

## Horseshoe Scout Reservation Shooting Sports Policy

- **Per the Guide to Safe Scouting, Cub Scouts are not permitted to take part in shooting sports (Archery, BB guns, Slingshot) in a weekend camping setting. Cub Scouts may only participate in shooting sports during a council or district event, such as a camporee or summer camp.**
- **Please see Guide to Safe Scouting and current NCAP standards for more details.**
- Scouts BSA may use BB guns, pellet guns, .22 caliber rifles and single shot shotguns. Venturers are permitted to use all those listed for Scouts BSA plus approved target pistols (by special request only).
- Range activities utilizing .22 ca rifles will be supervised by a currently certified instructor. Approved instructor certifications are BSA National Camp Shooting Sports Director or NRA Certified Rifle Instructor. All rifle-shooting activities must also have a certified NRA Range Safety Officer (RSO) directly supervising all live fire on the range. These must be two separate individuals.
- Use of the archery range will be supervised by a currently certified instructor. Approved instructor certification is a USA Archery Level 1 Instructor.
- It is mandatory that any Instructors, RSOs, or other relevant parties present their CURRENT certification to the ranger or ranger's designee before they will be allowed to use any of the ranges. NOTE: **Failure to produce the required documents will result in cancellation of the reservation.**
- HSR will supply all ammunition and firearms for shotgun, rifle, BB, and archery. For archery, units must supply their own targets. Please see cost sheet for more details.
- No personal firearms are permitted to be brought onto camp property or used on any camp ranges.
- Use of the shotgun range is restricted. Please contact Ryan Teat for details. (Ryan.Teat@scouting.org)
- The Ranger or their designee will issue all rifles, targets (except archery), and ammunition. HSR will also provide eye and ear protection as needed.
- All firearms must be cleaned prior to being returned to the ranger or their designee. Units using rifles or shotguns must supply their own cleaning supplies.
  - Rifle cleaning includes removal of the bolt, running a .22 bore snake through the barrel, wiping down the bolt, and reassembling.
  - Shotgun cleaning includes using an appropriate sized bore snake on each rifle used.
  - Further disassembly of rifles or shotguns is not necessary.
- Units returning un-clean rifles will incur a \$10.00 fee per rifle chargeable to the unit.
- Units will be charged for any damages as a result of the unit's misuse and/or abuse of the rifles, equipment, or shooting sports facilities.

**SHOTGUN SHOOTING OR PISTOL SHOOTING  
PERMITTED BY SPECIAL REQUEST ONLY**

## RANGE FEES

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### Rifle Range:

	<b>In-Council</b>	<b>Out-of Council</b>
<b>Use of range</b>	No charge	\$15
<b>Rifle Rental</b>		
<b>1/2 day</b>	\$6.00 ea	\$7.00 ea
<b>Full day</b>	\$10.00 ea	\$11.00 ea
<b>BB Gun Rental (Units provide own BBs)</b>		
<b>1/2 day</b>	\$4.00	\$5.00
<b>Full day</b>	\$7.00	\$8.00
<b>Ammo (1 box / 50 rounds)</b>	\$4.00	\$5.00
<b>Targets</b>	No charge	No charge
<b>Cleaning Fees per rifle (if returned un-cleaned)</b>	\$10.00	\$10.00

### Shotgun Range:

	<b>In-Council</b>	<b>Out-of Council</b>
<b>Use of shotgun range</b>	Half day \$25 / Full day \$40	Half day \$25 / Full day \$40
<b>Clay pigeons (135 per box)</b>	\$20	\$20

Shotgun range reservation includes one 12-gauge and one 20-gauge shotgun as well as thrower with battery.

**Units must provide all ammunition.**