



United States Department of Agriculture

## Shooting Ranges

### McKenzie County Sportsman's Club

Located 5 miles South on County Road 37, off the Hwy 23 bypass.

Use the address listed below and follow the scoria road:

**12355 23rd St NW**

(If you use the actual address to the range, GPS will take you North of Watford City)

Any questions please contact:  
Shooting Range Manager  
(701)978-8872  
sportsmens@mcksc.org

### Lewis & Clark Shooting Range

Located 6 miles SW of Williston on the Lewis & Clark Wildlife Management Area. All WMA rules & regulations must be followed. WMA roads may close due to seasonal conditions or for maintenance.



For information, maps, and questions contact:

### Little Missouri National Grassland McKenzie Ranger District

1905 South Main Street  
Watford City, ND 58854  
701-842-8500

[www.fs.usda.gov/dpg](http://www.fs.usda.gov/dpg)

***Stay on existing roads & trails.***

***All off road travel is prohibited.***

***During wet conditions, confine motorized travel to the major, improved surface gravel roads.***

Report information on illegal activities to:

**McKenzie County Sheriff's Office**  
701-444-3654

**ND Game & Fish (RAP)**  
1-800-472-2121

**USDA Forest Service  
McKenzie Ranger District**  
701-842-8500



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# TARGET SHOOTING

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Forest Service

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## General Rules:

According to the Code of Federal Regulations (Title 36), recreational shooting can take place on the National Forests and Grasslands under these conditions:

1. You are at least 150 yards from a residence, building, campsite, developed recreational area or occupied area.
2. You are not shooting across or on a Forest Service Road or adjacent to a body of water.
3. You are not shooting into or within a cave.
4. You are not shooting in any manner or place where any person, property, or resource is exposed to injury or damage as a result of such discharge.
5. You are not firing any tracer bullet or incendiary ammunition.



## Exploding targets are prohibited on the grasslands.

Do not shoot anything that is not intended for use as a target.

(ex. Natural features, signs, garbage, appliances, etc.)

Always have a safe backstop. Do not attach your targets to trees, fences, or other improvements. Be aware of others in the area.



Livestock graze throughout the grasslands.

Take extra precautions when livestock are present.

Leave all gates as you found them whether opened or closed.

## Target Shooting:

### Keep it Safe:

Follow the four fundamental rules of firearm safety:

1. Treat every gun as if it is loaded.
2. Never let the muzzle of a firearm point at anything you do not intend to shoot.
3. Keep your finger off the trigger and out of the trigger guard until your sights are on the target and you are ready to shoot.
4. Always be sure of your target and what is beyond.

### Keep it Clean:

#### **Practice Leave No Trace Principles:**

Remember to pick up spent shells, target remnants and anything else you bring to the grasslands.

**Pack it in, Pack it out.**

### Respect Private Land:

Do not enter private land without permission from the landowner.

Use the Little Missouri National Grassland (LMNG) map while on the grasslands to ensure you are in an area authorized for public use. The LMNG map is available for purchase at the district offices.