

# Alliance Rifle Club

## Range Rules

In consideration of being allowed to enter or use the facilities and participate in the activities of the Alliance Rifle Club (ARC), I hereby agree to each of the following terms and conditions of this agreement, and my signature below certifies that each has been read and agreed to by me.

1. I have read these Range Rules, a copy of which have been given to me by the ARC.  
I understand these Range Rules may be amended from time to time and that I am responsible for reviewing the posted rules each time I use the facilities. I agree to obey and comply with the Range Rules, general policies and rules of operation and administration of ARC.
2. I am familiar with and understand the operation of each firearm I will use at the facilities. The word "operation" includes the safe handling, loading and unloading procedures and safety mechanisms and features of each firearm.
3. I understand that ARC highly recommends the use of newly manufactured commercial ammunition at all times at the facilities. I accept full and complete responsibility for the inherent risks resulting from my and/or anyone else's use of reloads or hand loads, including all responsibility for property damage and/or personal injuries to myself and anyone else. I also agree to thoroughly check to be sure that I am using the correct ammunition at all times!
4. ARC members will be issued a membership card annually. Users **must** have the range membership card on their person when using the facilities and show it upon request.

### ***General Safety Rules***

1. Always treat every firearm as if it were loaded.
2. Always keep the firearm pointed in a safe direction. Do not point it at anything you do not intend to destroy or kill.
3. Always keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.
4. Guns must be **unloaded and actions open** when **off** the firing line.
5. No pyro- tracer, incendiary or armor piercing ammunition or explosives targets are allowed.
6. No one consuming alcohol or impaired by alcohol, drugs or medication, (prescribed or otherwise) is permitted to use the shooting ranges.
7. Shooters are responsible for any projectiles that leave the range.
8. Eye and ear protection are required on the firing line.
9. The facilities are for use by the members and their guests. The only exception to this is events open to the general public.
10. It is your shooting complex! Help keep it clean! Clean up after yourself and others! Pick up all trash!
11. It is incumbent upon any member, guest, bystander, etc who witnesses unsafe firearm handling to address it immediately. Any person at the facilities has the authority to immediately correct threats to the safety of the participants and bystanders. Continued availability of the facilities depends upon safe operation.

### ***Handgun Range Rules***

No guns on the firing line are to be handled when people are downrange. The action must remain open until everyone is behind the firing line.

**No shotgun shooting on the pistol ranges.** (Except registered matches)

### ***Targets***

Do not use self-healing ground-bouncing targets and items not originally designed to be used as targets (i.e. bottles, computers, TV's, aluminum or tin cans, etc.)

Shooting at the ground at any range is prohibited.

### ***Violation of these range rules may result in disciplinary action up to and including:***

1. Immediate removal of the violator from the range.
2. Termination of the membership privileges.
3. A lifetime ban of the violator from the facilities as determined by the Board of Directors.

***In all instances not covered by established safety rules, the decision and direction of the ARC will be final***

Jan. 2020

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Date