

AVSSC Shotgun Section General Range Policies

These Policies apply to the 2 Skeet fields, the Trap field, including the Manual Thrower, the Pattern Board, 5 Stand Range and when shooting Sporting Clays.

- AVSSC Membership Cards must be worn and visible while on the property.
- Any guest must be signed in and supervised at all times by the Member signing them in.
- All shooters must wear Safety Glasses and Hearing Protection on all fields.
- Only **TARGET LOAD (2 ¾ Dram)** or **HANDICAP LOAD (3 Dram)** with #7 ½, #8 or #9 shot may be used on our fields.
- Shooters must pay for their targets and shells immediately after they have completed shooting for the day.
- Double barrel break action, pump action or semi-automatic Field, Sporting or Trap Shotguns with a minimum barrel length of 22 inches are highly recommended. Short barrel "Tactical" and "Home Defence" or bolt action shotguns are **NOT** recommended. **Pistol grip or Raptor grip shotguns without a full shoulder mounting stock are prohibited on all shotgun ranges.**
- Due to the wide range of shotguns and aftermarket alterations available, the suitability of any shotgun to be used on our fields will be determined by the Section Chair or their designate and the decision will be final.
- The electric machines on the Skeet, Trap and 5 stand fields are to be powered up, loaded, adjusted or otherwise maintained by a qualified Section Member **ONLY**. These members have been designated by the Section Chair. If you have not been designated **DO NOT TOUCH THE MACHINES.**
- **HAND THROWERS** are **prohibited** on all shotgun fields. The mechanical thrower on the Trap Field is available to use on non-Section Shooting Days.
- **MECHANICAL THROWER** - When using the mechanical thrower on the trap field, shooters must stand on one of the 5 shooting stations on the trap field.
- **PATTERN BOARD** - When using the pattern board shooters must use one of the 2 cement block shooting stations. One is 17' from the board and the other is 30' from the board.
- All unbroken birds are considered club property and should not be removed from the premises.

For the full Section Policies, please refer to the AVSSC Policy Manual.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to email the Shotgun Section Chair at shotgun@avssc.ca .