



June 2023

GENERAL RANGE INFORMATION

RANGE AVAILABILITY FOR USE BY FOYMORE RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB

The range can be used by the club on the following days and times:

Weekdays

Wednesday 10am – 8pm
Thursday 10am – 6pm
Friday 10am – 8pm

Saturdays

1st, 3rd and 4th Saturday of each Month – 10am – 6pm

RANGE OFFICERS / EXPERIENCED SHOOTERS

A number of members expressed an interest in helping out as range/safety officers. If you are a qualified range safety officer and would be interested in helping out, please ensure you complete this section on the application form to let us know.

THE FOLLOWING PAGES WILL TAKE YOU THROUGH IMPORTANT INFORMATION THAT YOU NEED TO BE AWARE OF BEFORE COMPLETING YOUR APPLICATION FORM. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND IF YOU ARE IN ANY DOUBT, OR HAVE ANY QUERIES, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT US AT THE BELOW EMAIL ADDRESS.

PLEASE ENSURE YOU COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS OF YOUR APPLICATION FORM, INCLUDING CHECKLIST, BEFORE SIGNING AND SUBMITTING TOGETHER WITH PHOTOGRAPHIC ID AND SUPPLEMENTARY DOCUMENTATION.

Foymore Rifle & Pistol Club

Correspondence Address: 32 Foy Lane, Portadown, Co. Armagh, BT62 1PY

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CLUB CORRESPONDANCE

The current preferred methods of correspondence with club members are email and text messaging. It is important therefore that you include an email address that you use and check regularly, as well as a mobile phone number that can be used to receive text messages. Please remember to check spam/junk folders for emails and also set foymorerpc@gmail.com as a safe recipient on your email account.

In addition, the club has a Facebook page (Foymore Rifle & Pistol Club) that will be used alongside Whats App, for club announcements, competition notifications, safety briefing dates, training courses etc.

FAC/PID OR ACCESS NI CHECK

If you currently have a Firearms certificate, please ensure you provide the number on the application form attached. If not, we will need you to provide an Access NI check. This can be applied for online and costs approximately £18. Please do not send your application until you have received your Access NI Certificate.

CLUB FEES PAYMENT INFORMATION

When completing the membership form, please ensure you carefully select the membership option you wish to apply for and tick the payment method you wish to use. Please be aware of the timescales for making payment based on the option you select and carefully follow instructions in the payments section. Bank transfers and standing orders **MUST** include your membership number as the payment reference, so that we can trace your payment when it reaches the club account. We will issue this number to you on receipt of your completed application form.

Please note: we must inform the PSNI within one month of your membership commencing. Membership does not become active until full payment has been received (1st installment if paying by standing order) or cheque has cleared but it will run from the date we process your application form, so it is important to make payment **promptly within the specified timescales from the date you signed your application form**. Any lapse in payments renders your membership void and as per PSNI requirements, we must inform them of this. If standing order payments lapse and you do not bring them up to date, your membership will cease, the PSNI will be notified of your cessation and you will not be entitled to any refund of installments already made.

APPLICATION FORM SUBMISSION

Whenever you have **all** the information and supplementary certificates and documents required, send a copy of them, along with your completed application form, to the email or postal address below. This must be accompanied by a passport type photograph taken against a light, neutral coloured background and completed and signed cheque (only if paying by this method). For those not paying by cheque, submissions by email are acceptable, as are electronic signatures and jpeg identification photographs.

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MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Membership cards will be issued in pdf format. For any member who requires a hard copy of their membership card, they will need to request this at time of application and will then be notified when their card(s) is ready to collect at range/Foymore Lodge.

RANGE SAFETY BRIEFING SESSIONS - COMPULSORY

Before being permitted to use the facilities, all members will be required to complete a range safety briefing session, to familiarise themselves with the range and the safety requirements that must be adhered to. This briefing session is free-of-charge.

Below is the schedule of safety briefing sessions running until end of 2023. Please email to book your slot no later than 2pm on the day you wish to attend. For those wishing to attend zoom sessions, a link will be forwarded with login details to connect via the zoom app.

Tuesday	04/07/2023	7pm	Face-to- Face @ Foymore Lodge Shooting School, Portadown
Wednesday	05/07/2023	7pm	Remotely Via Zoom Call - Member to Request Zoom Link
Tuesday	01/08/2023	7pm	Face-to- Face @ Foymore Lodge Shooting School, Portadown
Wednesday	02/08/2023	7pm	Remotely Via Zoom Call - Member to Request Zoom Link
Tuesday	05/09/2023	7pm	Face-to- Face @ Foymore Lodge Shooting School, Portadown
Wednesday	06/09/2023	7pm	Remotely Via Zoom Call - Member to Request Zoom Link
Tuesday	03/10/2023	7pm	Face-to- Face @ Foymore Lodge Shooting School, Portadown
Wednesday	04/10/2023	7pm	Remotely Via Zoom Call - Member to Request Zoom Link
Tuesday	07/11/2023	7pm	Face-to- Face @ Foymore Lodge Shooting School, Portadown
Wednesday	08/11/2023	7pm	Remotely Via Zoom Call - Member to Request Zoom Link
Tuesday	05/12/2023	7pm	Face-to- Face @ Foymore Lodge Shooting School, Portadown
Wednesday	06/12/2023	7pm	Remotely Via Zoom Call - Member to Request Zoom Link

Safety information and range rules will also be displayed at the range, for use by members during visits.

FIREARMS COMPETENCY - COMPULSORY

NRA affiliated club insurance requires all members to certify that they are safe and competent in the use of rifles and/or pistols they will be using at the club.

The club therefore requires that, unless members fall into the exemption categories listed on the application form, they will need to complete a competency course at Foymore. This course currently costs £40pp when booked as part of a group.

Competency course dates will be notified on the Facebook page and can be booked by messaging the page directly (see Facebook page - Foymore Rifle & Pistol Club).

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