

FENTON LAKES SPORTSMAN'S CLUB



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ACCESS, RULES, POLICIES & PROCEDURES

Indoor Range
100 Yard Range
50 Yard Range
25 Yard Range
Sporting Clays
Archery Range
03-D Archery Course

Outdoor Ranges Hours of Operation:

9:00 AM To Dusk Monday Thru Saturday

9:00 AM To 5:00 PM Sunday

Shooting after 5:00 PM on Sunday is Prohibited!

Club Management

Bill Hohloch – President – 810-869-5136
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Hunting anywhere on Club Property is strictly forbidden!

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CARD ACCESS SYSTEM

Magnetic Access Card

Your card is programmed to unlock the front doors, the door to the stairs down to the indoor range and the indoor range access door. The card readers are a small box attached to the wall adjacent to the door you are opening. The light on the card reader will show red. Swipe your card and the light will momentarily flash green and the door is unlocked. When you enter the door you must make sure it closes completely behind you. You must not block or prop the door open.

Lights and Ventilation Fans

A motion sensor is set to detect your presence as you descend the stairs. The hallway and indoor range lights will turn on and after a seven minute delay the range ventilation fans will activate. If the system does not detect motion in any 20 minute time span, the lights and ventilation system will turn off.

Cameras

There are several cameras in the indoor range and hallways. Activity is being recorded 24 hours a day seven days a week. Your access card is not to be loaned out to another person even if that person is a member of the club.

Leaving the building

The range door uses a door release type lock. To exit turn the knob. As you move up the stairs a motion sensor will unlock the left side door panel. Just push the door open to exit. If you delay your exit on the stairs the lock may re-engage and you will need to use the "Emergency Exit" button by holding it in as you push the door open. As you enter the foyer a motion sensor will unlock the front doors. Again, if you delay your exit the door lock may re-engage and you will need to use the "Emergency Exit" button by holding it in as you push the door open.

Securing the building

You are responsible for securing the building. You must ensure the locking system has activated and the doors are locked upon your departure. In the event the magnetic locks fail to engage and the entry doors remain unlocked, you must immediately notify the indoor range manager. If you cannot contact the indoor range manager you must contact a club officer or board member and remain in place until help arrives. Emergency phone numbers are located at the indoor range sign-in desk, on the front cover of this booklet and under "Contacts" at www.fentonlakes.com

Battery backup of magnetic locking system

You cannot get locked in the building during a power failure. The system has a battery backup to ensure the doors remain operational.

Recording of member access

Your magnetic access card is unique and registered to you. The system maintains a permanent data file of all entry events. As your exit is not recorded it is a good practice for someone to know you are using the indoor range.

Limitations to indoor range access:

During hall rentals or showings.

During league events.

During police department range or club rentals.

During new member orientation.

Check the calendar at www.fentonlakes.com for these events. It is a shame to drive all the way to the club and not be able to shoot because you failed to check the schedule.

General Policies and Procedures-All Ranges

1. Both open and concealed carry are permitted on and in our facilities as it is anywhere under Michigan Law.
2. Loaded firearms must remain holstered except when on the firing line. If you intend to draw from concealment you must first notify the Range Safety Officer "RSO" or other shooters if no "RSO" is present and all other shooters must be behind the firing line. If participating in a sport that requires drawing from concealment, the rules of that sport's sanctioning body apply.
3. Instructors are required to carry loaded firearms during some training activities. During major events club officers, providing security, are required to be armed.
4. Carry of loaded long guns must be approved by the Board of Directors.
5. All members and guests must sign in and sign out for all range usage. Guests must sign or have signed the "Release" agreement and pay the current range usage fee before any shooting activity.
6. The guest range fee is good for the use of one or more ranges for that day only.
7. A member may not bring more than two (2) guests at a time. The member is responsible for the safety of their guest(s). When a guest is shooting, the member may not shoot.
8. All NRA safety rules are to be adhered to at all times.
9. Always keep the gun pointed in a safe direction.
10. Always keep your finger off the trigger until you're ready to shoot. Do not carry loaded guns back and forth.
11. Always keep the gun unloaded until you are ready to use it.
12. Always know your target and what is behind it.
13. Be sure your firearm is safe to operate.
14. Use only correct ammo for your firearm.
15. Always use ear and eye protection.
16. Never use alcohol or drugs before or while shooting.
17. Make sure to store firearms properly while not in use or unattended.
18. Be aware that many types of firearms and shooting activities require special safety considerations.
19. Only paper or cardboard targets/backers are to be used on all ranges.
20. All targets must be set at the range specified target line. No targets shall be set closer to the shooter by any means. No "high speed" shooting is allowed.
21. No cross lane shooting or shooting while moving.
22. Children must have adult supervision on and off the ranges.
23. Brass, trash and used targets/backers must be cleaned up and disposed of properly.

Rules Specific to the Indoor Range

1. No food or drinks are allowed on the indoor range.
2. No shooting in front of the seven yard line (second black line).
3. No shooting while the range access door is open.
4. No shooting unless the north entry door is closed and locked.
5. No shooting when the hall or range is being used for another function without board approval.
6. Before moving in front of the firing line, all firearms must be unloaded with cylinder open, slides locked back and magazines removed. The firearm will be placed with the muzzle pointed down range or unloaded and holstered.
7. No one handles a firearm while anyone is in front of the firing line.
8. No dry firing in the ready room(s).
9. No loaded guns in the ready room(s) except holstered guns carried under the FLSC Firearm Carry Policy.
10. No magnum, high speed or metal core ammunition will be used.

The following calibers are specifically prohibited on the Indoor Range:

1. Rifle calibers except the .22 rim fire
2. All shotgun gauges including 410 handguns
3. 5.45 x 18mm Soviet and 5.7 x 28mm
4. 22 Remington Jet Magnums
5. Winchester Center Fire & 22 Hornet
6. 221 Remington Fireball
7. 256 Winchester Magnum
8. 7mm Bench Rest Remington
9. 7.62 Micro – Whisper & 7.63 Mini – Whisper
10. 9mm Action Express & 9 x 25mm Dillon
11. 9mm Winchester Magnum
12. 30 Carbine
13. 357 Herrett, 357 Mag or 357 Remington Mag
14. 10mm Automatic
15. 400 Cor–Bon and 401 Herter Powermag
16. 40-44 Woodswalker
17. 40-454 JDJ
18. 41 Special and 41 Remington Magnum
19. 44-40 Winchester and 44 Auto Mag
20. 44 Magnum and 44 Remington Thompson
21. 440 Cor-Bon and 445 Super Magnum
22. 45 Winchester Magnum and 454 Casuil
23. 458 x 1 ½ Barnes and 460 S&W
24. 475 Linebaugh, 475 JDJ and 475 Wildey Mag
25. 480 Ruger and 50 Action Express
26. 500 S&W and 500 Linebaugh

ANY OTHER CARTRIDGE WITH SIMILAR OR HIGHER VELOCITY OR ENERGY IS ALSO FORBIDDEN ON THE INDOOR RANGE!

Rules Specific to the Outdoor Ranges

These rules apply to by all users. This includes all members, guests, police department rentals, and special events (unless otherwise approved by the FLSC Board).

1. Only paper or cardboard targets/backers are allowed. Do not use cans, bottles, golf balls, metal of any type or any other material that could cause a projectile to leave the specified range area.
2. All targets must be set at the specified target line. No targets shall be set closer to the shooter by any means. It is ok to move forward to engage the target line as long as it is done safely and all shooters are shooting at the same distance. Violators receive immediate loss of membership.
3. Do not use the 25 yard barricades on the 50 yard range to attach targets at anytime. If you are going to use the 50 yard range and the 25 yard barricades are in place and in your line of fire, you must remove them and lay them in a down position before shooting.
4. Wooden frames shall be used to support targets and backers. You must refrain from attaching targets in a way that will destroy or damage the wooden frames.
5. No shooting from a prone, kneeling or sitting on the ground position from any closer than 25 yards.
6. You must be aware of where your shots are going. If you are unsure of where a bullets point of impact will be, you must start on a shorter range or use a shorter distance to the target line.
7. No cross lane shooting, shooting while moving, SWAT type tactics, trick shooting, etc. is allowed. Targets must remain on the established target line and never over six feet in height.
8. Targets may never be placed higher on the berm and shooting from an elevated position on another berm is strictly prohibited. For example, you may not use the back of the 50 yard berm while shooting on the 25 yard range.

Violations and Enforcement

1. The use of the Cowboy Action Range is not open to the general membership. Strict controls are required in the type and power of ammunition allowed and there must be a Range Safety Officer present whenever the range is in use.

2. Any violations of access, rules, policies or procedures may result in the loss of Range Privileges or Membership. Arguing with a Range Safety Officer or Instructor is grounds for disciplinary action including loss of Membership.

3. Club Officers, Board Members and Range Safety Officers have a duty to enforce all NRA safety rules and FLSC specific rules, policies and procedures. All shooters must observe the rules, policies and procedures including the enforcement of such rules, policies and procedures by any member whether previously mentioned or not.

4. An "Incident Report" must be completed in the event of accidents, incidents or unsafe conditions by all members and guests present.

5. **Accidents:** The Club defines "Accidents" as medical emergencies or injuries, such as, but not limited to, heat stroke, cardiac arrest, broken bones, bee stings or any other sudden or unforeseen injury to any person. Accidents shall be responded to by the first person on the scene. Notification of proper authorities using any means available. The emergency phone in the indoor range will connect with 911 emergency services when the receiver is lifted. No dialing is required. After calling 911, appropriate first aid should be rendered, if possible. First aid kits are located at each range, the "Clays" house and the Club house. Once the emergency is over, you must notify an RSO, range manager or club officer and complete an "Incident Report". The "Incident Report" should be given to an RSO, range manager or club officer as soon as possible. Forms are available at each range, the "Clays" house and the Club house.

6. **Incidents:** The Club defines "Incidents" as events involving Club equipment, property, buildings or other non- life threatening situations including, but not limited to, fires, water leaks, gas leaks, downed power lines, equipment breakage or malfunctions. "Incidents" should be reported to an RSO, range manager or Club officer as soon as possible and an "Incident Report" should be completed and submitted.

7. **Unsafe Conditions:** The Club defines "Unsafe Conditions": as a violation of range rules, unauthorized persons on the range, unruly behavior, or other general unsafe conditions such as worn equipment, missing safety items and general environmental hazards. Unsafe conditions shall be reported by the person witnessing the condition to an RSO, range manager or club officer and an "Incident Report" shall be completed as soon as possible. Failure to report unsafe conditions in a timely manner shall subject the member or members to disciplinary action up to and including loss of club membership.

8. If you see anyone being unsafe or under the influence of drugs or alcohol while on any range or club property you must leave the area immediately and notify a member of the FLSC Board of Directors or a club officer whenever a "Range Safety Officer" is not immediately available.

If the incident is particularly dangerous, please call 911 for police assistance.

Sporting Clays

1. 15 plus stations on a one mile course
2. Specific ammunition regulations enforced
3. No more than 2 shells loaded at a time
4. 2 different gauges in the same gun is not allowed
5. Open to the public on Saturday and Sunday
6. Cost is discounted for club members
7. Keys available for high volume members

Archery / 3-D Archery

1. Broad head arrows strictly prohibited. Long bows, compound bows and cross bows are allowed.
2. 30+ Targets through the woods and hills
3. Open to the public the 4th Sunday of each month from April thru September.
4. Cost for Members: \$6.00, Non-Members: \$8.00
5. Cost for Youth Shooters: \$5.00

Single Action Shooting Society (SASS)

AKA-Cowboy Action Shooting (CAS)

CAS is a competitive sport that uses the guns and costumes of the late 1800's. Steel targets are used with firearms designed before 1900. Rifles, shotguns and two single action revolvers are used in various scenarios. The FLSC Cowboy Division is affiliated with State and National organizations.

FLSC Firearms Training

1. NRA First Steps Pistol, Rifle & Shotgun
2. NRA Personal Protection in the Home, MI CPL/CCW
3. NRA Personal Protection Outside the Home
4. Hunter Safety & Junior Rifle
5. John Ousnamer, NRA Firearms Instructor
flscgunteacher@fentonlakes.com

Clubhouse Rental

1. Banquet Hall seats 300 people
2. Large commercial kitchen & bar area
3. Outdoor gazebo for wedding ceremonies
4. Cost per day (member discount available)
5. Additional charges for early set-up
6. Contact Marcia Hohloch (Hall Manager)
810-629-7964 or 810-694-5735

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

1. First Aid kits are located in the emergency response mail boxes at every outdoor range and are marked with a large red cross. The first aid kit in the indoor range is located in front of the control booth.
2. Indoor Range Red Emergency Phone is located below the window on the front of the control booth. When the receiver is lifted 911 is automatically dialed. Remain on the line to explain the emergency.
3. A Land Line Phone is located in the control booth and the Clays House, however, access is limited.
4. Club Address (your location) is:
1140 Butcher Road
Fenton, Michigan 48430
(in Fenton Township, about a mile east of Fenton Rd and north of the Fenton City Limits)
810-919-3724
5. Club Officers contact information is located at the sign-in desk at the indoor range, the Clays Building, and at all emergency response mail boxes at each range.