

## **YATES COUNTY SPORTSMEN'S ASSOCIATION YCSA FIRING RANGE RULES**

1. *Federal, State, & local firearm laws must be obeyed.*
2. *Range open daily 8:30 am - sunset: club members only.*
3. *Possession/use of alcohol or illegal possession/use of controlled substances are prohibited.*
4. *Members who appear intoxicated will be asked to leave and will not be permitted on the Range.*
5. *Always keep firearms pointed down range in a safe direction.*
6. *Always keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.*
7. *Always keep your weapon unloaded, except for holstered, on person, handguns.*
8. *When transporting guns from the vehicle, they will be holstered, cased, or carried vertically with the action open to the Range shooting bench, gun rack, or to the Trap/Skeet Range.*
9. **Cease Fire:** *All shooters will immediately stop firing when anyone issues a Cease Fire.*
10. **Cold Range:** *Shooters must check with each other to ensure that weapons are laid down bench, with actions open. Handling of weapons, anywhere including on the Bench or Gun Rack while a member is down range are grounds for immediate removal from the Range and possible Membership sanctions.*
11. **Hot Range:** *When down range is clear, shooters will check with each other declaring going HOT or LIVE before firing can begin.*
12. *Loading of weapons will be done on the shooting bench, except for holstered handguns with the exception of loading procedures on the Skeet/Trap Range.*
13. *There will be no hand to hand transfers of weapons on the firing line without the weapon first being unloaded and then put on the shooting Bench before transferred.*
14. *Only Paper or Cardboard targets are allowed (other than existing metal plates). No bottles, plastic, or metal (cans), bowling pins are allowed. Target setup, removal and disposal are the member's responsibility as well as spent brass, except for rim fire. "Carry In > Carry Out"*
15. *At the 25 yard line. Shooting of steel plates with 22 Rim fire and hand gun only.*
16. *Anyone who shoots at any of the yardage markers, range open sign, Pavilion, Club House, and other members target is prohibited and will cause their immediate removal from the Range. Said member may have Criminal, Civil or Membership sanctions brought against them.*
17. *All members and guests on the firing line will wear hearing and eye protection.*
18. *Proper attire is required for safety reasons.*
19. *The YCSA may appoint Range Officers to monitor the range at any time. The Range Officer may remove any member or member's guest or not allow access to the facilities for any violation of the foregoing.*
20. *All members, family members, guests required to sign Range Form. Guest(s) also to sign Waiver Form.*

*I have read all of the forgoing. I understand and will abide by the Range Rules*

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**Members, family member or guest(s) signature and date**