

HAYS CITY SPORTSMAN'S CLUB

Trap League Rules

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1. Practice rounds may be shot prior to league start time. Each round costs \$4.50 per person per round or a 10 round Practice Card may be purchased for \$40.00. Please pay for your practice or purchase your 10 round practice card ahead of time in the clubhouse. Practice rounds must be purchased to keep league entry fees at a minimum. All practice rounds must be finished by 6:25 p.m. and a practice round cannot be started after 6:15 P.M. If you shoot a practice rd you must sign a practice sheet in club prior to shooting and pay for it at that time.
2. League shooting will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m. each Monday evening. No team is allowed to shoot their league rounds earlier than the scheduled start time. Clipboards will not be handed out early.
3. Yardage assignments, based on team performance will be administered as follows:
 - **Singles:**
 - All team will shoot from the 16 yard line for the entire 6 week league.
 - **Handicap:**
 - **Week 1:**
 - All teams will shoot from the 20 yard line.
 - **Week 2:**
 - Each team will be assigned one additional handicap yard, i.e. 21
 - The top 3 teams from week 1 will be assigned additional yardage as follows (this yardage is combined with the additional yard above):
 - 1st team receives three additional yards, i.e. 24
 - 2nd team receives two additional yards, i.e. 23
 - 3rd team receives one additional yard, i.e. 22
 - **Week 3**
 - Each team will be assigned one additional handicap yard from week 2, unless they have already been assigned greater than or equal to the 22 yard line.
 - The top 3 teams from week 2 will be assigned additional yardage as follows (this yardage is combined with the additional yard above):
 - - 1st team receives three additional yards.
 - 2nd team receives two additional yards.
 - 3rd team receives one additional yard.
 - **Week 4**
 - All teams will be classified AA, A, B, C, D, etc.

- The handicap baseline is 22 yards unless your team is in the top 3 in each classification. If your team is not within the top 3 in each classification, your team will move forward 1 yard.
 - The top 3 teams from week 3 will be assigned additional yardage as follows:
 - 1st team receives three additional yards.
 - 2nd team receives two additional yards.
 - 3rd team receives one additional yard.
 - **Week 5, and Week 6**
 - If your team is not within the top 3 in each classification, your team will move forward 1 yard. And no closer than the 20 yard line.
 - The top 3 teams from the prior week will be assigned additional yardage as follows:
 - 1st team receives three additional yards.
 - 2nd team receives two additional yards.
 - 3rd team receives one additional yard.
4. No substitute shooters will be allowed. If a shooter begins the year and then has to drop out, that person may be replaced by another shooter as long as the minimum number of targets are met by the team and the new shooter has paid League fees and the targets that were shot at by the shooter that drops out have been paid for at the current rate per round.
 5. A Team must shoot at a minimum of 1350 targets to win team trophies.
 6. An individual shooter cannot shoot at more than the 300 target maximum.
 7. Individual scores will be posted on the bulletin board in the clubhouse and on the website at www.shoothcsc.net
 8. If all or part of your team is present, you must shoot. You can check the web-site at www.shoothcsc.net for postponements due to the weather. If teams are already assembled at the club and inclement weather occurs prior to shooting, teams must vote on whether to shoot or not and the majority will rule. Shooting will be stopped if it is unsafe to continue, ex. lightning or heavy rain, etc.
 9. All Teams must shoot on their assigned trap for that week and it will be posted in clubhouse where to shoot.
 10. A shooter is allowed only two make up rounds to be considered for the individual trophies.
 11. Individuals can shoot their make-up rounds during or prior to the start of league shooting. Make ups can be shot at any trap prior to 6:15 after that they can be shot at the practice trap. Make up rounds for the first week will be shot from the 16 and 20 yard lines. Any make up rounds shot after that will be shot from the 16 yard line

and two yards will be added to that score to determine the handicap round. No shooter may shoot their handicap from less than the 20 yard line. Make up rounds for a team will follow rule # 3 as long as the team shoots there make up round at the same time. Make ups must be shot prior to or the next week after a night is missed.

12. EACH TEAM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PICKING UP THEIR EMPTY SHELLS. Any help with scoring and loading the trap house is appreciated. ALSO PUTTING EQUIPMENT AWAY AFTER EACH NITE OF LEAGUE IS APPRECIATED. All teams must have shot 16's before a team can shoot handicap unless the team is not ready to shoot.
13. Teams should rotate shooting positions each week so that the same team is not always the last or first to shoot. Give consideration to young shooters and those who travel a long distance.
14. Post week 4, score sheets are frozen if league fees are not paid.
15. If you have any questions or concerns about the league rules you may contact one of the Rules Committee Members. – Stan Newell-Wes Rathbun-Clint Newell
16. Any special circumstance that may come up will be voted on by the committee and their decision will be final.
17. Trophies are presented on the last night of league. You do not need to be present to win. However, if a tie arises the trophy will go to the team or individual that is present. If no one is present for either then a coin toss will decide the winner.
18. Although membership is not required to shoot league, you can join the Hays City Sportsman Club for \$125.00 a year. This entitles you to participate in the Trap Shoots on Mondays; Skeet Shoots on Thursdays; Pistol Shoots; and use of the rifle range. For information or to purchase a membership inquire at the clubhouse or at www.shoothcsc.net
19. Tee shirts are available inside for \$11.00 each. These are the 40th anniversary edition.
20. The last night a meal is provided for all shooters and their families.