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2021 MEMBER GUIDEBOOK

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South Central Junior Marksmanship Club Leadership

The following club members have agreed to and been elected to coordinate the various club functions. Please contact the designated member regarding any questions concerning club activities.

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If there are any concerns, especially safety, please don't wait to bring it up immediately to Kevin McDaniel or one of the delegated RSO's at the club.

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Mission Statement

The South-Central Junior Marksmanship Club is dedicated to the promotion of shooting sports through providing education in the safe use of firearms to area youth, while developing their marksmanship skill for open competition.

It is our goal that members learn, above all, the SAFE use of firearms. Through participation in the club, all members shall be able to demonstrate responsible handling of firearms.

Basic Firearm Safety Rules:

1. Treat all firearms as if they are loaded, at all times
2. Always keep the firearm pointed in a safe direction
3. Always keep your finger off the trigger and out of the trigger guard until ready to shoot
4. Always keep the gun unloaded until ready to use

Members are expected to practice firearm safety at all times, especially while on the range! It is up to EVERYONE to ensure safe firearm use / practice in order to protect each other. If you see and individual behaving in an unsafe manner talk to them and a member of the board, if on the firing line, immediately discuss it with the RSO.

Range Rules:

Members must follow all safety and range rules. Range rules are reviewed during orientation and are posted on the range. A printed copy of the range rules is distributed annually in the South Central Junior Marksmanship Club member guide. Additional printed copies are available upon request, rules are also posted on the range.

Clubhouse Rules:

The South Central Junior Marksmanship Club has the following rules for the clubhouse:

1. Everyone helps setup and tear down the range
2. Everyone picks up after themselves
3. You brought it, you take it
4. We are a guest at North Bristol Sportsman's Club, act like one

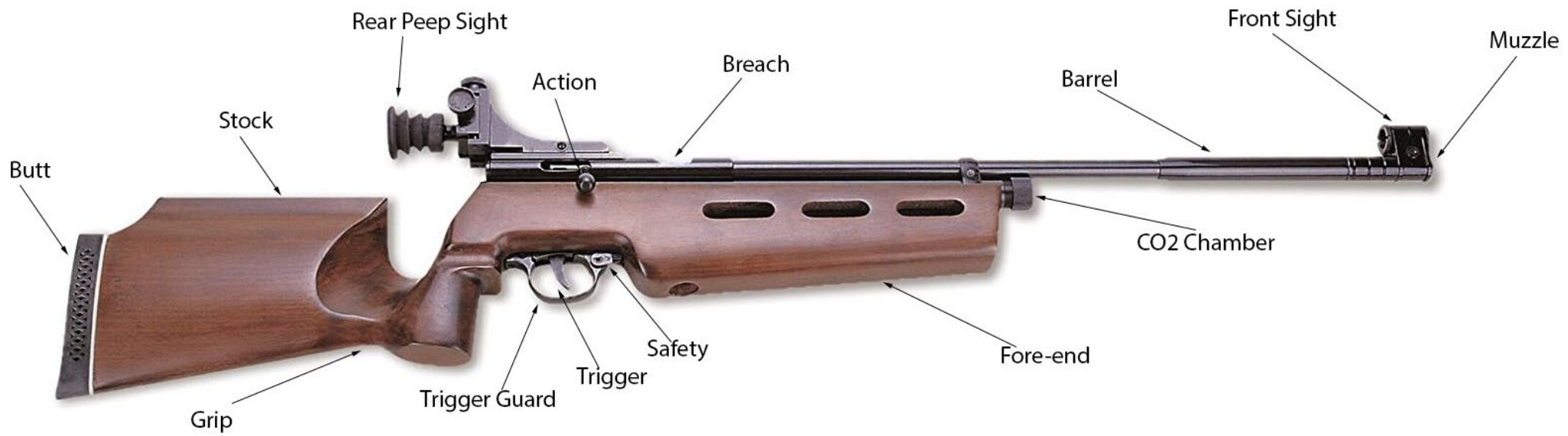
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Detailed Range Safety Rules

1. Always treat all firearms as if they are loaded, at all times
2. Always keep the firearm pointed in a safe direction (when inside that is either UP or pointed downrange)
3. Always keep your finger off the trigger and out of the trigger guard until ready to shoot
4. Always keep the gun unloaded, safety on, chamber open with an empty chamber indicator (flag) installed, until you are ready to use
5. Never point the firearm at anything you don't intend to shoot
6. Be sure of your target and what is beyond it
7. Learn how the firearm you are using works
8. Always use proper ammunition
9. Be sure the barrel is clear of obstructions before loading and shooting
10. If your firearm fails to fire when the trigger is pulled, keep it pointed down range and NOTIFY THE RANGE SAFETY OFFICER IMMEDIATELY
11. Don't rely on the firearm's safety to keep it from firing
12. Be aware of your surroundings when handling firearms so you don't trip or lose your balance (this can help prevent an accidental, uncontrolled discharge of the firearm)
13. No messing around on the firing line and do not be distracting while waiting your turn to shoot!

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Beeman Air-Rifle Component Illustration



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ORGANIZATION

Board Members Shall:

- Set policy and procedure
- Establish, maintain and report the financial position of the club
- Recommend membership options and opportunities to enhance the experience of the club members
- Act on disciplinary recommendations (if required)

The Range Safety Master Shall:

- Act as overall authority of the range during a shooting session
- Insure the safe conduct of all participants
- Instruct shooters of the safe use of a firearm
- Supervise the range activities
- Supervise the shooting relays
- Assign duties as applicable to Range Safety Officers and Safety Officers
- Recommend disciplinary action to the board

Range Officers Shall:

- Provide a safe range for all shooters
- Give undivided attention to range activities when assigned
- Instruct shooters in the safe use of a firearm
- Enforce safety rule compliance
- Enforce code of conduct compliance
- Recommend disciplinary action to the board

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Parents of Members Shall:

- Follow all safety rules and the code of conduct (Facility, Firearms, Range and Membership)
- Assist shooters when instructed
- Make sure your Child(ren) are obeying all safety rules and the code of conduct
- Pay membership (session) dues promptly at the beginning of each session
- Participate in financial fund-raising activities when requested
- Help setup and tear down range after each session
- Make sure your child(ren) participate in the awards potluck dinner at the end of each session
- Above all else, encourage your child(ren) in a positive and constructive manner

Members (Juniors) Shall:

- Follow ALL safety rules
- Follow all code of conduct rules
- Obey instructions from: Range Master, Rand and Safety Officers
- Show respect to all
- Ask questions if instructions are not understood (members are expected to raise hands and wait patiently to be helped)
- Help setup and tear down range before and after each session. This means helping move tables and stack chairs out of the way. Many hands make light work!

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CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT

1. Respect your instructors: This means that you are expected to listen to your instructors at all times and to comply with their instructions
2. Respect the equipment: Members will be expected to replace any equipment that is damaged or broken due to improper use
3. Behave Safely: This includes following all rules as established by the club
4. Respect fellow members: Absolutely no verbal or physical harassment will be tolerated
5. Clean up after yourself: Members are expected to put away any and all equipment used before they leave the event. Members are also expected to keep the clubhouse and ground in good repair
6. Help setup and tear down: There is a good deal of work that needs to be done to make the indoor range ready (moving tables and stacking chairs), it is expected that all members help with these efforts

We have had the opportunity to read and understand the rules of the South-Central Junior Marksmanship Club. We understand that failure to comply with any of the club's rules can result in immediate dismissal. If the instructors at South-Central Junior Marksmanship Club feel that the violation is one that can be remediated, the parents and the member will be invited to discuss the violation and may be allowed to remain in the club under a probationary period. If at the end of the probationary period the member is found to be in compliance with the behavior expect of members, they will be allowed to participate as a full member. If the member has not corrected the behavior in question, they will be dismissed from the club.

By signing below, the parent and the junior member are agreeing that they have had an opportunity to have any questions that they may have answered. Their signature indicates that they agree to abide by the code of conduct as established by the South-Central Junior Marksmanship Club.

Parent Signature: _____

Junior Member Signature: _____

Instructor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

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WAIVER OF LIABILITY – INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT – COVENANT NOT TO SUE

I acknowledge that I am over the age of eighteen (18) years. I, and on behalf of my heirs, agents, assigns, beneficiaries, executors and administrators, state that I understand that the activity that I have chosen to allow my child to participate in (and / or observe) at the South-Central Junior Marksmanship Club (hereinafter "SCJMC") is hazardous in that loaded firearms and weapons are discharged not only by my child but also by other SCJMC members and guests. My child and I agree to read and abide by all SCJMC rules, policies, and operating guidelines. I agree to assume any and all risks associated to and with the use of the facilities, including but not limited to: participation in SCJMC sponsored events, and the use and discharge of firearms, accidental discharge of firearms, and loss of property through misplacement, loss of theft while at SCJMC.

I, and on behalf of my heirs, agents, assigns, beneficiaries, executors and administrators, for consideration of being allowed to enter and use the facilities and services of SCJMC, and to observe shooting competitions, and for other valuable considerations, do hereby absolutely and unequivocally agree to release, save and hold harmless SCJMC, the Officers, Directors and members of SCJMC, its sponsors, agents, instructors, volunteers, assigns and successors in interest from any claim, demand or liability (whether claimed by myself or another person or entity) which may arise out of any loss, damage, injury or death which my child / I may sustain, as well as any theft, unexplained disappearance or damage which may befall my child's / my property accompanying me (whether while en route to, during participation in or during observation of the event(s), and while en route from the event, or while on the SCJMC premises) where any of the match events occur, with the above use of facilities and services. **I VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS FOR MY FAMILY MEMBERS, GUESTS AND MYSELF (and heirs, agents, assigns, beneficiaries, executors and administrators).**

I, On behalf of myself and all family members, agree to indemnify and hold harmless SCJMC, the Officers and Members of SCJMC, its sponsors, agents, instructors, volunteers, assigns and successors in interest of r any and all damages caused by my child's / my use of the SCJMC range and discharge of firearms which would include, but not be limited to, damages or personal injuries caused by my child's / my negligence and / or the negligence of other persons that I have brought to SCJMC, and attorney fees and costs to defend any and all claims brought against SCJMC, the Officers, Directors, and members of SCJMC, its agents, instructors, volunteers, assigns, and successors in interest resulting from my child's / my use of the SCJMC facilities or that of other persons that I have brought to SCJMC.

I further acknowledge the right of the SCJMC Officers, Directors, or Range Safety Officers to **IMMEDIATELY TERMINATE MY CHILD'S PARTICIPATION** in activities upon any failure of my child, myself or my guests to fully comply with all SCJMC rules, policies and operating guidelines and directions of the Range Safety Officer. I hereby state that I am under NO legal injunction that prohibits my owning, possessing, handling or using any of the firearms used in events at SCJMC.

By my signature below, I certify that I have read, understand and agree to the terms and conditions of this Release and Waiver and the SCJMC rules, policies and operating guidelines. I also agree that I, along with my child and any guests we have brought will, at all times within the SCJMC range, wear appropriate eye and ear protection. It is intended that this Release and Waiver be valid for all visits SCJMC upon my signature of this document for now and any times in the future.

I acknowledge that the foregoing agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the law of the State of Wisconsin and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full force and effect. I understand that the terms of this agreement are legally binding and that I am signing this agreement, after having carefully read it, of my own free will.

MEMBER

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If user is under 18 years old: Parent / Guardian Consent

I, as parent or guardian of the above minor under 18 years of age, hereby consent, on behalf of said minor, to the terms and conditions set forth in this **Waiver of Liability – Indemnification Agreement – Covenant Not to Sue.**

Parent / Guardian Name (Print): _____

Parent / Guardian (Signature): _____ Date: _____