

Range Rules and Safety Precautions

The following Safety Rules and precautions are strictly enforced on Cold Bore Institutions, LLC and Alder Brook Sportsmen Association's range facility:

- 1) When transporting firearms on the properties, handguns **MUST** be holstered at all times or carried in a carrying case to and from vehicles to the range bays.
- 2) When transporting long-guns, muzzles are to be pointed up or down. There are **NEVER** to be suitcase carried.
- 3) Always keep firearms pointed in a safe direction.
- 4) Always keep your finger away from the trigger until you've made the decision to fire your weapon.
- 5) Firearms are to always be unloaded with chamber flags inserted when not in use.
 - ◆ **Bolt Actions:** Magazine Out, Bolt Back, Chamber Flag inserted.
 - ◆ **Gas/Semi-Auto:** Magazine Out, Safety Selector on "**SAFE**", Bolt Locked to the Rear, Chamber Flag inserted.
 - ◆ **Handguns:** Magazine out and Slide locked to the rear, Visually and physically inspect that the firearm is clear.
- 6) Rifles are to be placed securely on the rifle racks throughout the property when not in use or need to be stored safely in your vehicle.
- 7) When the range is declared **HOT**, shooters must check with others to ensure there is no one down range; when the range is declared "HOT" shooters are permitted to commence firing. Only shooters are permitted on the firing line. Shooters may move safe guns to and from the firing line only when the range is "HOT."
- 8) When the range is declared **COLD**, shooters must check with others to ensure firearms are unloaded, actions open and firearms laid down on the shooting bench before going down range. No one is permitted to handle firearms or stand at the firing line while there is a cold range.
- 9) **CEASE FIRE:** Immediately stop shooting when someone calls "Cease Firing"
- 10) **All shooters are responsible for their rounds staying within the confines of this range.** Shooters may shoot only from the firing line at the target in line with their position. Shooting at items placed on the ground or at targets not posted at the appropriate height on the target frame enables rounds to escape the range.

- 11) **Respect the Range:** Please place your trash into the trash receptacles and your spent brass into the recycling receptacles. Tracer, armor piercing and incendiary ammunition is prohibited. Armor piercing ammunition means a projectile or projectile core which may be used in a firearm and which is constructed entirely, excluding the presence of traces of other substances, of tungsten alloys, steel, iron, brass, bronze, beryllium copper, or a combination of tungsten alloys, steel, iron, brass, bronze, or beryllium copper.

- 12) **Respect yourself and Others:** Wear eye and ear protection is strongly enforced. Food, beverages and smoking are not allowed on the firing line. You should wash your hands and face after shooting.

- 13) **Shooters may not consume alcoholic beverages or drugs** (including prescription and over-the-counter medications) that will affect his or her ability to participate with a maximum state of awareness and in a completely safe manner, before or during live fire activities. The Range Officer will deny range access to anyone that is or appears to be in violation.

- 14) All cell phones should be placed on silent so shooters are not distracted from focusing on their targets.

I, the undersigned, confirms that he or she has read and understood the rules associated with this firearm training course.

Printed Name of Participant	Age	Telephone
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Participant Address (Street, City, State, Zip)

Emergency Contact Name #1	Telephone
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Emergency Contact Name #2	Telephone
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Signature of Participant	Date
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Signature of Parent / Legal Guardian as Required	Date
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