



## RANGE COMMANDS

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- RSO:**
- 1) Change Flags from Green-to-Red;
  - 2) Explain the Command “STOP” (FREEZE, gun on “Safe” - wait for further commands);
  - 3) The Range Commands you will hear today are:

**Range Commands:**

**Actions executed by shooters**

Range going **Hot!**

1. PPE on – pay attention – listen to the word of command;

This relays with a

\_\_\_ round magazine **Load!**

1. Insert magazine in gun/feed munition into magazines or breach;

**Ready!**

1. Cock -/Close- action = Chamber a round;

On your own time **Fire!**

1. Fire at your own time at your target(s);

**Stop!**

1. Put gun on safe – Stand fast - Wait for further commands;

**Unload!** **For inspection clear Gun!**

1. Gun on safe;
2. Remove magazine/munition;
3. Open the action/cylinder;
4. Inspect the chamber – must be empty;
5. Close the action **and dry-fire-gun** down range;
6. Re- Open the action (present gun for inspection to RSO)
7. Stand fast - Wait your turn to be cleared – **do not move**;
8. When cleared by RSO – dry fire for the 2<sup>nd</sup> time;

**Clear!**

**RSO:**

**Physical contact is required** with shooter when “clearing” shooters individually – remain with shooter till entirely cleared;

**Range Clear!**

1. Shooters move from the Firing Line/ Long-guns: Action open/Muzzle control/place gun in gun rack or sling gun or;
2. HG = Holster gun or place HG on table with action/cylinder open;

**RSO:**

- 1) Change Flags from Red-to-Green;
- 2) Announce: It is now safe to proceed Down-Range.

**Status of a holstered gun – Side-arm & Long-gun - during a Range-Clear (RC)**

1. **No Drawing of a holstered gun during a RC!** (Unless at Safe-Table, No munition at the Safe-Table);
2. Pistol: Unloaded, slide is forward, hammer down, magazine-well empty; and
3. Revolver: Unloaded, hammer down, cylinder closed, cylinder is empty.



## Range Brief

Welcome to the Kananaskis Gun & Archery Club. My name is \_\_\_\_\_ I am the Duty-RSO today.  
This Range is templated up-to-and-including (Only state the Range which is in use);

**MPR1/2/3: cal.338 Magnum Lapua – HG1/2/3/4: cal.555 Magnum S&W – Trap: 7 ½ shot or smaller**

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### Range Lay-out:

- Down-/Up- Range, (explain Side-Berms vs Backstops, no intentional firing into Side-Berms);
- Arcs – Range Arcs: Left-Right-of-Arc (Yellow Flags) – Individual Arcs: Left/Right-edge-of-your individual target;
- Explain Flags: Entrance Lease/Range/Firing-Point = Red/Green;
- Static-Firing-Line VS Dynamic Firing-Line VS Dynamic Firing Point (Only explain the one used);
- Metal Targets min. required safety distance: Long-guns: **30m**, Side-Arms: **10m**;
- 1<sup>st</sup> Aid-Kitt/Fire Extinguishers - (Point out location);

### Actions on:

- **Wildlife - Stop Live Fire** – Let it go by, no harassing of any kind;
- Fire: Structural VS Grass (Explain [your] planned course of action);
- Fire ban: No stoves or charcoal BBQs;
- Misfire – (Point out location of the Misfire Container);
- Evac Route/Muster Point (Explain planned course of action);
- **Medical Emergency, 911, Training-Accident – Send Runner to Gate;**
- **(Only delegated person will call 911 - nobody else!);**
- 1<sup>st</sup>Aider/Runner/911 caller (introduce personnel [have them step-forward]): 1<sup>st</sup>Aider\_\_\_\_\_ Runner\_\_\_\_\_ 911-caller\_\_\_\_\_;
- Stretcher by the Club House / AED inside the Club House;

### Personal Protective EQPT (PPE):

- Eyes & Ears (all personnel [spectators too]);

### Miscellaneous:

- No Marijuana use on the Lease allowed at any time;
- Alcohol Policy: No Alcohol allowed on the Lease (Outside the Lease-Gate by Parking-Lot it is allowed to tail-gate);
- Restrooms – must use! – (not using the bush);
- Pets and/or Kids must be under supervision/control;
- Garbage: You-bring-it = You-pack-it-out (Including shot-up targets);
- Mobile phones (On vibrate);
- KGAC Consolidated Range Safety & Op's Rules are enforced;
- (If Competition = Explain Comp Rules & Comp Range Commands – if no competition = Do not mention it);

### Re-Test Shooters/Ask Questions:

- Re-test by asking shooters random questions from the Briefing they have just received and force shooters to verbally reconfirming some of the received Range Briefing points;