

NCRR Indoor Range Standard Safety Briefing

1. NCRR Guest Rules / Rules of Conduct:

- Members and guests must sign into the logbook unless signing in on the roster of an organized match or event.
- Badges are expected to be worn on-site at all times by members and guests are expected to wear 'VISITOR' badges; the only exception being an event where the badge may interfere with the implement being used or hinder performance.
- At any given time, only the member and one guest may shoot, or two guests may shoot while the member supervises.
- Minors cannot be left unattended on the range or in the clubhouse.
- No gambling, consumption of alcohol, foul language, or immoral or improper behavior/activities on NCRR property.
- All shooters must clean-up their area, including target debris & brass downrange after shooting.
- All shooters and spectators who have handled firearms, ammunition, and/or range equipment must wash their hands thoroughly with soap and *cold* water prior to eating or departing the premises.

2. Rules for handling and transporting firearms and ammunition in the clubhouse:

- Only properly 'cased' handguns and long guns, or 'uncased' long guns with the action open and/or a properly inserted Empty Chamber Indicator (ECI) may be transported through the clubhouse. A holster not worn on the person does *not* constitute a 'case' for the purposes of transiting a handgun in the club house.
- Only unloaded firearms may be handled in the designated dry-fire area. Firearms may **not** be handled or left unattended in other areas of the clubhouse unless authorized by the Chief Range Safety Officer (CRSO).
- NCRR's open/concealed carry policy **strictly prohibits handling** any personal protection (*carry*) sidearm *anywhere* in the clubhouse, *including the dry-fire area*.
- Ammunition is **not** allowed in the dry-fire area with the exception of the loaded or spare ammunition for a personal protection (*carry*) sidearm. Ammunition may **only** be handled **outside** the dry-fire area.
- When the **COLD RANGE sign** is posted on the club house door, **no loaded firearms** are allowed in the clubhouse or indoor range. There are only two exceptions: 1) match / event participants *under the direction of a Safety Officer or Instructor*; 2) Law Enforcement Officers *on an active call*.

Note: the COLD RANGE sign being posted is *separate* from a 'cold range' being *called*; see #5 below.

3. All shooters and spectators present on a 'hot range' must wear eye and ear protection.

4. Shooters must maintain proper sight and target alignment and be able to control the firearm's recoil.

5. Shooters must understand the difference between a 'cease fire' and a 'cold range':

- Upon hearing the command 'cease fire', all shooters must immediately stop firing their firearms and await further instruction from the person calling the cease fire. *A call for a cold range may follow a cease fire command.*
- When a 'cold range' is called, all shooters must unload all firearms, and firearms are not to be handled on the range outside of the direction of a Safety Officer or Instructor. All personnel must step behind the red line unless proceeding forward of the firing stalls, at which time the inside range door should be locked. Specific exceptions or additions to this protocol for a particular event or scenario will be briefed by Event Staff and/or Safety Officers.
- If a 'cease fire' or 'cold range' is called, shooters must not resume firing until the cease fire has been lifted, a hot range is restored (if applicable), *and* instructed to do so.

6. If a shooter experiences a firearm or ammunition stoppage or malfunction, and is unfamiliar with how to clear or correct the problem, they should seek assistance from a Safety Officer, Instructor, or more experienced shooter (e.g., Event Director, Event Staff, guest's sponsor, etc.).

7. If an accident or injury occurs, follow standard first aid procedures. If medical assistance is required, call 9-1-1. The address is 4321 South Military Highway, Chesapeake, VA, and is posted by the clubhouse phone.

- First aid materials are located in the red medical bag just inside the clubhouse by the range doors.

Sponsor Name: _____ Club #: _____



Event: _____



NORFOLK COUNTY RIFLE RANGE INC. WAIVER, RELEASE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE

Whereas Norfolk County Rifle Range, A Virginia Corporation permitting me to participate in firearm shooting activities of the Corporation wherever they are held, I on my own behalf and the behalf of my heirs, representatives, administrators and assigns, hereby waive and release any and all claims, demands, causes of action, suits and rights I, or anyone on my behalf, might have against that Corporation, it's officers and/or it's directors as a result of my taking part in the firearms shooting activities sponsored by, sanctioned by or approved by that Corporation, it's officers and/or it's directors. The undersigned agrees that this waiver, release and covenant not to sue shall include any injury or death resulting from any defect known or latent in or on the Premises of Norfolk County Rifle Range, Inc.

I understand that engaging in firearms shooting activities is a very dangerous and hazardous activity with accompanying risks of personal injury or death and loss or damage to personal property, and I hereby voluntarily assume those risks.

I understand that Norfolk County Rifle Range, Inc. has no control over the individual reloading practices, components, or the quality of the firearm that reloaded ammunition will be fired in. Therefore, Norfolk County Rifle Range, Inc. assumes no liability for any injury or death resulting from the use or misuse of reloaded ammunition. Any person who fires reloaded ammunition does so at his/her own risk and peril.

I recognize that the corporation, its officers and directors are not obligated to permit me to participate in any of the corporation's activities and may terminate my participation in such activities at any time for any reason.

I have not been convicted, nor am I currently indicted, of a felony for any crime.

I have read and understand the foregoing provisions of this waiver, release and covenant not to sue and have executed this instrument voluntarily on this date. If using the NCCR Indoor Range, I have received the NCCR INDOOR RANGE STANDARD SAFETY BRIEFING, including a review of the INDOOR RANGE FIREARMS & AMMUNITION RESTRICTIONS, from my Sponsor or Event Director/Event Staff, have been afforded the opportunity to ask and have answered questions concerning them, and understand my responsibilities with regard to their content.

I am over eighteen (18) years of age or, if not, then my parent or legal guardian has signed this instrument on my behalf. This instrument shall remain in full force and effect immediately.

DATE: _____

PARTICIPANT NAME: _____ SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN NAME: _____

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____

RELATIONSHIP TO PARTICIPANT: _____

SPONSORING MEMBER PLEASE FILE ALPHABETICALLY BY GUEST LAST NAME