

Membership is renewed each January and if you join part way through the year your membership fee will be reduced proportionally. With your first application there is an additional fee to cover the cost of liaising with the Police. All new applications have by law to be reported to the Police Firearms Licencing Unit, where they will check out your suitability to handle firearms.

Your membership will start with a probationary period of up to six months and you must shoot a minimum of twelve times, in this period. Your application will then be referred back to the committee for progression to full membership.

Identification

Identification must be displayed at all times when on the Club premises. Visitors badge, Green MRR badge, Probationary members badge or full members Badge. The purpose of the ID badges is to help with range safety and to make it easier to identify people who may need support.



Blackburn Rifle & Pistol Club. For more information and details of how to join us

Tel:01254 674028,
email:
BRPCmembership@hotmail.com

Or

look at our web site:-

www.blackburn-rpc.co.uk.



Opening Hours:-

Monday -	6.00pm to 9.00pm
Tuesday -	10.00am to 12.00pm (BRPC Veterans)
Tuesday -	6.30pm to 9.00pm
Wednesday -	10.00am to 1.00pm (Blind Acoustic Shooting)
Wednesday -	7.00pm to 9.00pm
Thursday -	6.00pm to 9.00pm
Friday -	2.30pm to 9.00pm
Saturday -	10.00 to 1.00pm

How to join!



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First Visit.

You will need to pre-arrange your first visit to ensure that a range officer is free to help you. (see back cover for contact details)

As part of the registration process you will need to produce two forms of identification; one to prove your address (utility bill etc.) and the second to prove who you are (Photo driving licence, passport, etc.) You will also need to complete the declaration on the back of the green form, particularly the sentence about section 21 of the firearms act. Section 21 defines people who are prohibited from handling firearms.

Upon successful completion of the green MRR form you will be able to use the Miniature Rifle Range facilities.



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Miniature Rifle Range. (MRR)

The MRR legislation allows people to use firearms up to 0.23" calibre within our club. We have a variety of firearms that go from air pistol to self-loading rim-fire rifles, which are available to MRR users free of charge.

To use the MRR there is a range fee and you will need to cover the cost of consumable, such as targets and ammunition.



The MRR is the starting point for firearms safety training and is a prelude to the formal Safety course which Members are obliged to attend. As well as the safety training your range officer will help you to sample a variety of firearms.

Safety Course.

All new members must attend a formal safety course. This safety course is held on the first Monday of each month and is conducted by one of the club trainers. This course is free of charge.

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Membership.

To become a member of Blackburn Rifle and Pistol Club you will need a sponsor. The MRR is a good way to get yourself known. We require people to attend the MRR at least three times before making an application to become a member.

The application form is similar to the MRR green form with a slight addition. You will need ID and to make the same declarations. The addition is that you will need a reference from a person who has known you for over two years. The referee can be anyone, except for relatives. They will be contacted by our membership secretary and they need to state how long you have been known to the referee and that the referee feels that you are a suitable person to be handling firearms.

All application forms are reviewed by the committee, on the second Tuesday of each month.



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