

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

JEFFERSON COUNTY SPORTSMEN'S ASSOCIATION

P.O. Box 737, Port Townsend, WA 98368, Website: <http://jeffersoncountysportsmen.org>

NEW MEMBER: When the following are completed and processed by the secretary, membership card and "current" stickers will be mailed: dues paid ; pledge signed ; range rules signed ; all personal information provided ; range orientation and safety briefing ; sign waiver for release of liability and indemnity agreement on reverse side . New memberships must also include a \$35.00 initiation fee in addition to dues below.

RENEWING MEMBER: The following must be completed: Dues paid . Pledge signed . Range Rules Signed Sign waiver for release of liability and indemnity agreement on reverse side . Memberships 2 years lapsed must pay the \$35.00 initiation fee. Renewal stickers will be mailed upon completed processing.

Dues paid with this application extend through December 31.

Please print all information legibly:

Application Date _____

Primary Member's Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Main Interest(s): Pistol Rifle Shotgun Archery Black Powder Other _____

Would you be willing to serve on a committee: yes no ... or a work party yes no

Are you a member of the National Rifle Association? yes no

Dues amounts: (circle membership type) Individual: \$50.00 Family: \$75.00 Junior: (under 18) \$25.00

Family membership is limited to the primary member, spouse, dependent children and/or custodial grandchildren under 18 who live in the same household as the primary member. Minors under 18 must be accompanied by an adult member.

Family member names (other than primary) _____; _____; _____; _____

New and Renewing members must sign and comply with this pledge: "I certify that I am not a member of any organization or group which has as any part of its program, the intent to, or advocates any attempt to overthrow the government of the United States or any of its political subdivisions by force or violence. I certify that I have never been convicted of a felony. If I am admitted for membership, I will fulfill the obligations of good citizenship and good sportsmanship and abide by the rules and regulations of the Jefferson county Sportsmen's Association.

Signature: _____ Member Badge # _____

→Note: Read and Sign the Waiver on Next page or Reverse Side ←

Office Use: Date Received: _____ Orientation by: _____ Date: _____

Badge Issued: _____ Stickers Sent: _____ Other: _____

Waiver, Release of Liability, and Indemnity Agreement

As a member, or guest of the Jefferson County Sportsman's Association (JCSA) and in consideration for being permitted to enter the JCSA premises and participate in any activity, training event, competition, practice session, meeting, or seminar (exercise), and for other good and valuable consideration – the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged,

I, _____, the undersigned Releasor, agree to the following:
(Print clearly)

I recognize that the use of firearms contains a risk of injury and death. Therefore, I hereby release the following, hereinafter termed "Releasees".

1. The Jefferson County Sportsmen's Association, its officers, board members, their designees, their associates and agents participating with them, their marital communities, their spouses and heirs, and

2. Any and all others acting on behalf of or for the aforementioned classes of peoples and organizations, including Jefferson County (a Washington Municipal Corporation) -

from all liability to myself, my spouse, executors, administrators, assignees, successors, heirs, next of kin, and beneficiaries, for any and all loss or injury or damage, and any and all claims therefore, on account of my property or person or death. I hereby waive my right to sue the Releasees on account of injury to my person or property, or my death while engaged in or participating in any of the aforementioned activities or any activity related thereto.

Furthermore,
I hereby agree to indemnify, hold harmless and defend the Releasees and any of them from any loss, damage, injury or cost I may incur due to my presence in, upon, or around the property of the Jefferson County Sportsman's Association for the purpose of participating in the aforementioned activities, or those activities related thereto.

Furthermore,
I certify that I have read and understand the foregoing Release, and freely enter into it. I agree that all terms hereof are contractual, and not mere recital, and that I have signed this release after reading it, and of my own free will and act. This release binds me, my spouse, my executors, my administrators, my assignees, my successors, my heirs, my next of kin, and my beneficiaries.

Signature of Releasor: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian (if Releasor is under 18 years of age) _____

Date: _____

Witness: _____
(Printed name) (Signature)

Jefferson County Sportsmen's Association Range Rules

JCSA IS A COLD RANGE.

Firearms may be loaded only when shooting at authorized targets from firing lines.

SHOOTING HOURS: Closed Monday; Open Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM; Saturday - Sunday: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM; Sunday. Range closes at sunset or posted closing time, whichever is earlier.

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT

1. Always keep your gun pointed in a safe direction.
2. Always keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.
3. Always keep your gun unloaded until ready to use it.
4. Know your target and what is beyond.
5. Know your firearm and how it operates.
6. Wear eye and hearing protection as appropriate.
7. **No drugs or alcoholic beverages allowed on the club grounds.**
8. Do not handle your firearms while anyone is down range. Firearms must be unloaded and the action open until everyone is safely behind the firing line. Be certain you communicate with all shooters as to "Range hot" or "Range cold".
9. Shoot only authorized targets. No ground-level targets or trash targets, i.e. glass, metal or plastic containers.
10. Targets must be placed such that shots passing through them will hit the impact berm.
11. **No exploding targets or ammunition and no tracer ammunition allowed at any range.**
12. Shoot only designated firearms on the appropriate ranges. (See below)
13. Pick up all used targets, trash, and empty casings when finished and place in trash barrels or take them with you when you leave. Dismantle and stow portable target stands when finished shooting. There is no staff to clean up.
14. Individual users - Lock the gate when entering as well as when leaving unless a gate person is on duty.
15. Membership badges must be worn in plain sight while on the grounds.

SPECIFIC RANGES:

PISTOL RANGE #1: All hand guns and rifles, and any shot gun and loads are allowed. Use only paper targets using the stands provided. No steel targets or silhouettes are allowed except at special events.

PISTOL RANGE #2: This range has three individual bays. Bay 1 has steel targets implanted into the berms. These are the only steel targets allowed for membership and public, with the exception of special events. Specific procedures for this range are on the second page of this document and on our website. Firearms used on Pistol Range #2 include Pistols and Pistol-caliber carbines using up to .45 ACP or rifles using rim-fire cartridges. No rifle-caliber handguns allowed.

RIFLE RANGE: Rifles or pistols using center-fire or rim-fire ammunition up to and including 50 caliber BMG and Black powder firearms are permitted. Canons using 2" balls maximum may use position #10 (far right side of range) with three-quarter-inch minimum backer, provided by shooter.

The 200 and 300 yard benches are open for long range use Tuesday mornings from 9:00AM to 11:00AM exclusively. No portable target stands allowed. Long range shooting on the right side of the road only.

SHOTGUN RANGE: Shotguns only. No shot larger than 7 1/2. Shot velocity not to exceed 1200 FPS.

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ARCHERY WILDERNESS TRAIL: Once you start, continue to the end. Do not turn back. **No firearms allowed on the archery range or trail.**

Pistol Range two (2) range procedures

Pistol Range two (2) is now open. We now have two free-standing fences that separate the range into three separate bays. At the end of each fence, a flagpole has been attached with a pulley system to be used to raise a red flag when a shooter is down range. Any time a shooter is down range using any one of the three separate bays, the red flags are to be raised. This will indicate that the range is hot and no firearms are to be handled at the existing fire line which is under the shed roof.

General usage of pistol range two (2):

Any member or non-member and/or guest who has signed a waiver and paid his or her fees, arrives at pistol bay two prior to any other shooters and wishes to shoot from a down-range position (closer to the main impact beam), will be responsible for raising the red flags on each fence prior to setting up any targets. This will give a clear indication that someone is down range getting ready to begin shooting.

A member or non-member who arrives at pistol range two and sees the red flags are up and wishes to shoot from a firing line at the bench (under the shed roof), that person should move to Pistol Range #1. If range one is full and there is no room to accommodate the member and his or her guest, then they can return to pistol range two and safely communicate to the down range shooter that they would also like to use a part of the range.

There are two options. Option number one: Communicate with the shooter already using the range. There are two other bays available if you wish to shoot within one of the other bays. Option number two: If you wish to shoot from the bench under the shed roof, communicate this in a courteous manner to the down range shooter. Please allow the down range shooter to complete his or her exercise.

At this point the down range shooter will remove his or her targets and move back up range to the bench under the shed roof and lower the flags. Always remember to be courteous to the shooter who is on the range.

ALL MEMBERS AND GUESTS must read and sign these rules as well as a Waiver, Release of Liability, and Indemnity agreement before using the range. Keep the card issued to you so you don't need to go through this orientation procedure again.

Print name: _____ **Sign:** _____ **Date:** _____

Always remember: Do not handle your firearms when a person is down range. Safe ways to transport your firearm from one range to the other are: If your firearm is not loaded and is in a carrying case or if your sidearm is holstered and is unloaded. Remember we can never be too safe.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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