

BURLINGTON FLATS FISH & GAME CLUB

OUTDOOR RANGES & POND SAFETY RULES

1. THIS RANGE IS NOT PUBLIC. Only club members and escorted guests may shoot here. Concealed carry by members and escorted guests is permitted.

- Non-member guests may not be on the property unless they are attending an event which is open to the public or are physically escorted by an active member.
- Members are responsible for the conduct of their guests.

2. OBEY THE LAW. Comply with all federal/state/local laws plus club rules, signs and commands from club officials.

3. SAFETY GEAR REQUIRED. Shooters and observers must provide and wear their own ear and eye protection.

4. CORRECT/REPORT UNSAFE CONDITIONS/CONDUCT. Everyone is responsible for range safety. If you see a safety issue, take immediate steps to correct it (where possible) and always report the issue to a rangemaster or club official.

5. PRACTICE SAFE FIREARMS CONTROL.

- Firearms must be made safe (unloaded, action open/chamber flag inserted, safety engaged, muzzle pointing in safe direction) when being carried to/from firing line.
- Firearms will be made safe then grounded (not handled) during cease fire periods, or when people are not under cover in the pit downrange.
- Firearms will only be handled when all persons are behind the firing line/sealed under cover in the pit, safe conditions exist and the rangemaster gives the command to commence fire (where applicable).

6. RANGE SIGNS & CHAINS. Use the reversible range sign, yellow chain(s) and red/green sign to indicate that the 300 yard range is in use. Do not enter the range unless signs and conditions indicate it is cleared, or, an official clears you to do so.

7. SHOOTING LIMITATIONS.

- All outdoor shooting must be in authorized range areas in the direction of and into berms/backstops only.
- **Pay attention to your surroundings.** Always be sure of your target and range conditions before and while shooting. Be mindful of animals, vehicles and people who may mistakenly enter the area. Be particularly mindful during hunting season as their could be unseen hunters on our property.
- **No reckless shooting:** All shooting must be controlled and aimed.
- **Proper targets only:** Shoot at products which were specifically produced as shooting targets.
- **No unauthorized "targets."** Includes bottles, glass, scrap metal, scrap wood, old appliances, furniture, etc. Used targets must be removed and taken with the shooter when complete.
- **No shooting at range structures or facilities.**
- **No shooting when/if :**
 - Skeet if people are on the 300 yard range.
 - On the 300 yard range (or fishing) if people are shooting Skeet.
 - When Scouts are in camp
 - If road signs indicate ranges are in use. People may be downrange shooting, performing maintenance or in the woods behind the target pits.

9. CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELF. If you bring anything in, take it back out with you. Do not leave materials behind.

- Pick-up and take your brass and used targets home with you.
- Take your trash (food wrappers, bottles., cups, boxes, bags, ammo boxes, packages, etc.) home with you.

10. RESPECT PROPERTY. Do not damage/misuse the club's equipment/facilities and never touch or handle any other person's equipment without their permission.

11. STAY HOME IF SICK, DRUNK OR HIGH. Alcohol & drug use is prohibited on all club ranges. No firearms may be handled by persons who are under the influence of alcohol or drugs at any time on club property. If you are ill, you could make others around you sick as well. Stay home!

12. CLUB EVENTS/UPKEEP TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER PERSONAL SHOOTING. Otherwise, its first come, first serve.

13. SHOOTING TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER FISHING. Regardless if you were fishing first, if someone wants to shoot Skeet or shoot in the 300 yard range, you must vacate until shooting is complete. Of course, we ask shooters to be considerate as well

14. BY CHOOSING TO SHOOT HERE, YOU AGREE TO THESE RULES & CONSENT TO BEING MONITORED/RECORDED ON CAMERA. Ignorance of the rules is no excuse and we reserve the right to monitor things for safety/security purposes.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW RULES

MAY RESULT IN LOSS OF MEMBERSHIP & PROSECUTION