

# 1<sup>st</sup> Hexham Scouts Air Rifle range rules

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- All shooting must be supervised by an NSRA qualified instructor
- Only a maximum of three persons shooting at any time
- Safety glasses are provided for optional use.
- No person is to cross the firing line Unless instructed by a range officer
- Always treat a rifle as if it is loaded
- Always point the rifle down the range
- Do not pick up any rifle until instructed to do so.
- Keep your finger off the trigger until you are ready to shoot
- Always apply the safety catch until you are ready to shoot
- If you have a problem, put the rifle down & raise your hand to get the attention of your instructor.
- Never turn around with the rifle in your hands
- Don't fool around on the range
- Apply safety catch after every shot, even while reloading
- Do not distract other shooters on the range
- If you hear the whistle or the command **STOP**, break the rifle, apply the safety catch & put it down immediately.
- During range use, ***the garage shutter door power must be Isolated using the internal switch in the garage. This must be checked before range use.***
- First aid facilities must be on the range before use
- Only .177 calibre air rifles must be used on this range
- Minimum age for using this range is 8 years under direct, qualified instructor supervision.
- Beaver scouts are **not** permitted to use this range at any time.

These rules are in place for your safety & enjoyment of our rifle range, please abide by them.

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