

# Hillsdale Range and Training Facility of East Central Kansas

26001 W. 255th  
Paola, Ks. 66071-5526

New Membership (Never had a membership or was not a member in 2024 or 2025) and Renewal Application

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Members must be able to legally own a firearm (18yrs of age, not a felon etc.) Members for family membership must be listed on the application. Family members include, spouse, domestic partner & children under the age of 21. Children under the age of 18yrs need to be accompanied by a member or paying person 18yrs or older. This membership allows for rights allowed only for person(s) listed. Membership Renewal is \$200. **If you were not a member in 2024 or 2025, there is a one time \$100 initiation fee, plus the \$200 membership fee. If using a credit card, we will add a 3% convenience fee.**

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**EMERGENCY CONTACT: NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_**

List Family Member names and Date of Birth

1. \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ AGE as of Jan 1, 2026 \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ AGE as of Jan 1, 2026 \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ AGE as of Jan 1, 2026 \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ AGE as of Jan 1, 2026 \_\_\_\_\_

**A. State Park vehicle permits, daily or annual, are required on all vehicles entering the range.**

**B. The use of firearms and the discharge thereof in the firing of live ammunition involves certain, inherent risks. Regardless of what steps might be taken to make such activity reasonably safe, there nevertheless remains a risk of injury or death, and I accept and assume such risks in exchange for the opportunity to use the Range.**

**C. I have received and reviewed a copy of the Standard Operating Procedures with specific Trap and Skeet Rules. I understand the primary member is responsible to share this with any others included on their membership.**

**I agree to items A, B, and C. \_\_\_\_\_**

Primary Member Signature

## Admin Use only:

\$200 yr. Free Range Entry (**does not include a state park vehicle pass or \$100 initiation fee if applicable**)

YEAR	Date	Amount paid _____ (add \$100 if new or if not members in 2024 or 2025)	Initials of Range staff
2026		How Paid? Cash _____ Credit Card _____ Check # _____	

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## Liability Waiver

I acknowledge the fact that participation in or being around live fire exercises at Range facilities is both a dangerous and physical activity. I assume full responsibility for any and all injuries or damage which may occur on the premises of Hillsdale Range and Training Facility, 26719 Toe Rd Paola Ks. 66071 for any cause, including but not limited to the fault of Range Staff, its owners, employees, or agents and I agree to completely release and discharge Range Staff, its owners, employees, or agents for and from any and all claims, damages or other liabilities. I authorize Range Staff to use any photo(s) and/or electronic likeness of the person named in all forms and media without restrictions and release Range Staff from all forms of claims and liability related to such usage.

### **Primary Member:**

First name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Check this box if the information below is the same as on the member application.

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*\*\*I received a copy of the Standard Operating Rules & Procedures with specific Trap & Skeet Rules. I understand the primary member is responsible to share this with any others included on their membership.**

**\*\*Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Member 2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Member 3 Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Member 4 Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Signature of Parent/Guardian** \_\_\_\_\_ **as applicable.**

# RANGE RULES

## Standard Operating Rules & Procedures

**Your safety is paramount at the Hillsdale Range. These rules must be followed to keep everyone safe and make your experience the best possible:**

1. **ALWAYS KEEP THE GUN POINTED IN A SAFE DIRECTION (DOWN RANGE)**
2. **ALWAYS KEEP YOUR FINGER OFF THE TRIGGER UNTIL READY TO SHOOT**
3. **ALWAYS KEEP THE GUN UNLOADED UNTIL READY TO USE**
4. Decisions of the Range Safety Officer is final. The Range Safety Officer is the absolute authority on the range. **The RSO (Range Safety Officer) or CRSO (Chief Range Safety Officer) have the right to revoke your membership, if safety rules are violated.**
5. **Fire only authorized firearms and ammunition. NO INCENDIARY, TRACER or ARMOR PIERCING ammunition.**
6. **Shot guns can be fired on the rifle ranges with SLUGS ONLY. Trap/Skeet has a patterning board, if you are not shooting clay targets.**
7. Only load firearms on the firing line and after the RSO (if present) has given the command to load or that the firing line is HOT.
8. No shooting across firing lanes.
9. **Any shooter** should give the command **“Cease Fire”** if an unsafe condition occurs. When the command **“Cease Fire”** is heard, immediately stop shooting, apply safety, place firearm on bench (if applicable) with muzzle pointed down range, step back behind the yellow line and await further instructions.
10. Firearms must be benched (actions open and facing up, chambers empty, and muzzles pointing in a safe direction) when the flashing lights are on, indicating people may be downrange. If you are not changing targets when the flashing lights are on **STAY BEHIND the YELLOW LINE.**
11. Always confirm your barrel is clear after an unusual/abnormal discharge.
12. Shoot only from the designated firing line.
13. Fire at authorized paper targets held in the provided stands only. No glass, metal, box, or other targets are allowed.
14. Insure all projectiles impact within the established range safety limits.
15. Appropriate **Eye and Ear Protection are Required.**
16. Notify RSO or CRSO of any safety infraction or unsafe equipment.
17. Firearms that are out of the case and not being fired must be benched, holstered, or in the provided racks.
18. All shooters are responsible for their guns, ammunition, and other personal property while at the range.
19. Police all brass, paper, and other debris after shooting. **Brass & Steel go in the Brass bucket everything else in the trash cans.**
20. Shooters may not consume alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs, or any prescription or over the counter drugs that would impair shooting ability while on range property.
21. Wash hands with cold water before eating, drinking, or smoking to avoid lead contamination.
22. **No pets are allowed on the range.**

## Trap & Skeet Range Specific Rules

1. Equipment
  - a. Shotguns with barrels shorter than 24 inches may only be used at the pattern board. All other usage is at the discretion of the Range Safety Officer.
  - b. No pistol grip shotguns allowed without a stock on Trap or Skeet fields regardless of barrel length.
2. Ammunition
  - a. Lead shot target loads only; no steel loads due to ricochet hazards.
  - b. No load containing more than 1-1/8 ounces of shot or any shot larger than #7 ½ can be used
  - c. Maximum velocity 1300fps or 3 ½ Dram Equivalent
3. Do not load gun/close action until it is your turn to shoot.
4. Do not proceed to the next station until all shooters have finished the station.
5. Number of Shells: Never load more shells than needed for that target presentation. Trap-1 shell. Skeet-never more than 2 shells.
6. Duds and mis-fired shells should be removed from Hillsdale range by owner. DO NOT leave them on ground or put in trash.
7. You may pick up empties AFTER your squad's shooting round is complete.
8. An Orange Cone on top of the trap house indicates a CLOSED FIELD. Do not point guns downrange on a closed field at any time.
9. All trash should be placed in proper receptacles. Empty hulls go into the white buckets. Cardboard, plastic, etc. goes into the trash cans. Field strip all cigarette butts.