

# FCVCC SAFETY RULES AND REGULATIONS for Action Pistol Range

*Safety is not only the RSO's responsibility, but yours also!!!*

In addition to the *General Range Rules*, the following rules apply **ONLY** to the Action Pistol Range.

1. Action Pistol Range is not open to casual shooters and is only to be used during organized/supervised events and approved training classes, which are lead by Authorized Action Pistol Staff. (see list of Authorized Staff at end of these rules.)
2. Each member and guest must sign the Action Pistol Range sign-in sheet & pay \$5 range fee before shooting. Range fee goes to Support the Action Pistol Fund. Special Action Pistol events may require additional range fees.
3. Children age 10 and over may participate if accompanied by a parent or guardian. Youth fee is the same as listed in #2 above.
4. Proper eye and ear protection is to be worn at all times by shooters and spectators, when range is hot.
5. Proper firearm safety is to be observed at all times.
6. Prior to start of an event, a brief safety meeting will be held. **ALL** shooters must be present for the meeting. Late arriving shooters may be allowed to participate at the discretion of the match director.
7. Firearms must remain unloaded and holstered or cased at all times except under the direct supervision of the RSO during the shooter's turn:
  - a. Firearms may be handled at the safe table. ***NO AMMUNITION is to be present while handling at the safe table.***
  - b. Magazines, speed loaders and moon clips may be reloaded in the spectator area, but firearms shall not be handled.
8. During Periods of extended daylight during the summer, shooting will cease no later than 8:30 p.m. During periods of shorter daylight, shooting may continue later if lights are available, with shooting ceasing no later than 8:30 p.m. It is at the discretion of the match director to continue or complete a match beyond 8:30 p.m. If lights are not available, shooting will cease no later than 30 minutes before sunset. At the discretion of the match director, shooting may cease earlier if visibility is poor.
9. Other members and guests may use the main firing line and enclosed pistol range while Action Pistol is taking place. However, if the Action Pistol Range is unusable during the normally scheduled time, the match director has the discretion to move Action Pistol to the end of the rifle range and close the main shooting line and enclosed range to other shooters.
10. Brass policy: Do **NOT** pick up brass at the end of your turn (except moon clips). At the end of the night, brass will be divided evenly among those shooters who stay and help to pick it up.
11. Within the boundaries of safe firearm practices, additional rules for the evening may be set by mutual agreement among the participants with RSO approval.
12. The match director has the discretion to modify or add rules as necessary. In case of any disagreement or dispute, the Match Director's Decision Is Final.

### **Authorized and Prohibited Guns/Ammo**

1. Pistol and revolvers in normal handgun calibers, excluding .50 cal.
2. Pistol-caliber rifles are not permitted except during special events.
3. Silencers / suppressors are permitted.
4. Shooters are expected to have sufficient number of magazines or speed loaders. Reloading of magazines or speed loaders and manual loading of revolvers is not permitted while shooting a stage.
5. For non-competitive stages or strings, the shooter may use any capacity magazine. When a competition is being staged, magazine capacity will be decided by mutual consent. If mutual consent cannot be reached, capacity will be decided by the match director.
6. Shooters may bring a firearm to the starting point in a holster, bag or case. If bagged or cased, the firearm must point downrange while being removed from the bag or case. *Cross-draw and small-of-back holsters are not permitted.* Any method of holstering, carrying, or drawing that may create a “sweeping” hazard is not permitted.

### **Authorized Action Pistol Staff Members**

The following list of Action Pistol Staff will be assigned by Mike Cameron. These individuals will have access to the Action Pistol Range without Mike’s supervision. They have demonstrated advanced understanding of the above rules and execution of Running Action Pistol firing line as an RSO.

- a. Mike Cameron (Program Manager) ([actionpistol\\_fcvc@outlook.com](mailto:actionpistol_fcvc@outlook.com))
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