

Thank you for your interest in the Cambridge Gun Club Rifle Range (CGCRR) training course. We have enclosed some information regarding the course and some additional general information, which we hope you may find useful. Please use this document to answer any questions. All of the information you need should be within this overview.

Course Overview

- MODULE 1** Safety and Intro to Target Shooting, including Safe Handling and Range Safety Regulations; .22 Gallery Rifle shoot at 25 yds or 5.56/308 shoot at 100 yds.
- MODULE 2** Marksmanship Principles; MOA, intro to sighting systems; basic firearm cleaning and maintenance; Full bore shoot at 100 yds.
- MODULE 3** Full-bore shooting at 100 yds and zeroing to 300/600/1000 yds with Iron sight (TR and Historic) and scoped rifles (bolt action and straight pull); basic positional techniques.
- MODULE 4** Target marking/butts duties; Range booking procedure.
- MODULE 5** Gallery Rifle, revision and assessments for Shooter Certification Cards (SCCs). Competitive shooting events; specialist "Introduction To..." courses and Club/Association leads.

Course Summary & Costs

The course is aimed to provide a comprehensive introduction to shooting which will include safety and range shooting. Our Training Course will be held over 4 dates which will generally span over a 3 month period. The start time is 09:30 for all modules, so please **be here by 09:15** to allow time to get booked in etc.

Module 1	1 Day	09:30-15:00	£95.00
Module 2	1 Day	09:30-15:00	£95.00
Module 3	1 Day	09:30-15:00	£95.00
Modules 4 & 5	1 Day	09:30-15:00	£95.00

Costs include all tuition, targets, ammunition, rifle hire, ancillary equipment and tea/coffee during the sessions. (Lunch is not included in the course fees, but food is available on site, as you may be aware).

Payments & Deposits

Upon successful application to participate in the course, a fee of £200 will be required. This fee consists of 4 x £50 non-refundable deposits for each module date, due to course popularity and sadly, the recurrence of no shows.

Due to the course being modular, it is important that participants turn up to each module to complete the course. Unfortunately, failure to show up to a module would then terminate a person's space on the course. This is unfair on the many people who want to participate in and complete the course, which is why we now require the above non-refundable payment of £200.

Each £50 deposit will be deducted from the cost of each module date (£95), leaving the remainder of £45 for each module date to then be paid at reception when booking in, on the morning of the module date

Alternatively, you may pay upfront for all course modules when booking the course (total £380) if you prefer.

General Information

Enclosed is a "Prospective" member application form for you to complete and return to us if you are interested in undertaking our training course and applying for your firearms certificate. Please note that we are obliged to notify Cambridgeshire Firearms Department of any applications for membership of our Rifle Range Club. The Firearms Department may contact us if they intend to reject a membership application. We shall notify you if this occurs, although the Firearms Department will not explain to us the reasons for rejection. Should you wish to query this, you would need to liaise directly with the Firearms Department.

Booking

Once we receive your "Prospective Membership" application form, we will ask which group you wish to be booked on to. If you have not already seen available groups/module dates, you can find this information on our website under "rifle range" then "rifle training course" where you will see all available group dates. Please let us know which group you would like to join and ensure you can make all listed dates for that group.

Please also note that the instructor will assess you on each Module before clearing you to commence the next one. Should the instructor not pass you off on a particular Module as competent, they may request you re-take the Module, but will explain why. Should you be required to re-take a Module, this will incur an additional charge of £95 for that Module.

Practice

Whilst on the training course, you are **required** to do practical sessions between modules. This practice will be of benefit to you. You may use rifles up to the calibre you have received training on, to that date. The following costs apply for practice in between module dates:

Lane Hire (90 mins)	£15.00 (Discounted from the standard fee of £30.00)
Gun Hire (90 mins)	FOC (Whilst participating in the course, until completion)
Ammunition	£ (This depends on which calibre you are shooting)

You must book in to use the range between modules, please use our website to book your lane. Our staff cannot do this for you. Please go to our website, "rifle range" and then "rifle range booking" where you can use the online calendar to book your slot. There is a note which says "**DO NOT** use the below booking calendar if you do not hold a Firearms Certificate & SSC or DSC1. Please contact us", please **ignore this** as you are on the training course and therefore known to us. Please also ensure that you are with us a minimum of 20 mins ahead of your booking to allow time to book in at reception and to collect your gun & equipment from the gun shop.

Membership & Course Completion

On successful application as a Prospective Member, and on the start of the Training Course (Module 1), we shall enrol you as a "Probationary Member". As a Probationary Member, you shall be able to use the Range in between training module days. You shall need to pre-book your lane on the Range using the online calendar/booking system.

On satisfactory completion of the training course and at the time of your firearms application, you are **required** to take out Full membership of our Rifle Range for us to issue with your letter of recommendation (to apply for your firearms certificate).

If for some reason you do not take out a full member of the range, we will not issue you with your letter of recommendation. Your letter of recommendation is valid for 12 months. You may continue to be a Probationary Member with us for a period of **6 months** from your course completion date (Mod 4/5).

The annual membership fee allows you to use the range whenever it is open, and there are no lane fees once you are a "Full" member. It is however, recommended that you continue to book your lane on the range to ensure availability. Please remember, to maintain your Firearms Certificate, you must be attending approved Rifle Club's. Clubs are required to notify the Firearms Department of any member not attending in a 12 month period.

Full membership is usually £300 per year and runs for a 12 month period from the date of joining. The Full membership is discounted for you to £250 for the first year, as you have undertaken the course. A membership card shall be issued on successful application as a Full member and you will need to provide us with one passport sized photo.

On completion of all 5 modules (and "passing" the assessment), you shall receive an NRA Shooter Certification Card.

Complete Course Cost Breakdown

• Mod 1	£95
• Minimum of 1 practice session	£15+
• Mod 2	£95
• Minimum of 1 practice session	£15+
• Mod 3	£95
• Minimum of 1 practice session	£15+
• Mod 4/5	£95
• Minimum of 1 practice session	£15+
• Membership upon course completion (discounted rate)	£250

There is a charge associated with applying for your Firearms Certificate, please contact Firearms for current pricing.

What to do next

If you are interested in attending the training course, please complete our “Prospective Member” application form and return it to us. We shall then be in touch.

We hope the information provided is adequate, but should you have any additional questions at this stage please don't hesitate to contact us on 01353 648004 or info@cambridgegunclub.co.uk

Yours sincerely

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