Linden Sportsmen Club Range Safety Rules

All Ranges

- Shooting Hours: 9 am to legal sunset daily.
- All Federal, State, and local firearm laws must be obeyed.
- Consuming any intoxicant such as Alcohol, Marijuana or a Prohibited/Controlled Substance or Drug is prohibited on LSC property. Anyone found under the influence will be removed.
- Ear and eye protection are mandatory.
- ALWAYS keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction.
- ALWAYS Keep your finger off the trigger, safety on, until ready to shoot.
- ❖ ALWAYS keep the firearm unloaded until on the firing line and ready to use it.
- Firearms capable of fully automatic fire are prohibited. 50 CAL BMG ammo is prohibited.
- Firearms capable of simulated full auto, such as Slide Fire and Crank Triggers, are prohibited.
- Explosive targets, such as Tannerite, are prohibited.
- Guests must be under direct supervision of a member at all times and must be on the same range. Junior shooters aged 17 and under are considered guests.

Rifle Ranges

- ❖ No one will handle a firearm, for any reason, while anyone is down range.
- When anyone is forward of the firing line, all firearms must be vertical in a rack or table notches; unloaded, action open, magazine removed. Holstered handguns must be empty but may have the action closed and magazine removed
- ❖ All muzzles must be even with or over the yellow firing line.
- Pistol shooters on a bench must have their muzzle at or as near the yellow line as possible.
- No shooting from the benches at rear of concrete.
- ❖ Paper targets only on the 25, 50- and 100-yard ranges. Targets must be mounted on a backer and hung from wires, so shots don't hit the wires.
- No targets are to be posted on support posts or retaining wall.
- All bullets MUST impact the rear berm in the area behind the wires.

Pistol Ranges

- No one will handle a firearm for any reason while anyone is down range on a pistol bay.
- Only the following calibers are allowed; .22 short, .22 long, .22LR, .22 Mag, .25 Auto, .32 Auto, .380 Auto, 9mm, .38 Spl, .40 S&W, 10mm, and .45 Auto
- Holstered handguns must be empty with magazine removed but may have slide closed.
- ❖ Paper targets only, hung on backers on provided target stands on pistol bays, alternate targets may be used if approved by the Board of Directors.
- No targets are allowed on the ground; all bullets must impact the back berm behind targets stands.

Trap Field

- ❖ On the Trap Field, shot size of 7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2 and 9 are allowed. No hunting loads of any kind are permitted.
- .3 dram maximum

Infraction of any of the above rules, or generally accepted safety rules, may result in discipline up to and including dismissal from Linden Sportsmen Club after review by the Board of Directors.

These rules may be altered during supervised and sanctioned events with prior knowledge of the Board of Directors.

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