

Aliquippa Bucktails Outdoor Rifle / Pistol Range Rules

- **Red - Down Range Safety Lights:**
 - **Off:**
 - Safe to shoot.
 - Range declared “HOT”:
 - All individuals shall be behind the Firing Line.
 - **On / Flashing:**
 - No shooting
 - Range declared “COLD”:
 - Firing Line is about to be or is breached for down range actions / activities.
 - Chambers shall be cleared & open prior to anyone going down range.
 - Remaining shooters shall step away from their firearms & benches.
 - No uncasing / handling of firearms during “On / Flashing” light period.
- **Loading / Unloading firearm:**
 - Performed only when range is declared “HOT”.
 - Firearm shall remain:
 - unloaded until you reach the Firing Line / Benches.
 - pointed down range during the loading & unloading process.
 - Be unloaded before removing them from the Firing Line / Benches.
 - Detachable/Removable magazines may be reloaded during a “COLD” range but **MUST** be loaded separate and away from the firearm.
 - Detachable/Removable magazines may **ONLY** be inserted into the firearm once the range has been declared “HOT”.
 - Internal/Nondetachable magazines may **NOT** be reloaded during a “COLD” range.
- **Shooting firearms:**
 - STOP. LOOK. LISTEN.
 - Before shooting: STOP to LOOK and LISTEN to confirm that there is no one down range regardless of the safety light. Someone may be mowing/working downrange.
 - Performed only when range is declared “HOT”.
 - Shooters shall be stationed at or forward of the Firing Line / Benches.
 - The Firing Line shall be set by the location of the forward shooter. **ABSOLUTELY NO** firing behind the firing line.
 - Not permitted behind the Firing Line / Benches.
 - Shall only be directed at the designated Back Stop / Target Frames or Target Bunkers.
 - All long guns **must** be fired from the **shouldered position**. AR Pistols equipped with a brace are an exception to this rule.
 - The muzzle must remain below the height of the furthest Target Bunker.
 - Shooters are responsible for their rounds staying within the confines of this range.
- **Firearms not in use:**
 - Firearms shall not be handled if the range is declared “COLD”.
 - Not permitted to stay on the utility bench located behind Firing Line / Benches.
 - Rifles shall be unloaded, chambers open & placed on gun rack.
 - Pistols shall be holstered or stored in vehicle.

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- **Back Stop / Target Frames (25, 50, 100 & 200 yd):**
 - Shooting shall be directed at paper targets located on plastic backer boards.
 - No paper targets shall be attached to any part of the wooden target frames.
 - Shotgun discharge at the plastic backer boards is prohibited.
- **Target Bunkers (200 & 300 yd):**
 - Metal swinging / silhouette targets shall be located within the bunker confines.
 - No paper targets shall be attached to any wooden bunker supports.
- **Shotgun usage:**
 - Back Stop / Target Frames shall not be used to pattern any shotguns.
 - Wooden pallet(s):
 - located behind the 25yd backstop, shall be used for attaching paper targets or pattern paper.
 - shall be located at the right side of the 25yd backstop when in use.
 - shall be placed behind the 25yd backstop when not in use.
- **Clean up requirements:**
 - Spent cases shall be picked up & properly disposed of in the brass recycle bucket.
 - Used paper targets shall be removed from plastic backer boards after use & placed in the trash can.
- **Shooting restrictions:**
 - Hours:
 - Monday – Saturday: 9 AM to dusk.
 - Sunday: 10 AM to dusk.
 - Shooters under the influence are not permitted to use the range facilities.
 - Items not permitted to be positioned down range & shot at:
 - Rocks.
 - Cans.
 - Bottles.
 - Clay birds.
 - Reactive / explosive targets, (e.g. Tannerite).
 - No:
 - armor piercing rounds.
 - full automatic weapons.
 - 50 caliber BMG rifles.
 - intentionally shooting at or damaging wooden target frames.
 - alcoholic beverages / illegal drugs on the range at any time.
 - Rapid fire is limited to 5 round bursts to include a 6 second pause between each 5 round burst.

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- **Range guests:**
 - Must sign in & complete all required paperwork prior to using the range.
 - Required paperwork is located at the indoor pistol range podium.
 - Sign out when finished using the range.
 - Not permitted during the month of November.
 - Individuals under the age of 18 years must be under the direct supervision of a responsible adult at all times, and wear hearing/eye protection when at the firing line. Running, horseplay, climbing, etc. will not be tolerated.
- **Officers / Directors:**
 - Requires everyone's adherence to the above listed rules.
 - Have the authority to expel / prevent future use of the range to anyone who does not adhere to the above listed rules.
 - Activities at this range are under surveillance via web cameras.
 - Have the authority to close the range at their discretion.
 - A "CLOSED RANGE" sign will be positioned on the top portion of the road leading down to the range and shall not be breached.

SAFETY IS EVERYONE'S BUSINESS!

Eye and Ear Protection is highly recommended

Aliquippa Bucktails is not responsible for any ricochet or personal harm

TREAT THE RANGE AS IF YOU OWNED IT..... YOU DO!