

## ALBANY COUNTY PISTOL CLUB RULES AND REGULATIONS

### THE FOLLOWING RULES AND REGULATIONS ARE ADAPOTED FOR THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF ALL MEMBERS AND GUESTS

1. All persons using the range must sign the logbook and pay the applicable range fees prior to using the range.
2. The use of alcohol or drugs before or while shooting is strictly prohibited.
3. Smoking, drinking and eating are prohibited in the range area.
4. All persons present on the range, whether shooting or not, must wear appropriate ear and eye protection.
5. Each member is fully responsible for his or her guests on or about the Clubhouse premises at all times.
6. Only targets supplied by the club may be used on the range.
7. Whenever more than one person is on the range, one person must be designated as Range Officer responsible for range safety.
8. Each person on the range must obey the commands of the Range officer at all times. Failure to obey such commands is grounds for immediate expulsion from the range.
9. The Range Officer, any Instructor or any Officer of the Club, is authorized to direct any member or guest to cease shooting at any time or to direct anyone to leave the range or Clubhouse premises if unsafe behavior is observed at any time.
10. LOADED FIREARMS ARE PERMITTED ONLY IN FRONT OF THE RED LINE ON THE RANGE.
11. Loaded pistols must be kept pointed in a safe direction (i.e. down range) at all times.
12. No loaded pistols are permitted in the Clubhouse or behind the red line in the range area at any time.
13. NEVER UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCE HANDLE ANY FIREARM WHILE SOMEONE IS DOWN RANGE. Any violation of this rule is grounds for immediate expulsion from the range, permanent banishment from the range or suspension or expulsion from the Club.

14. While shooting, only one firearm is allowed on the bench at a time, with only five rounds in the magazine or cylinder at one time.
15. Keep your finger off the trigger until ready to fire. Do not commence firing until the Range Officer has given the okay to do so.
16. When you have completed firing, step back behind the red line. Your firearm should be left on the bench with the action open and the empty magazine out.
17. Do not proceed to the target area until the Range Officer has declared the line safe.
18. After changing targets, do not step in front of the red line until the Range officer has given the okay to do so.
19. Make sure the range area is cleaned before leaving. Sweep up and properly dispose of brass and excess gunpowder. Dispose of targets and empty garbage can if necessary.
20. Make sure the Clubhouse and range are secure before leaving. Turn off lights and range fans. Make sure the kitchen is clean if used. Verify doors are locked.
21. Do not adjust thermostats. If heat is desired, merely turn the timer knobs. Temperatures will be set back automatically when the timer run down.