# **Tri-County Gun Club Member Information**

General Range Shooting Hours: 7am-9pm Email: TCGCProvidence@outlook.com

### **Mission Statement:**

Tri-County Fish & Game Club Inc, ("The Gun Club") exists to provide a safe and challenging shooting experience and to foster the shooting sports. Our vision is to maintain and improve our facility to ensure it will meet the shooting needs of the membership. We will treat each member with decency, respect, and honesty; and will promote the safe use of firearms now and for future generations of shooters. We encourage our members to support the 2<sup>nd</sup> amendment and the pro-gun lobby of your choice.

## Where:

Located just off Hwy 109, 1 mile south of Providence, KY. The actual address is 100 Roy Allen Road, Providence.

### **Activities:**

Our main focus is action pistol, shotgun, rifle and precision rimfire shooting. The property contains 265 & 500 yd rifle/pistol ranges as well as a pistol bay just past and below the 265 yard range. We have 2 ponds on the 30-acre property for catch and release fishing.

 Please check our club Facebook page for the latest updated information about upcoming events added after the yearly published schedule (or changes to the published schedule.) The name of our Facebook page is "Tri County Gun Club Providence."

# **Club Meetings**;

Held on the first Monday of the month @ 6:00 pm at the Range. (See Schedule of Activities)

### **Club Rules:**

- The gate is to remain closed at all times. <u>This means that when you enter the club property, you lock the lock on one of the two arms of the gate system. Then close the two arms of the gate together.</u> The only exception to this is for scheduled matches where visitors will likely be in attendance. The two arms of the gate should not be locked together when the range is being used in case of an emergency that requires ambulance/law enforcement (who do not have access to the lock on the gate.)
  - The last person to leave the range must secure the gate closed with the lock.
- Unload your weapon and **No gun handling** while anyone is down range.
- Guns remain unloaded except when shooter is at a designated shooting position and the range is clear.
- No shooting at range equipment (this includes but not limited to barrels, spools, etc.)
- Shoot only at designated range targets or those you provide.
- Remove all target materials and leave the range cleaner than when you arrived.
- No hunting is permitted on Club property.
- No alcoholic beverages or drugs are permitted on Club property.

- Membership can and will be revoked for rule violations.
- No shooting allowed at tannerite or other explosives on club property.
- Range is closed to general shooting during scheduled competitions & special events. Be sure to consult monthly schedule of activities before coming to the range to shoot.
- Members **MUST NOT** share access to the gate with non-members!

### Dues:

- \$50.00 per Family Membership per Year. Family includes spouse and children living at home.
  - In addition to the annual membership fee, there is a \$20 key deposit that will be returned to the member when that member returns the key.
  - Beginning in 2022, we changed our locks from combination to specially keyed locks. These locks use keys that can only be duplicated by our designated locksmith.
  - This change in type of lock was deemed necessary to upgrade our range security due to recent occurrences of vandalism.
  - o There will be a \$20 fee to replace a lost key.
- Membership year begins on **the first Monday in May** and ends on April 30. (Locks are changed at the first club meeting after May 1.)
- If you join after January 1st, your dues are considered paid for the next membership year.

# How to become a member of The Gun Club:

- Prospective <u>new</u> members must present themselves at a regular meeting of the Gun Club. It is encouraged but not mandatory to bring a current club member to the meeting as a character reference. (We understand that some prospective members may be new to the area and not know any current members.)
  - A "prospective new member" is defined as someone who does not have a paid membership in the current year, even though that person might have been a member in the past.
- An <u>Application for Membership</u> must be filled out completely in order to be considered for club membership
- Once approved for membership by the members present, the prospective member will pay the annual dues at that meeting and receive a gate key.

### How to renew annual membership at The Gun Club:

 All members must renew membership (fill out the annual application and pay annual dues) at a meeting of The Gun Club or at a scheduled match when advanced arrangements have been made.

\*\*\* EYE PROTECTION & HEARING PROTECTION ARE MANDATORY \*\*\*