



SA Jagters- en Wildbewaringsvereniging
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SAHGCA- Houtkapper Branch - Shooting Range Rules
(Most rules are implemented to comply with Legal requirements)

- 1) Only key holders may book the range, their direct live-in family (wife and junior children) may accompany them to the range, but may not make bookings.
- 2) Key holders must complete the Induction and pay the range fee each year (Jan-Dec), as per the criteria set out in point 3.
- 3) RO with 3 services – R700 (-R100 for each service thereafter); Dedicated Hunters/Sport Shooters with 3 activities R800; Standard member with 3 activities R800; Other Applicants R1000. **Members of SAHGCA – Houtkapper only.**
- 4) Key holders are not allowed to give out their keys or the code to anyone.
- 5) Houtkapper branch members may accompany key holders but must EFT R50 to the branch account and reference payment with SB-member number.
- 6) Non-branch members may not become key holders, but are allowed to accompany a key holder if they EFT R100 to the branch account and reference SB-member number of the key holder.
- 7) Houtkapper Sport Shooters that are not key holders are allowed to use the range to shoot Postal League if they are accompanied by a key holding Range Officer and have paid the R50pp into the branch account and have booked the 100m range.
- 8) **Any & All persons entering the shooting range must fill in the Range Register/ Indemnity form before entering the grounds, and before any shooting activity starts. Children and Spectators as well!!!**
- 9) The range may only be entered once the following is in place:
 - a- You have booked the range.
 - b- If you are using the same time frame as someone that has booked the range, you have contacted them and asked permission to accompany them.
 - c- You are being accompanied by a Range Officer to shoot Postal League (only for active Postal League shooting)
- 10) Any person that enters the range must ensure that they have a First Aid kit (as per shooting days).
- 11) General Rules:
 - a- The gate must be locked at all times and may not stay open for any reason.
 - b- No loose standing target frames may be used; targets may only be placed on the “bullet traps”. **On the 100m range targets must be placed at the backstop wall and no “imaginary” targets or gongs may be shot at. Nothing standing on the ground between tables and Backstop!**
 - c- Firearms may only be used on the range intended for their use. Rifles on the rifle range. Shotguns on the shotgun range. Handguns, .22LR and PCP on the 100m range.
 - d- On the shotgun range only nr 7, 8 or 9 shot may be used at all times.
 - e- No vehicles are allowed to drive on the shooting range or over the contour walls; you may only drive on the service path to the left of the range.



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f- If any vehicles or agricultural activities are seen behind the backstop walls of the range ALL shooting activities must stop and the range will be declared “Open”.

12) All Safety Rules will apply as on Branch Shooting days.

a- Firearms will be carried safely in a rifle bag or case to the shooting line.

b- Firearms will only be taken out or handled if there are no persons in front of the shooting line.

c- Firearms may only be loaded once all the shooters in the line has been informed that the range is “Closed”.

d- As soon as the range is “Closed” everyone present will wear eye and ear protection.

e- All firearms will be made safe and declared as Safe before being placed back in the rifle bags/cases, only then will the range be declared “Open”. No person will be allowed near any firearm when there are people moving forward of the firing line.

f- **Children may only shoot under direct supervision of parent/s**

g- No Shotgun Shooting on the 100m and 300m ranges.

13) Key holders can book the range at <https://sites.google.com/site/houtkapper/> , if you have any difficulty please contact Hendrik.

14) The range can only be booked one week ahead and no double bookings can be made and the two ranges must be booked separately.

15) The 300m range and the 100m range can be booked for two hours at a time, and the Shotgun range for one hour at a time.

16) In case of any discrepancies, damage, negligence or unsafe handling of firearms that can lead to damage to property, injuries or death; are seen, it should be reported immediately to any of the Committee Members via email with the date/time of the incident. In case immediate action is required please phone a Committee Member.

17) Disobedience of any of the rules can lead to suspension out of the Range and/or the SAHGCA. Depending on the offence, stricter measures may be taken.

By Signing this form, I agree that I have read and understood the rules, and will comply with them.

Name & Surname: _____

Member no: _____

Date: ____/____/2022

Signature: _____