms or ammunition. Tracer, armour piercing, and explosive bullet types are prohibited
9. You must NOT use metal, glass, or other unsafe targets. Explosive targets are prohibited
10. You must NOT load or point your firearm behind the firing line
11. You must NOT distract other shooters
12. Park vehicles in the designated parking area at a safe distance to the rear of the firing line
13. Use this range at your own risk
14. In case of an EMERGENCY call 911

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