

## **Holton Gun & Bow Club Member Guidelines**

Welcome to Holton Gun & Bow Club. We're happy to have you as a member of our club. This letter was put together in response to members' requests.

### **The difference between a Full Member and a Social member:**

**Full Members** may hold office; vote in meetings and elections; have a death benefit; and pay yearly dues which are slightly less than a social member.

**Social Members** may participate in meetings and any functions on the club schedule. They may attend and participate in club meetings and any committees. We can always use your help and ideas. See membership cost tab for current dues amount. Dues must be paid by the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in January to remain current. The major difference is social members can't vote in meetings.

The club publishes a schedule every year for the shoots that are to be held. On occasion, this schedule may change, so be sure to check ahead of time if you want to come out to shoot. The range is unique in that we have no set hours. You may shoot any time at any of the ranges as long as there is not a scheduled shoot in progress. (No shooting before 9am or after dusk due to Township ordinance) This includes the NBRSA Shoots on the "big range" (with 40 benches), our Sunday shoots on the "small range" (outside the clubhouse, with five benches), and pistol shoots (currently 0 times a year) at the pistol range. We also have an archery range with an elevated platform and 2D and 3D targets. Please don't move the targets or cut brush, targets have been positioned to simulate hunting conditions.

Here's a short list of do's and don'ts:

1. There is no range safety officer on duty outside of scheduled shooting events, so it is imperative that safe shooting practices are followed.
2. You may bring your family or friends out to shoot, but you **must** be with them at all times.
3. Do not give the gate lock combination to anyone; it is for paid members only!
4. We suggest that you bring the following items for shooting: target stand(s), targets, staple gun & staples, **hearing and eye protection**.
5. Please, **NO** glass!
6. Take care of your mess when you are finished shooting, as we don't have caretakers to pick up after us.
7. If you have any questions – ASK!
8. Use courtesy when dealing with others (always).
9. In the event that you run into a problem with someone, we would appreciate being informed of the matter. Please provide their name or license number so we can contact them to discuss the situation.

There is contact information for club officers posted inside the framed Plexiglas at the small range – inside the clubhouse. Please feel free to call with questions, or stop out during the scheduled Sunday shoots. Thanks!