



Si vis pacem, para bellum

Safety Rules

- All firearms are **always** considered loaded (never assume anything – check it)
- Always point firearms in a safe direction (downrange, the ground, etc.), until on target and ready to fire
- Always keep your trigger finger straight along the frame until on target and ready to fire
- Always know your target and what's behind and around it (bystanders, traffic, etc.)
- Always maintain control of your firearm (if not in your possession, lock it up)

Range Rules

- All range users are personally responsible for range safety/safe shooting.
- All range users are responsible to immediately correct any unsafe condition.
- If you observe any unsafe condition, immediately report it to an Instructor or Range Safety Officer.
- Shooters and observers are required to wear eye and hearing protection on all shooting ranges.
- At the command "Cease-Fire" all shooters must **immediately** stop shooting, remain in place and await further instructions from the Instructor or Range Safety Officer.
- Alcohol is prohibited on all ranges. Persons who have been consuming alcohol or mind influencing drugs, including prescription medications, are prohibited on ranges. Persons are prohibited from shooting if they are impaired to the slightest degree.
- All ranges must be policed (cleaned and rearranged to original configuration) after use. All trash must be placed in trash containers. Bottles/glass containers are prohibited. Leave the facility in as good condition as you found it. Alterations to any range are prohibited.
- Securely holstered firearms worn on the dominant hand side, hip or thigh, are permitted. Shoulder holsters, small of back, or crossdraw holsters are prohibited. Holstered firearms may not be drawn except at a shooting position at the firing line on a range with the muzzle pointed down range and finger off the trigger until ready to fire. No one is permitted to draw a holstered firearm over a shooting table. During a class, keep all firearms holstered or cased until told otherwise by an Instructor or Range Safety Officer.
- Do not walk in front of the firing line at any time for any reason unless and until an Instructor or Range Safety Officer has verified and informed you that it is safe to do so.
- Do not climb on berms. You may not be on the sides or tops of the berms (impact or lateral) for any reason at any time.
- All shots must strike the backstop or impact berm. Shooting above the berm at the hillside is prohibited.
- Pregnant women, or if you suspect you might be pregnant, must be advised that range facilities have a high lead content in the environment and the noise from the gunfire may cause damage to the unborn baby's hearing. Lead has been proven to cause birth defects in babies.
- Children under 16 years of age must be constantly supervised by an adult at all times while they are shooting.
- Children under the age of 5 are not permitted on the firearm ranges. The ear canals are not fully developed in babies and small children and their ears are very sensitive to loud noises. Permanent hearing loss can be immediate and irreversible even after a small amount of exposure in a loud environment.
- Always wash your hands in cold water immediately after shooting, and before handling food. Warm and hot water expands the pores and enables lead particulates to enter the body.