

GATLINBURG SPORTSMAN'S CLUB

SHOOTING RANGE RULES

1. **No alcoholic** beverages allowed on any shooting range.
2. **Shoot your firearm in a safe manner.** Always point the muzzle of your firearm in a safe direction.
3. **All firearms must be in a safe condition (action open and unloaded) when entering, exiting, or moving around the range.** Load firearms only when you are at the firing line/shooting station, downrange is clear, and you are ready to shoot.
4. **Shoot downrange only** from the firing line at targets.
5. **The first shooter to arrive at the range will assume the responsibility of Range Officer.** When this person leaves the range, the second person that arrived will assume Range Office responsibilities and so on.
6. **The Range Officer will check with the other shooters to be sure that all firearms are unloaded and grounded (laid down) before anyone goes down range.** Do not handle any firearms at this time. Shooters must walk directly to and from the targets.
7. **Use stationary paper or steel targets only.** No bottles, cans, or other breakable targets may be used.
8. **No tracer, incendiary, or armor piercing type ammunition allowed.**
9. **Shooters may shoot only at the target range in line with their position.** No shooting across the range.
10. **An adult must accompany shooters under the age of 16.**
11. **If others are waiting to shoot, time will be limited to one (1) hour per shooter.**
12. **Please observe the posted range shooting hours.**
13. **Properly dispose of all litter.** Your used targets are no longer useable by other shooters. Please remove any debris that you have created and place it in the trashcan.