

1. No matter how many times you've hunted at Halter, our guides will always do a safety debrief.

2. Hunters are required to wear orange on their body as well as head, safety glasses and ear protection, strongly advised.

3. Members should make sure their guides are aware of their guest's previous hunting experience so a proper safety review can be conducted.

4. All hunters should be aware of their firearms safety mechanism and are encouraged to check the safety periodically throughout the hunt.

5. Hunters should pay close attention to where their barrel is pointing while walking and setting up for taking a shot. In all cases, the barrel should be pointed in the air and never carried with the barrel pointing towards the ground.

6. When reloading firearms, hunters should turn away from other hunters and be aware of where the dog is to avoid accidental discharge incidents.

7. Hunters should never have their finger in the trigger guard unless they are prepared to pull the trigger.

8. While taking breaks from hunting, firearms should be broken open, unloaded, chamber open or all.

9. Hunters should pay close attention that the ammunition they are carrying in their pockets is the correct ammo for their gun.

10. Before starting down rows, hunters should take direction from their guide on where they should be positioned.

11. Hunters should not deviate from the directions they have been given by their guide or lead hunter.

12. Halter is a bird rich environment and at no time should hunters be compelled to take unsafe shots. No shots should be taken below 11:00 and hunters should see skyline behind the birds.

13. No birds shall ever be shot on ground.



14. Hunters should not turn towards fellow hunters in an effort to position themselves to shoot a bird behind them.

15. Hunters should always turn to the outside to make a safe shot of a bird that is behind the group.

16. Hunters are encouraged to move as close to dog as possible when the dog is "birdie", however hunters should never run with a firearm to do so.

17. When walking rows in the field, hunters shall remain in an even straight line. Hunters that get ahead of the group risk injury.

18. If a guide/ hunter screams no bird, all hunters must avoid shooting as the guide is more aware of the surroundings and potential dangerous shots.

19. Should a hunter drop a shell during loading, we request that the shell be thoroughly cleaned before loading to avoid incident.

20. Halter wildlife expects all members and guests coming to the club to respect the 10 mph speed limit. This is to avoid accidents associated with cars being shot and dogs being hit. Please note dogs are considered more valuable.

21. When walking to and from the club on the paved road, all guns must be unloaded and close attention to dogs at heel.

22. When entering the clubhouse with an uncased firearm, they must be unloaded and pointed at the air or broken open and must immediately be put into rack or case.

23. Lead hunters should immediately report their bird numbers and location to the front desk.

24. Alcohol cannot not be consumed prior to using a firearm of any type at Halter.

25. Any spent shells should be disposed of at front door garbage receptacle.

I have read the above and fully understand its content. I agree to abide by the safety regulations set forth by Halter Wildlife.

Name (Print) _____

Signature _____

Date _____

