## Kimball Rod and Gun Club – Trap and Skeet Range Protocol

## THINK AND PRACTICE SAFETY

Trap and skeet ranges are open to the general public during Club hours.

Club members in good standing shoot rounds of either trap or skeet at the member rate. Non-member cost for rounds of trap and skeet are \$2 higher.

**Trap and Skeet Range hours:** Mid April through August, Sunday, 1pm to 4pm. Monday and Thursday, 6pm 'til dark. Other dates will be noted on the Club calendar.

## Check Club calendar for dates and times when trap and skeet can be shot.

All shooters must acknowledge and accept the Kimball Rod and Gun Club liability waiver, which will be kept on file for the calendar year.

If you witness anyone being irresponsible on the ranges, report it to the Club board members. Get member information or their license plate number. Memberships will be revoked.

## SAFETY:

- Always keep your gun pointed in a safe direction, down range at all times.
- Always keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.

• Keep your shotgun unloaded with the action open until you are on a firing position and the trap house or skeet field is clear.

- Never move from a station with a loaded gun.
- Wear eye and ear protection while on the trap or skeet field.
- No shot charge bigger than 7-1/2 is allowed. No magnum loads are allowed.
- Load only one shell for singles. Load only two shells for doubles.

• All duds and misfired shells must me removed from club grounds by the owner. Do not leave them on the ground or put them in the trash.

- Always check the barrel, with a ramrod if necessary, after any abnormal discharge.
- Pick up your empties and only after your squad's shooting is completed.

• If an emergency cease fire is called, all firearms must be immediately unloaded and placed in a gun rack. Do not handle firearms during an emergency cease fire.

• Only individuals that are shooting are permitted on the trap or skeet field unless they have the permission of the range officer before the round begins.

- Only authorized personnel are permitted forward of the trap16 yard line.
- No one under the age of 16 is allowed to shoot on the trap or skeet field without the supervision of a parent, guardian, or designated adult.

• No one shall discharge a firearm that they are not knowledgeable about or capable of operating. This does not preclude assistance while tutoring.

• Individuals who have never shot trap or skeet before will be required to shoot their first round on a squad with other experienced shooters or under the supervision of an experienced individual.

• Never use alcohol or drugs while or before shooting. No one may operate a firearm if they have consumed any alcohol.

• Be respectful of other shooters.

THANKS FOR KEEPING OUR RANGES CLEAN AND SAFE