

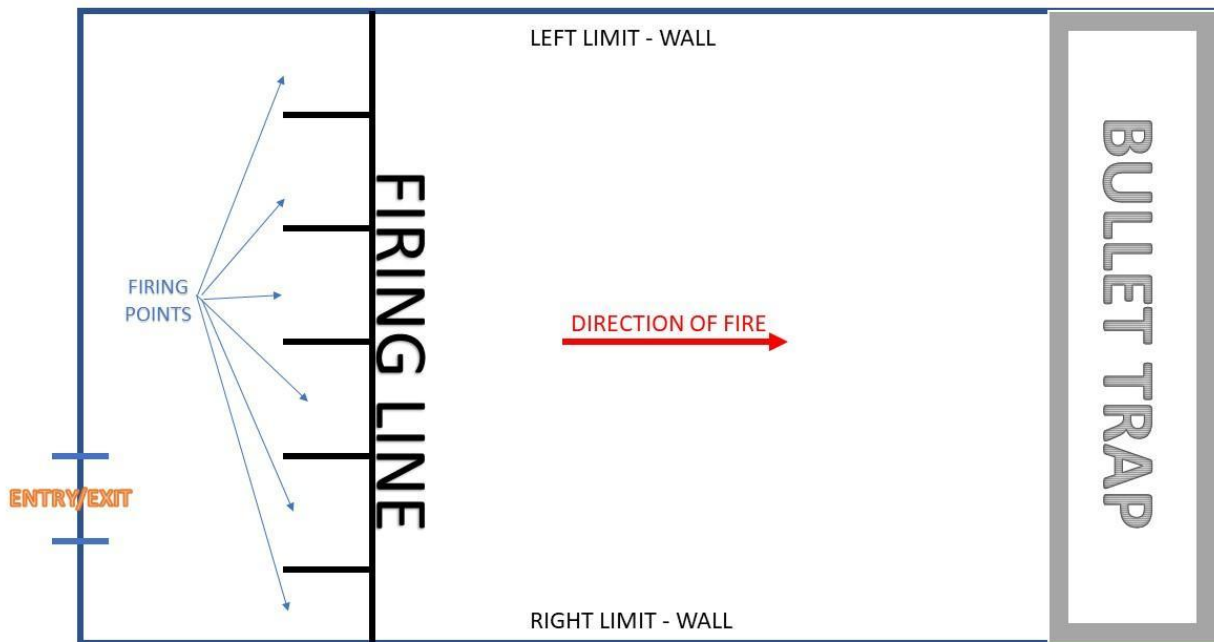
Davenport Guns, LLC Range Rules and Procedures

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Range Layout and Limits:



Range Safety Rules:

- Rules for Safe Gun Handling:
  - Treat every gun as if it is loaded, always
  - Always keep your gun pointed in the safest possible direction, and find the safest path for your muzzle to get there
  - Keep your finger outside the trigger guard, straight and high on the frame, until your gun is aimed at your intended target and you have made the decision to shoot
  - Always be sure of your target, what is in front of, behind, and adjacent to your target.
- Other Gun Safety Rules
  - Be sure your gun is safe to operate
  - Use only the correct ammunition for your gun
  - Never rely on your gun's safety
  - ALWAYS wear eye and ear protection when shooting
  - NEVER use alcohol or drugs before or while shooting

- General Safety Rules
  - Wear appropriate range clothing: Closed-toed shoes, crew-neck shirts, ball cap to deflect brass away from the face/eyes.
  - Know and obey all posted range rules
  - Shoot only at authorized targets
  - Loaded guns NEVER leave the firing line unless carried in a safe holster by a person legally authorized to do so
  - NEVER advance forward of the firing line
  - If “CEASE FIRE” is called by ANYONE, STOP SHOOTING IMMEDIATELY, remain in position, keep your finger off the trigger, keep the gun pointed downrange, wait for directions from the Range Safety Officer
  - Follow the posted hygiene guidelines, which are intended to minimize range users’ exposure to lead
- Site-Specific Rules
  - Position targets on the carrier so that the center of the aiming area is in the middle of the berm of shredded rubber (bullet trap)
  - Shoot only as fast as you can shoot accurately (avoid rapid fire)
  - Prior to handling any weapons, push all spent brass casing in your firing point forward of the firing line to prevent slip/trip/fall hazards. Repeat as necessary during your shooting session. At the end of your session, make sure to police your firing point for the next shooter
  - Keep your feet stationary during the firing process
- Hot Brass Guidelines
  - Mental preparation – be prepared for hot brass burns during the shooting process – TAKE THE PAIN until you bench the gun. People can, and have, been seriously injured or killed by people reacting to hot brass burns with a loaded gun in their hand. Safeguard yourself and other people on the range; get the gun out of your hand before dealing with hot brass in your clothing
  - Be aware: There are only two types of shooters; those who have been burned by hot brass, and those who will be.
- Firing Line Commands
  - CEASE FIRE command is announced any time firing is to cease. Additional commands to unload, show clear, bench the gun, may follow.
    - Note: Anyone who witnesses an unsafe act or condition may call a cease fire
  - UNLOAD command directs the shooter to unload the gun, open the action, and bench the gun
  - SHOW CLEAR command requires the shooter to show another range user/RSO that their gun is clear of all ammunition
  - LOAD command means shooters are allowed to load the authorized number of cartridges and prepare for the course of fire
  - MAKE READY command authorizes the shooters to work the gun’s action to chamber a cartridge and prepare for the course of fire
  - COMMENCE FIRING command informs the shooters that they may begin shooting the course of fire
- Emergency Procedures

- The RSO takes charge of the situation and directs a coordinated response
- Render aid to the ill or injured
- Call for help (911)
- Deploy guides to direct responding EMS personnel to the ill or injured party
- Direct witness to take detailed notes of events and actions taken