

# Parental Consent Form - AIR RIFLE SHOOTING

NO YOUNG PERSON IS PERMITTED TO TAKE PART IN THIS ACTIVITY WITHOUT PRIOR WRITTEN PARENTAL CONSENT.

Date:	Location:	

## **Extract from the Firearms Act 1968:**

#### Section 21

- 1. A person who has been sentenced (to custody for life or) to preventive detention, or to imprisonment or to corrective training for a term three years or more (or to youth custody or detention in a young offender's institution) for such a term, or who has been sentenced to be detained for such a term in a young offenders institution in Scotland, shell not at any time have a firearm or ammunition in his possession.
- 2. A person who has been sentenced ... to imprisonment for a term of three months or more but less than three years (or to youth custody or detention in a young offenders institution) for such a term, or who has been sentenced to be detained for such a term in a detention centre or young offenders institution in Scotland, shall not at any time before the expiration of the period of five years from the date of his release have a firearm or ammunition in his possession.

#### This Means:

Section 21 prohibits the possession of firearms and ammunition (under any circumstances) by any person who has been convicted of a crime and sentenced to a term of imprisonment (or its equivalent for young persons) of 3 months or more. The prohibition applies in all circumstances, including handling and firing at an approved shooting club or at a clay pigeon shoot where a certificate is not ordinarily required. It also applies to the possession or use of other categories of firearms and ammunition such as AIRGUNS or shot cartridges for which a certificate is not needed. A sentence of 3 months to 3 years attracts a 5-year prohibition, shorter ones no prohibition but longer ones means a life ban

### **Parental Permission & Declaration:**

Name of Participant	Date of Birth:	
Any disability or	Any medical treatment	
condition which may be	participant is currently	
affected by this activity.	receiving, if none state	
If none state 'None'	'None'.	

You should only sign this declaration if the person undertaking the activity is unaffected by the terms of Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 as described above.

I, the parent/guardian of the person named above, declare that they are not subject to any restrictions by virtue of the regulations for the handling of firearms and ammunition set out in Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 described above. I hereby give my permission for them to take part in the Activity specified in the details section above.

**Signature** Date

Name of Parent/Guardian:	
Home Address:	
	Postcode:
Email address:	
Telephone numbers:	1) 2)