

Tehachapi Sportsman Club, P.O. Box 496, Tehachapi, CA 93581

Print: Last Name _____ First Name _____ member # _____

Dear Renewing Members:

Several recent incidents at the range have resulted in the membership passing new rules at the November meeting. Renewal forms went out before the rules could be added so this update requires your signature before your renewal for 2019 can be completed. We apologize for the inconvenience.

A fire started on the north side of our range on November 18th. The cause of the fire is still under investigation however a change to our existing rule that forbids tracer or incendiary rounds will now include; no projectiles that contain any steel. Following the fire, it became obvious that a number of our members do not understand how serious and unacceptable it is to shoot when others are down range. This was demonstrated by the number of members who continued to use or tried to use the range while firemen were on the hill to the north (down range) of all our shooting stations. The officers had to place a second lock on the gate and a sign explaining why the range was closed when the situation should have been obvious to all.

Please print your name at the top, initial all the statements, sign & date at the bottom and return to the sportsman club to complete your renewal.

Thank you, The Officers

New Rule: "Be respectful of others. Criminal activity, being argumentative or disruptive, profanity, coarse or abusive language and actions, will not be tolerated." (Keep it G) Initial _____

Rule amended: New words in bold: "Armor piercing, ~~or~~ incendiary ammunition, **and projectiles containing any steel** are not allowed to be possessed or fired on the range." Initial _____

Review of a Basic Firearms safety rule; "Always be sure of your target and what is in front of it and behind it." You agree the range shall be considered closed or a temporary ceasefire shall be called whenever anyone is down range, including on the north side of our property from our back fence to the top of the hill beyond. I will never shoot at objects on the hill. Initial _____.

I am individually responsible morally and financially for any and all of my actions (and those of my guests) at the range whether or not there is a club rule regarding the specific activity, ammo, person, or firearm involved. initial _____

I have read, understand, and agree with the above.

Print Name _____ Sign Name _____ date _____

It is our goal to keep the Tehachapi Sportsman Club range open to unsupervised rifle and pistol shooting by its members. This is potentially in jeopardy. Your cooperation is needed. Supervise yourself and others around you. Check the website for updates and additional information:

<https://tehachapisportsmanclub.com/>