



# West Hill Pistol Training Range Safety Officer Course Itinerary



## Introduction

The NRA Basic Range Safety Officer course teaches the basic duties a Range Safety Officer performs with a NRA Training Counselor/Chief Range Safety Officer through West Hill Pistol Training.

**Time: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

## NRA Range Safety Officer Course

- A. Lesson I: Introduction to the NRA Basic Range Safety Officer Course (.5 hours).
  - 1. Understand the NRA's Range Safety Officer Course.
  - 2. Explain the purpose for becoming a NRA Range Safety Officer.
  - 3. Explain the goal of the NRA Range Safety Officer Course.
- B. Lesson II: The Role of the Range Safety Officer and Range Standard Operating Procedure (.5 hours).
  - 1. Explain the role of the Range Safety Officer (RSO).
  - 2. Explain the purpose of having a range Standard Operating Procedures (SOP).
- C. Lesson III: Range Inspection and Range Rules (1 hour).
  - 1. Properly inspect an indoor range.
  - 2. Properly inspect an outdoor range.
  - 3. Describe the four type of shooting ranges rules and how each type applies to the handling and use of guns.
- D. Lunch: ***Students are strongly urged to bring a lunch and other refreshments.***
- E. Lesson IV: Range Safety Briefing (1.5 hours).
  - 1. Explain the purpose of a range safety briefing.
  - 2. Conduct a range safety briefing.
- F. Lesson V: Emergency Procedures (1 hour).
  - 1. Explain the purpose of having emergency procedures.
  - 2. Identify the steps to take during an emergency.
  - 3. Conduct an emergency exercise.
- G. Lesson VI: Gun Stoppages and Malfunctions (2 hours).
  - 1. Explain the difference between a stoppage and a malfunction.
  - 2. Demonstrate how to safely take a gun from a shooter.
  - 3. Demonstrate how to clear common stoppages.
- H. Lesson VII: Test and Review (1.5 hours).
  - 1. Successfully complete the NRA Range Safety Officer written examination (90% - minimum score).
  - 2. Understand the procedure for finalizing credentialing with the NRA.

\*Training is objective based. Time requirements are estimated minimum.

