

HSC 200/300 RANGE QUALIFICATION PROCESS

Members must be qualified to use the 200/300-yard range. Fortunately, this process is straight forward and does not require a shooter to be Carlos Hathcock. The protocol to become qualified to shoot at the 200/300-yard ranges is detailed below:

An accurate center fire rifle and a practiced hand will be needed.

All rifles and cartridges acceptable for use on the 200/300yard range must be chambered in rifle caliber. This means .30-30, .30 carbine, and rifles chambered for pistol cartridges (.44 magnum, .357 magnum etc.) are not acceptable for us on the 200/300 range.

First, go to the 100-yard range and shoot a group with your favorite centerfire rifle. We're not looking for quarter-inch groups, but we do need a demonstration that the rifle is well zeroed, and that the shooter is diligent and competent.

Second, bring your target to the 200/300 and meet one of the 200/300 Range Committee. They will review your 100-yard target and then ask you to shoot a target at the 200-yard range. He will ask you to shoot 8 rounds at the target. *Please note we will allow you to choose a target of your choice. We prefer you use a "Shoot-N-See" type target as the bullet holes at 200 yards are awfully small.

You know you can do it.

The 200/300 Committee will be at the range for qualifications every 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:00. Please be prompt.

The Committee members are volunteering their time. If you are planning on qualifying on a particular Sunday, rather than just showing up, it is preferred that you contact Ed Sawyer, Range Chairman, eddsawyer@verizon.net to let the Committee know that you would like to be qualified. This will ensure that someone will be there.