

WALNUT CREEK RIFLE CLUB
Club Rules

Print Name: _____

Membership in this club is a privilege. Any member or guest violating club rules or behaving in an unsafe or rude manner will be expelled from the club.

The Walnut Creek Rifle Club, its officers and directors will not be held responsible for any injury to any member or guest arising out of the use of the club's facilities. It is the responsibility of all members or guests to conduct him or herself in a safe manner while using the club's facilities. It is recommended you read all range rules and signs prior to using the facilities.

CLUB RULES:

1. All bullets must impact the bank. We can no longer allow the use of swingers on any range. Bullets that miss a swinger may hit the ground and ricochet off the property. The directors are investigating ways to provide swingers for your use.
2. Only paper targets are allowed on the range. No cans, bottles, clay pigeons, CDs, wood blocks, frying pans, propane tanks etc. may be used as targets.
3. All targets must be placed on the chipboard target boards. This includes the rifle and the pistol ranges.
4. All members and guests must sign in immediately upon entering the range. Sign out when you are done shooting.
5. You may bring a maximum of two guests with you. Each guest is welcome to visit the range a maximum of three times. If your guest is less than 18 years old, there is no limit to the number of visits. However, you may bring no more than two guests per visit. (Exception – a member may bring four immediate family members as guests. Immediate family includes – father, mother, wife, brother, sister, son and daughter. Maximum number of visits is three times.)
6. No shotguns are permitted on the pistol range. Shotguns firing slugs only (no buckshot, birdshot, turkey loads etc.) are permitted on the rifle range only. Firing shot shells at the target boards destroys the boards.
7. No handguns firing shot shells are permitted on the pistol range. This applies to the Taurus Judge, S&W Governor etc. Firing handguns with shot shells at the target boards destroys the boards.
8. Silhouette shooting is postponed until we devise a way to contain all shots fired at the silhouette animals. Silhouette shooting at the 100 yard animals only will be allowed on Tuesday nights as usual.
9. Shooting is not permitted at the 25 yard and 50 yard rifle range target boards. We are changing these target frames to eliminate the risk of ricochets.
10. No one is permitted to fire at the intermediate silhouette banks from the rifle range benches.
11. The 200 yard range is closed.
12. We provide chipboards to serve as target holders. Do not shoot the railroad ties or 2 X 4's. Any member violating this rule is subject to expulsion from the club.

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13. Membership cards must be in your possession and shown upon request along with proof of identification if requested. Any member loaning his or her membership card to another person will be expelled from the club.
14. Alcoholic beverages, intoxication, disorderly conduct will not be tolerated and are prohibited on any range.

RANGE SAFETY RULES:

1. Unload all firearms, open actions and declare the line safe before going forward of the firing line.
2. When someone is forward of the firing line; no handling of firearms, this includes casing/uncasing and cleaning of firearms. Actions must be open. Looking through firearm scopes is forbidden.
3. Keep firearms pointed in a safe direction at all times. A safe direction is into the ground, at the target or into the bank.
4. All shooting must be into the target boards/bank. No shooting toward the road.
5. Rifle shooters; do not close actions until the muzzle is pointed at the target boards.
6. Shooting at targets on the ground is not permitted. Shooting at aerial targets is not permitted.
7. All shooting must be done from behind the firing line.
8. Treat every gun as if it is loaded.
9. No fully automatic firearms are allowed.
10. Persons less than 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult.
11. Please clean up the area after use.
12. Eye and ear protection should be used.

Range Safety Is Everyone's Responsibility

If you see someone acting in an unsafe manner, politely mention it to them, referring to the appropriate range rules. If you can identify the person(s) from the sign in sheet, please call and leave a message at the club or contact one of the club officers.

Our safety and the future of the club depend on all members and guests following these rules.

I understand and agree to abide by all rules of the Walnut Creek Rifle Club. I further agree that I will be responsible for the actions of any guest that I bring to the club.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____ Member No. _____