

GUILDFORD ARCHERY CLUB

SAFETY AND RULES OF THE CLUB

1	Organised club shoots stated start times, must be strictly adhered too. 10:30 sighters mean we start shooting at 10:30.
2	Setting out and clearing away of the field is the responsibility of EVERYONE who shoots.
3	Advertised rounds may be changed as long as the majority of archers present agree.
4	Where no round is listed, the majority of archers present will agree the round to be shot.
5	When shooting ensure the red flag and or a Notice is displayed as a warning that shooting is in progress.
6	When Shooting ensure you adhere to the GNAS rules of shooting at all times. If unsure of any rule a copy of the GNAS rulebook is in the club hut.
7	Even though the public do not have right of way on our ground when shooting on your own exercise extra caution and common sense, where possible it is safer to have someone with you who can act as a lookout, see GNAS rule below. Please note GNAS rule 103 (a) On the grounds where the public have right of access, there must be a minimum of two people present each being a minimum age of 18 years of age when any shooting is in progress, one of whom may be a non archer to act as a lookout. The archer is responsible to inform the lookout of all safety aspects applicable. Please note: although public do not have right of access on our field and that, we have no physical barriers to the field we should adhere to the above rule at all times.
8	When shooting in pairs do not both shoot at the same time, one person must act as lookout. GNAS rule 103 (a)cont: where two adult archers are present and shooting together they will alternate on the shooting line so that the Non-shooting archer can act as lookout.
9	If you are the last to leave the club hut, check the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure all dirty cups are cleaned and put away. • Unplug electrical appliances. (except the fridges) • Check toilet is left clean • Equipment has been put away tidily • Metal detectors are switched off • Bow cupboard is locked • No hazards have been left around for anyone to injure themselves • Last of all the door is locked upon leaving
10	If you are last to leave the Field, check the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No rubbish left lying around • Targets are tied down, secure and covered • No metal stakes left lying on the ground (these will damage the mower) • If a club member opened the height barrier at the entrance they must ensure it is closed and locked when leaving the site
11	Correct dress code must be worn on Club trophy days, including the indoor championship. GNAS rule 307
12	When driving from the ground, drive with care and consideration for the neighbouring properties and the local community.