



BPW Gun Range Policy

1. Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to establish the rules, procedures, and operating requirements for the safe and orderly use of the BPW Gun Range. These guidelines are intended to promote firearm safety, protect the public, and ensure that all visitors have a safe and enjoyable experience.

2. Facility Description

The BPW Gun Range includes designated areas for pistol, rifle, and skeet shooting.

Use of the pistol and rifle ranges is provided at no charge. Skeet shooting requires the purchase of skeet tickets, which may be purchased at the Cherokee County Main Office during normal business hours, Monday through Thursday, from 7:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

3. Eligibility

Use of the BPW Gun Range is limited to residents of Cherokee County, South Carolina.

All users must present a valid South Carolina driver's license or South Carolina identification card upon entry to verify residency.

4. Hours of Operation

The gun range is open Tuesday through Saturday according to the following seasonal schedule:

April through September

- 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

October through March



- 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

All firing must cease 15 minutes prior to the posted closing time to allow for a safe shutdown of range operations.

5. Location

BPW Gun Range
1421 Victory Trail Road
Gaffney, South Carolina 29340



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GUN RANGE RULES

- Ranges may only be used during open days and hours of operation.
- Approved eye and ear protection MUST be used at ALL times by shooters and spectators.
- Visitors may NOT be under the influence of or in possession of alcoholic beverages or other controlled substances. No alcoholic beverages, drugs, or any other controlled substances are allowed.
- ALL FIREARMS ENTERING OR LEAVING THE RANGE MUST BE UNLOADED AND PROPERLY CASED.
- LOADING AND UNLOADING of the firearm may only be completed at the firing line with the muzzle pointed down range.
- ALL FIREARMS MUST BE UNLOADED AND ACTIONS OPEN WHILE TARGETS ARE BEING HUNG OR CHECKED.
- Persons under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult (age 21 or older) who is responsible for their actions. Persons under the age of 16 are not allowed to be on the firing line at the pistol range without direct supervision.
- Only paper or cardboard targets may be used.
- Incendiary or explosive targets are prohibited.
- All targets must be located so that a bullet will strike between the base of and halfway up the backstop/berm so that no bullet strikes the ground in front of the backstop/berm.
- All visitors must clean up their areas. All targets, litter, and spent ammunition cases must be removed by the shooter before leaving.



- No shooter may fire from points other than designated firing points. Shooters may only shoot targets in their lane.
- Food, drinks, and tobacco products are prohibited on the firing line at all times.
- Climbing on berms or benches is prohibited.
- Open toed shoes are prohibited on the firing line.
- No firearm of a .50 caliber or greater may be used. Muzzle loaders above .50 caliber are allowed.
- The following ammunition types are prohibited: tracer and/or incendiary ammunition, armor piercing or penetrator rounds.
- The possession of a fully automatic weapon is prohibited.
- Any activity that would be considered to present a safety hazard is prohibited.

Remember the Basics of Firearm Safety

1. Treat all guns as if they are loaded
2. Control your muzzle: Keep your firearm pointed down range at ALL times
3. Be sure of your target and what is beyond.
4. Keep your finger outside of the trigger guard until you are ready to shoot.