

Quantico Archery Site Safety Rules

- 1) Every archer is responsible for range safety. Every archer must be vigilant and take action to prevent the release of an arrow while personnel are downrange.
- 2) Shooters must release arrows from the firing line only and ALL personnel must be clear from downrange before nocking an arrow.
- 3) Spectators are prohibited on the shooting tower and shooting deck and must ALWAYS be behind the line of fire.
- 4) All archers must stay behind the firing line until shooting on all lanes has ceased. All archers will hang up their bows, put the red warning flags in an "up" position to signal that personnel are downrange, and then collectively walk down range and retrieve arrows.
- 5) As archers return to the firing line after retrieving arrows, they will put the red flag down to signal that the lane is clear.

Only after all flags are down and all lanes are clear may the next group of archers step onto the firing line.
- 6) Archery tackle with a nocked arrow must always be pointing downrange!
- 7) Bows must be placed on the designated racks before retrieving arrows. Bows are prohibited across the firing line at any time.
- 8) Shooting is only allowed from within established shooting lanes. Shooting across lanes or from trees is prohibited.
- 9) No more than two shooters are allowed on the shooting tower and no more than two shooters per lane on the shooting deck.
- 10) Shooters must display their quiver pass on the bow rack by the lane they are using.
- 11) Archers may bring their own targets but must place them against the existing Block target butts or within the target frames downrange from the elevated tower.
- 12) Archers should plan to bring their own bag targets, block targets, or 3-D targets for use on the lanes by the tower.
- 13) Only fully functional and maintained archery tackle may be used.
- 14) Field points only.
- 15) Pointing your bow upward when drawing is prohibited.
- 16) Be courteous to individuals waiting to shoot and limit the time you spend looking for arrows.
- 17) Archery tackle only! No firearms!
- 18) All observers and users < 18 years of age must be accompanied and supervised by a parent or guardian.
- 19) Alcoholic beverages on the Quantico Archery Site are prohibited.
- 20) Pets are not authorized on the site.
- 21) Littering on the premises will not be tolerated.
- 22) To report rule violations and unsafe practices please call the Game Warden Office at (703)432-6793 (94) or (95).