



SPOKANE VALLEY

Rifle and Pistol Club

THREE FUNDAMENTAL RULES FOR GUN SAFETY

● **ALWAYS keep the gun pointed in a safe direction.**

Point the gun so that even if it were to go off, it would not cause injury or damage.

● **ALWAYS keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.**

The finger should rest alongside the gun, i.e., on the frame, receiver, or trigger guard.

● **ALWAYS keep the gun unloaded until ready to use.**

Safeties can fail. Safe gun handling rules should be followed at all times!

- 1) All federal, state, and local firearm laws must be obeyed.
- 2) Actions must be open with muzzle pointed in a safe direction upon arrival, when not firing, and when being carried to and from vehicles.
- 3) No handling or adjusting of firearms while cease-fire is called and the range is cold. Do Not go down range until you hear the RSO's command "range is cold, you may go down range."
- 4) All rounds must impact either a target or the backstop behind the target. Do not shoot frames, or target supports.
- 5) Anyone seeing an unsafe condition may declare a cease-fire.
- 6) Absolutely no smoking, alcohol, or drug usage or impairment allowed.
- 7) Shoot only at established targets. Absolutely NO shooting at Trash IE: bottles, glass, license plates or appliances.
- 8) Eye and ear protection required for all shooters and non-shooters.
- 9) Tannerite, Tracer, Armor-Piercing, Steel Core, Incendiary, and/or Explosive rounds are prohibited.
- 10) Stop shooting immediately upon the command of "Cease Fire!"
- 11) No live firing is allowed closer than 10 yards from a backstop or steel target.
- 12) Locate all targets in alignment with the impact area of the backstop.
- 13) The Range Officer has absolute authority on the range. Non-compliance will get you banned from this range forever!

RANGE RULES FOR MINORS

The following rules apply to all minors (a person under the age of 18) shooting on any of the SVRPC ranges:

- 1) Any minor shooting must have adult supervision as further described below.
- 2) Adult supervision is defined as:
 - a) One adult per minor supervising at arm's length at all times while on the firing line.
 - b) The adult may not be shooting or engaged in other activities while supervising a minor shooter.
- 3) For pistol shooting only, a minor must be 14 years of age or older.

COURTESY

- 1) Please remove all targets after shooting is completed.
- 2) Please deposit trash and unwanted targets in the trash cans provided.
- 3) Anyone in obvious violation of range rules will be asked to leave. This may be enforced by the Sheriff's Office as a public safety issue.

Member signature

Date