

PEACE COUNTRY FISH & GAME ASSOCIATION
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To: All Range Members
From: PCF&G Executive
Date: 21-May-09
Re: Vandalism & Safety

This memo is written in response to the ongoing vandalism and safety concerns occurring at our range. Members have noted on several occasions the lack of safety concern and/or vandalism and the occurrences vary from destruction of range property, such as shooting posts, chairs or signage, to using inappropriate targets such as range property or materials from home that are being destroyed and left behind.

This type of negative behaviour leads to the need for increased clean up, loss of use of shooting facilities, and increased operating costs. Since the range is managed mainly on volunteerism and donations, these types of activities, if sustained, will put a strain on the range operations and will force PCF&G Association to review operations. This review could lead to the following possibilities;

- Range usage could be limited to certain hours requiring direct supervision
- Temporary range shut down to complete clean up and repair tasks
- Significant increases in range membership fees.

For those members that are found to be using the range inappropriately, including alcohol consumption during shooting activity, the Executive will review the individual's membership with potential to have;

- Membership suspended or revoked
- Criminal charges being laid
- Restitution for damages sought

We have a great range to use but having to constantly clean up the range with only a handful of volunteers is not the direction we would like to go. We need your help to take care of your range. Treat it with respect and make the time to volunteer to help make it a better place. Range clean up day is scheduled for May 31, 2009 starting at 12pm.

Regards,

PCF&G Association Executive Members