



AURORA GUN CLUB MEMBER RULES

- 1.* Treat all guns as if they are always loaded.
- 2.* Never let the muzzle cover anything you are not willing to destroy.
- 3.* Keep your finger off the trigger until the sights are on target and you are ready to fire.
- 4.* Always be sure of your target and what is behind it.

GENERAL RULES ALL RANGES

- 5.* Range officer commands are to be obeyed immediately. Failure to obey the order of a range officer, or destruction of club property, is a major safety violation and will be cause for revocation of club membership.
6. Club members shall display their membership card on their person at all times.
7. Members are to make sure the gate is closed when entering or departing the range except on weekends (9am to 3pm) or during a scheduled, weekday event. No member is to give the gate combination to any not member.
- 8.* Eye protection is required on all ranges. Ear protection is recommended.
- 9.* Hunting or harassing wildlife on club property is prohibited.
- 10.* The use of alcoholic beverages is not permitted on AGC Property
11. Walking or otherwise being on the dirt banks, sand banks or berms is prohibited.
12. Vehicles are not to be parked inside of any berms or on any ranges while shooting.
13. Shooters are expected to clean their shooting areas when finished, including collection of spent brass.
- 14.* All projectiles are to impact in the impact area and come to rest on AGC property. No projectile is to be allowed to leave the AGC property.
15. The side berm is there to protect people and objects in the area to the side of the berm area and is not to be used as an impact area.
- 16.* On flagged ranges, the range is open only when the flag is up and closed when the flag is down. There is to be no handling of firearms while the flag is down. Flagged ranges are the 100 & 200yard ranges & the silhouette range
17. Sanctioned matches take precedence over casual shooting.

FIREARMS

18. All un-cased long-arms are to be carried, unloaded, with the muzzle pointed up or down.
19. All long guns shall have the action open when not on the firing line. No long guns are to be shouldered except on the range firing line and then they are to be pointed only down range. No pistols are to be pointed except on the firing line and then only down range.

- 20.* All shooters will exercise muzzle control at all times, ensuring that they never cover any person with the muzzle of their firearm.
21. Holstered pistols will be carried empty. Semi-autos will have the magazine removed and the hammer down on an empty chamber or the action open.
- 22.* Firearms shall only be loaded on the firing line, or loaded and holstered on the firing line under the direction of a range officer, for "from-the-holster-scheduled events."
23. Toy guns and BB guns are to be treated as real firearms. Persons handling such arms shall comply with all club rules.
- 24.* Members may not use full-auto firearms on the range until certified to do so by the club President or his designee.

TARGETS

- 25.* Proper/appropriate targets must be used at all times. All members/visitors are to furnish their own targets, stands, and sandbags, except for sanctioned shoots in which they participate. Items such as cans, bottles, bowling pins, golf balls, etc., are not permitted as targets. Shooting at tires or range equipment is forbidden and is a major safety violation. Proper/Appropriate targets include approved steel targets, paper targets and Clay Pigeons.
- 26.* All targets are to be positioned so all projectiles fired will impact into the impact berm (Exception: Trap and Sporting Clays). Any round fired that skips or otherwise leaves the facility constitutes a major safety violation and the member is subject to loss of club privileges.
- 27.* Steel targets are prohibited on 50 yard berms #1 and #7
28. Steel targets on the 200 yard range must be positioned to the far right side of the impact berm so all rounds fired will impact safely. Only lead bullets are allowed for 200 yard steel targets.
29. Use of approved steel targets on the 100 yard range, or the 50 yard ranges #2, #3, #4, #5, #6, and the silhouette range, must be positioned and angled against the end berm so all projectiles fired will impact the proper berm or be driven down into the dirt.

GUESTS

30. A member may bring his/her spouse and children under age 18 to the range plus one other guest free of charge. Children must be supervised at all times
31. Members may bring a maximum of four guests at one time. A fee of \$3 per guest will be charged for the additional non-family guests and the member is responsible for payment. Members with guests can only use one shooting position on any rifle or pistol range.
- 32.* Club members bringing guests to the facility are responsible for the guest's compliance with all range rules.

TRAP RANGES

- 33.* The maximum shot shell load allowed on the trap range is a 3 dram 1 1/8 ounce trap load with lead 7 1/2, or smaller size shot. NO HUNTING OR FIELD LOADS ARE ALLOWED.
34. Trap shooters must load only one shell at a time. (Exception: two are allowed when shooting doubles).
35. No shooter-owned traps are allowed.
36. Patterning Board - The patterning board is CLOSED when Trap 4 or the sporting clays are in use.
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SPORTING CLAYS RANGE

38. The sporting clays range is used for sanctioned shoots only, see the person at the trap counter to set up a sanctioned shoot. Otherwise the sporting clay range is closed.
- 39.* The maximum load allowed on the sporting clays range is 3 1/4 dram, 1 1/8 ounce of #7 or smaller shot. NO HUNTING OR FIELD LOADS ARE ALLOWED.

50 YARD RANGES

- 40.* All rounds fired must impact the end berm. Targets should be placed as close to the end berm as practical.
- 41.* All firing on 50 yard ranges will be forward of the markers on these ranges.
- 42.* Berms #1 and #7 are for handgun, shotgun, and Rimfire rifle only. No steel is allowed.
43. Berms #2, #3, #4, #5, and #6 are for all rifles, handguns, and shotguns. Berms #1, #2 and #7 are not to be used for sanctioned matches.

MAGNUM HANDGUN RANGE

44. The magnum handgun range can be used as an overflow berm for Handgun rifle and shotgun and steel targets when no magnum handgun matches are in session.

100 YARD RANGES

- 45.* The range flag shall be used at all times. NO EXCEPTIONS. When the flag is up, the range is OPEN. When the flag is down, the range is CLOSED and there is to be no handling of firearms.
- 46.* Firing shall only be allowed from the designated firing line off hand and from the bench except during scheduled events under the supervision of a range officer. All projectiles must hit and come to rest in the impact area.
- 47.* Firearms will not be handled for any reason when the range is CLOSED and/or when persons are forward of the firing line. Shooters will stand back and away from their shooting position and behind the white line during this time. This includes cleaning, casing and un-casing or moving firearms

to and from the shooting benches. All firearms remaining on the firing line will have their actions open with no live rounds in them prior to anyone going down range. (Exception: During sanctioned bench gun matches, participants shall be allowed to set wind flags and clean guns while the range is closed. Bolts must be removed from the firearms during this process. This exception applies to match participants only.)

48. Firearms on shooting benches shall have the muzzle pointed downrange, action open in such a fashion that all concerned can see the firearm is unloaded and safe.
49. Black powder firearms are to be charged with the muzzle pointing up and at the tables furnished for that purpose. They shall not be capped or primed until on the firing line with the muzzle pointing down range.
- 50*. There shall be No smoking within 20 feet of black powder while black powder is in use.

200 YARD RANGE

51. This range is for 200 yard shooting only. Only center fire rifles and long range hand guns and the .17HMR are permitted on this range.
52. All 100 yard range rules except for position shooting apply to this range. Prone and sitting are allowed. The range flag shall be used at all times. When the flag is up, the range is OPEN. When the flag is down, the range is CLOSED.
53. Due to the length of this range, members are allowed to sling their rifle and take it with them when changing targets. Rifles will be carried muzzle up or down, and empty with the action open. Members must ensure that they control the muzzle of their firearm when changing targets.
54. TARGETS: Steel targets on the 200 yard range must be positioned to the far right side of the impact berm so all rounds fired impact safely. Only lead bullets are allowed for 200 yard steel targets.

SILHOUETTE RANGE

55. Only pistol caliber firearms using lead bullets and rim fire firearms using lead bullets are allowed on this range. All shooting is to take place from the established covered firing line. Paper and approved silhouette targets may be used only when placed at each of the berms so that bullets impact into the berm. Proper use of the flag is required.

SANCTIONED MATCHES

56. All sanctioned matches and classes are to be run by an AGC club member in good standing. The AGC member is responsible for seeing to it that all AGC rule are followed.
57. Match Exceptions: Exceptions to these rules during sanctioned matches as approved and published by the AGC Board of Directors.