

S.M.L.C. Range Rules

Main Range 25, 50, 100, yards

Pistols

The 25 yard Range is approved for all Black Powder calibers also including handgun cartridges contained in the template group: .22 Long Rifle, 9mm Parabellum, and 357 S&W Magnum.

**HANDGUNS ARE ALLOWED ONLY ON 25YD RANGE
HANDGUN SHOOTING FROM 50 OR 100 YARD RANGE IS NOT PERMITTED**

Rifles

The 25, 50, 100-yard ranges are only approved for all Black Powder calibers and Black powder smoothbore.

**Calibers in the Smokeless .338 LAUPA TEMPLATE, 223, 303, 308, and larger :
ARE LIMITED TO 50 and 100 YARD RANGE ONLY**

Shotgun

No shotgun on 25,50, or 100-yard range except as approved by Club Executive

All shooting must take place from the firing line or bays that employ physical limitations to elevation. Moving The firing line is not permitted.

All targets must be placed at the target line

No target shall be placed in a way that encourages the shooting of target stand frames

USE OF FLAGS TO INDICATE STATUS OF RANGE IS MANDATORY

All other ranges can be open.

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Alternate 25 yard Range

(Cowboy action range)

Pistols

This range is approved for all handgun calibers and activities
Reactive targets must not be closer than 10 meters from firing point, splatter
must be contained by baffles or backstop.

NON-JACKETED LEAD AMMUNITION ONLY

Rifles

**HANDGUN CALIBER ONLY FIRED FROM RIFLES. NON-JACKETED LEAD
AMMUNITION ONLY**

REACTIVE TARGETS MUST BE NO CLOSER THAN 15 METERS FROM FIRING LINE.

The use of Hi-Power rifles is not allowed, NO EXCEPTIONS.

Shotguns

Black powder or smokeless, with lead #4 or smaller. No slugs, no steel shot.

SHOOTING FROM STANDING, STATIC POSITION. NO DYNAMIC SHOOTING

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Trap Range and Trailwalk must be closed during use.

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Long Range 200, 300 yard

Rifles

This range is approved for all Black Powder Rifle calibers and
.22cal S,L,LR no Magnum

Benches with barrel limiters must be used at all times -

NO HANDGUN OF ANY KIND ALLOWED

No shotgun. Shot or slug to be used on the 200, 300-yard range

No Smokeless Loads To Be Used On The 200, 300-yard range

USE OF FLAGS TO INDICATE STATUS OF RANGE IS MANDATORY

Trail walk must be closed during usage.

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Trap Range

Trapshooting only, with lead #7.5, #8, and #9. No slugs,

No skeet, no sporting clays.

Firing to take place from designated positions only

USE OF FLAGS TO INDICATE STATUS OF RANGE IS MANDATORY

Cowboy action and Trailwalk must be closed during use.

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Trail walk

Muzzleloading rifles using black powder or substitute only No conicals, **Patched round ball only is allowed.**

Barrel limiters must be used.

Maximum Powder charge of 70 grains Blackpowder

200, 300 yard, cowboy, and Trap ranges must be closed during use.

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**Use of
Any explosive,
flammable, or
pyrotechnic
ammunition or targets
are strictly prohibited
on all S.M.L.C. ranges**

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SMLC General Range Rules

-All members must sign in prior to the start of shooting

-For the purpose of the S.M.L.C. The definition of an unloaded muzzleloader is a muzzleloader that has no powder or projectile in the barrel.

-Range Officer's WORD is LAW; all directions from Range Officer must be obeyed.

-The first club member on the range is range officer; the exception being an SMLC scheduled shoot, which will have a designated range officer for the event.

- The range officer will designate a new range officer when leaving the range.

-An active range includes the area that is a line east and west of the flag pole forward to the shooting line.

- There will be no alcoholic beverages. Any person visibly impaired however slight, by any means, may not shoot and will be asked to leave the firing line.

-No smoking on the firing line.

-Firearms may not be loaded directly from a powder container. A powder-measuring device must be used.

-Proper muzzle control must be maintained at all times.

-No shooting at anything other than targets approved by SMLC. "Any target used has to be at the target line" as per the motion of May 12, 1993. The target line is defined as the target frame, the area under the frame or the rail used for a silhouette. SMLC may determine the target line to suit the match being held.

-Shooter shall not purposely fire into the ground in front of target frames or anywhere above target frames at any time.

-Fouling shots shall be taken to the nearest side of the target stand or immediately underneath the shooter's target, fouling shots at gongs provided for that purpose will also be allowed.

-Cast lead projectiles on steel targets only.

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No cross range shots to be taken.

Persons at the 50yd benches will not shoot at targets on the 25 or 100yd target line.

Persons at the 100yd benches will not shoot at targets on the 25 or 50yd target line.

Persons on the firing line of any range will not shoot at targets that are not in a reasonable line with the shooting station they occupy.

NO PERSON SHALL HANDLE FIREARMS AT THE FIRING LINE WHEN TARGETS ARE BEING POSTED, RETRIEVED OR WHEN PERSONS ARE DOWN RANGE FOR ANY PURPOSE. The safe handling zone is defined as an area running east and west of the flag pole and behind towards the clubhouse.

-Rifles or shotguns on the firing line must be placed muzzle up with the action open (where practical) when the range is inactive (closed to firing).

-Handguns on the firing line must be placed muzzle up in a loading stand or placed unloaded with the action open (where practical) on the shooting bench when the range is inactive (closed to firing).

-Shooters may remove unloaded firearms from the firing line when the range is active (open to firing), as long as no interference is caused to other shooters, i.e. shooter is finished relay.

-Shooters may bring all equipment **EXCEPT FIREARMS** to the firing line when the range is inactive (closed to firing), i.e. targets being posted scored retrieved.

-ALL TARGETS MUST BE PLACED AT THE TARGET LINE

-ALL SHOOTING MUST TAKE PLACE FROM SHOOTING LINE THAT EMPLOY PHYSICAL AND TRANSVERSE LIMITATION OF THE FIREARM

-ALL SIGNAL DEVICES, FLAGS, BOTH AT THE FRONT ENTRANCE AND RANGE, AS WELL AS MAIN BOARD AT CABIN, MUST BE USED INDICATING RANGE IN OPEN, OR CLOSED STATUS.

-MEMBERS SHOWING DISREGARD FOR THE POSTED RULES WILL BE DEALT WITH ON AN INDIVIDUAL BASES, WHICH COULD INCLUDE SUSPENSION OR TOTAL LOSS OF PRIVILEGES

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