



La Grande Rifle & Pistol Club

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Range Rules

Familiarize yourself with these rules, and keep a copy in your range bag.

Memberships:

- New Members and Associate Members of the La Grande Rifle & Pistol Club (LGRPC) must complete *Range Orientation Training* before receiving a Photo ID card.
- Refresher training is required every 2 years for renewing memberships.
- Members and Associate Members must be at least age 18.
- Associate Members must be from the same household; non-spouse Associate Membership is valid until age 21.
- Members retain one vote in applicable Club decisions; Associate Memberships are non-voting members.

Responsibilities of Members and Associate Members:

- Only Members and Associate members and their guest(s) may use the range unless attending a Club-sanctioned function.
- Members are responsible for the behavior of their Associate Members.
- Members and Associate Members must always accompany their guests.
- Members and Associate Members are responsible for their guests' behaviors.
- Members must display their Photo ID cards on their person while at the range complex.
- Members may courteously verify the membership status of others using the facilities.
- Guests under age 18 must be supervised by an adult.
- Members have a fiduciary responsibility to urge repeat guests to join the LGRPC.

Range Security:

- Keep the range secure.
- Close and lock all gates during your visit and when you leave, except during scheduled Club-sanctioned events.
- Do not share gate combinations with non-members.
- Trespass with a weapon is a crime.

Range Use:

- Respect all other members, guests, and property at and around the range.
- Respect all wildlife and livestock occupying the range and surrounding areas.
- Report vandalism, unsafe behaviors, and rule violations to the Club's Executive Committee.
- Pack out your trash or use proper trash receptacles.
- All pets must be secured or on a leash.
- Camping in designated areas permitted only in conjunction with scheduled events.
- Open campfires are prohibited.
- Enforce all range rules with your guests.

Follow safe shooting practices.

- Shoot only in designated range areas, and only the types of firearms allowed in that area.
- Eye and Ear protection MUST be worn by anyone on the range during all live fire sessions.
- All uncased, unholstered, or unshouldered firearms must remain unloaded with actions open except on the firing line.
- Always keep your firearm pointed in a safe direction.
- Always keep your finger off the trigger until ready to fire, and be certain of your target and the area beyond.
- Always keep the firearm unloaded until ready to use.
- Do not handle, work on, or touch your firearms while people are down range.
- Watch out for river rafters crossing the 100-yard range.
- Anyone may call “*cease fire*” if they observe an unsafe condition.

If an emergency arises, immediately cease all firearms activities, and initiate appropriate emergency protocol.

Know and obey all commands given by Match Directors or Range Officers.

- Always be aware of and acknowledge the hot/cold condition of the range before commencing fire or going down range.
- Do not handle firearms when others are in front of the firing line.
- When the range is declared COLD all firing will cease.
- Range will be declared HOT before commencing to fire.
- Alcohol consumption is prohibited at the ranges, except after you conclude participation in shooting activities or a Club-sanctioned event, or after you have removed your firearm/accessories from the firing line.
- You may not return to the firing line after consuming alcohol.

Direct all firearms/muzzles down range at appropriate paper, plastic, or metal targets.

- The Club does not supply targets.
- Members are responsible for providing their own targets and encouraged to bring their own target stands.
- Place all targets on backstops or stands (some exceptions may be allowed during organized events).
- Do not shoot at ground level targets.
- Use of ammunition loaded with armor-piercing bullets is prohibited.
- Pack out your used targets or place them in the proper trash bins.

During extreme fire danger, the use of certain types of ammunition and targets may be restricted, and all ranges may be closed without notice by the direction of the Executive Committee or Trustees.

Your membership may be revoked for violating any of these rules.