



THE NATION'S OLDEST CONTINUING  
HANDGUN CLUB  
EST. 1908

## Club and Range Rules

1. **Object of the Cincinnati Revolver Club:** The club encourages organized pistol and revolver shooting to improved marksmanship with a view toward the safe handling and proper care of firearms. To insure these objectives, members will cooperate in the development of honesty, good fellowship, self-discipline, team play, and self-reliance, which are all essential to good sportsmanship.
2. **Shooting hours:** The Club is open from 8:00 am to 11:00 pm, every day of the year, with the following exceptions. The range is closed during NRA Approved or Registered matches, the day preceding such matches as may be required by the Executive Committee, during Monthly Warm-up Matches, and during publicized Club work dates. Keep activities outside of the Clubhouse to a minimum while on the property.
3. **Sign-In:** All members and their guests using the Club, unless attending Club Sponsored functions or matches, must sign in on the form provided.
4. **Guests:** Members are encouraged to teach safe firearms handling and marksmanship skills to family members and guests. If guests desire to attend the Club facilities on a regular basis, they are encouraged to support the Club through membership. It is prohibited to loan your door combination or otherwise extend membership privileges to Non-Members.
5. **Firearms Transportation and Operation:**
  - A. Unless you are an officer of the law or authorized to carry concealed weapon, transportation of loaded weapons and carrying of concealed weapons (loaded or not) onto Club property is prohibited.
  - B. When at the firing line, but not shooting, or when openly carrying a firearm through the Club facilities, guns must be safe with the action open (cylinders swung out, magazines out, slides back), and muzzle pointed in a safe direction. Guns may only be in battery during firing, or when the gun is stored (boxes or gun rugs) awaiting transportation to or from the range.
  - C. Targets must be locked in the full downrange position at 50 Feet before firing.

D. All rounds must stay within the target area. Any firearm operation that prevents all rounds from staying within the target area is prohibited.

6. **Firearms Safety:** Members and their guests shall, at all times while on the club property, conduct themselves in a safe manner and practice safe firearm handling. Failure to abide by this rule shall subject the offending member to such reasonable sanctions as shall be deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors. Such member shall be entitled to a hearing on the issue before the Board upon timely request.

7. **Allowable Firearm Ammunition:** Limitations of the range facility such as ventilation, backstop material and fixtures make it is necessary to restrict firearms and ammunition that can be used in the range.

A. General Prohibitions:

1. No muzzle loading weapons or cartridges with black powder.
2. No shotguns or center fire rifles.
3. No shot cartridges.
4. No bottleneck rifle or handgun cartridges.
5. No metal jacketed bullets except .45 ACP hardball used by those receiving prior approval of the executive committee to practice for National Trophy Matches.
6. No .22 cal. Hyper-Velocity ammunition.
7. No Magnum or Plus P (+P) Loads.

B. Allowable Cartridges:

1. Only 22 rimfire standard or high velocity short, long and long rifle in handgun or rifle.
2. Cast or soft lead bullets in cartridges loaded to mid-range velocities of **no more than 800 feet per second.**

Violation of any of the above rules will result in the expulsion of the offender, including termination of membership privileges as provided for in Article IV, Section E of the constitution of the Cincinnati Revolver Club.

Approved by the Executive Committee on 21 December, 1970

Amended on 13 January, 1977; 3 November, 1983; 3 March 1988; 21 December 1994; 2 June 2016; 3 November 2016.

I hereby state that I have acquainted myself with the above rules and certified that I will abide by them.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_