

Romsey Shooting Club

POLICY ON AGE RESTRICTIONS

Our Club Insurance covers all shooters of all ages for all contingencies except for Personal Accident Insurance, which is restricted to shooters from the ages of 12 years to 75 years and has particular conditions for shooters from 12 years to 14 years, all laid out in the insurance schedule.

People under the age of 17 years may only attend our Shoots with the permission of a parent or guardian and must be accompanied by a supervising adult.

People under the age of 17 years **with** appropriate Certification may shoot, under the accompanying adult's supervision, at any Ranges used by the Club.

People under the age of 17 years **without** appropriate Certification may shoot, under the accompanying adult's supervision, only at MOD/NRA approved Ranges.

The physical stature of a young person is important when starting into shooting. It is therefore generally considered sound practice for young persons to commence shooting with low recoil guns, such as rim fire rifles and small calibre shotguns, until such time as the individual is sturdy enough to absorb the recoil of, and to control, larger bore guns.

With these factors in mind the Committee will perforce consider each case individually when young people wish to participate in shooting with our Club.

In line with our policy of promoting our Sport we will encourage and educate young people who display an interest so that they may participate fully and successfully when their circumstances allow.