

### Trap Shoot Etiquette

- Have your team ready to shoot when your team is called.
- Vest or shooting belt is preferred so you don't have to stoop down and pick up shells each time to reload.
- Always keep your gun pointed at the ground or the trap house.
- Only raise your gun when it is your turn to fire.
- Keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction.
- Keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.
- Keep the gun unloaded until ready to shoot.
- Know your target and what is beyond.
- Load only one shell at a time.
- Close your gun only when you are facing the trap house and ready to fire.
- Be responsible and respectful of other shooters.
- Always observe all safety rules.
- **Ear and eye protection are mandatory.**
- No exceptions – **no alcoholic beverages are allowed.**
- A representative from the gun club will review safety rules and etiquette before the shoot begins in the clubhouse.