

Ten Key Points of **Safety**

1	<i>Respect</i> Treat all guns as though they are loaded – an accident could be fatal.
2	<i>Safe and Sound</i> All guns must be in proof and in good order. Do not use a faulty or doubtful gun.
3	<i>Open and Empty</i> Carry guns open and empty, semi-autos, bolt back and flagged. Never rely on a safety catch.
4	<i>Correct Cartridges</i> Only carry the correct cartridges for the gauge and chamber of the gun you are using. Never mix gauges in your pockets or bags.
5	<i>Barrels Clear</i> Check the barrels are free from obstructions before every loading. Check for light. Light is right.
6	<i>Point down the range</i> Keep barrels pointing down range at all times when loaded. Open and empty immediately after firing. Ensure gun is unloaded before turning from shooting station.
7	<i>Only Shoot Clays</i> Only point or shoot at whole targets thrown for you on your command – not other objects, live or inanimate.
8	<i>Misfires</i> Keep guns closed for 20 seconds, barrels pointing down range. Check barrels are clear after a soft or unusual discharge.
9	<i>Do Not Mix</i> Alcohol, drugs and horseplay – with guns.
10	<i>Remember</i> When shooting, you are responsible for the safe handling of your gun(s) and the behaviour and safety of your guests, family, friends and animals. <i>Safety is in the hands of the shooter!</i>