

Archery Range Rules

- Union County Archery ID Card must be prominently displayed on the Archer at all times.
- Equipment permitted: longbow, re-curve and compound bow only; limit 70 lb. draw weight.
- Crossbow shooting is only allowed by individuals possessing a NJ State issues crossbow license from the physically challenged.
- ID Holder **must** bring **ALL** of their own equipment . Equipment includes but is not limited to: bow, arrows, and targets. Targets will not be supplied by the range.
- Targets must be compatible with equipment.
- Personal equipment should be inspected by the individual or group and maintained for safe operation.
- Only target and field point are allowed on the ranged. No fixed or mechanical broad-heads allowed!
- No more than 6 arrows (1 end) will be shot at each relay.
- Relay time will not exceed 10 minutes.
- All shooting will be from the marked firing line only.
- Only straight in-lane shooting permitted.
- No crossing shots, roving or clout.
- No hunting or firearms allowed.
- Arrow retrieval / search time per end shall not exceed 5 minutes.
- Union County Police reserve the right to confiscate any Archery ID card and revoke usage rights to ant individual who does not comply with Archery rules.

In case of emergency, contact the Union County Police at (908) 654-9800

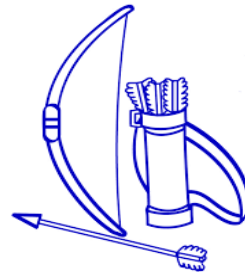
Want to Take Your Archery Skills to the Next Level?

Intermediate Lessons for four (4) or fewer people are available at a rate of \$100 per person and will be scheduled at mutually agreeable times. Lessons are available by appointment only.

Participants **MUST** first have completed a **Group Archery Safety Lesson** or hold a valid **Union County Archery ID**.

To schedule lessons or for more information:

Call (908) 527-4900 or visit the Union County Website at www.ucnj.org/archery



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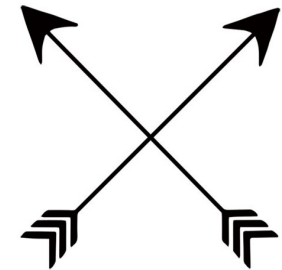
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Union County Archery Range at Oak Ridge Park

ID Card Information, Range Use,
and Rules and Guidelines



Union County Archery Range
Oak Ridge Park
Oak Ridge Road

Year– Round
Daily from Dawn to Dusk

At times the Archery Range may be closed at the discretion of the County of Union



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How to Obtain Your Archery ID Card

After you have taken your Archery Safety Lesson, you may choose to obtain your Archery picture ID card. **This Photo ID is necessary to have in order to use the Union County Archery Range.** In addition, you must submit the card signed by the Archery Instructor to receive your picture ID card. The course completion card expires within 3 months after date of class.

ID Card Fees: Payable by cash, bank check, money order, Visa, Discover, MasterCard, or American Express.

	Union County Residents	Out-of-County
Adults	\$30	\$40
Youth (17 & under)	\$15	\$22
Seniors (55 & over)	\$15	\$22
Replacement ID Card	\$5	\$5

Residents of Edison Township pay Union County rates.

NEW Archery Photo ID Cards: Can be obtained by e-mailing a copy of your completion card and a head shot photo of yourself to parkrequest@ucnj.org.

ID Card RENEWALS: Please visit the link on for archery renewals at www.ucnj.org/archery.

Union County's first and only public archery range was built with the generous assistance of many volunteers in the archery community. Please help keep the facility clean, safe and fun.

Archers must possess a current annual Union County Archery ID Card. Archery ID Cards must be renewed annually.

Hold Harmless, Indemnification and Assumption of Risk Agreement

Warning: Serious Injury may result from your participation in an archery program

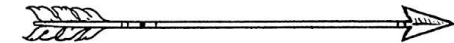
In consideration of and by participating in any fashion in any activity today and on all future dates at the County's archery range, any participant, his/her heirs, assigns, and legal representatives, hereby expressly agree to the following:

- Participants and spectators are deemed to assume the inherent risks involved in the sport and practice of archery. Each participant is expected to conduct themselves within the limits of their ability in their sport.
- Participant agrees to hold the County of Union and all of its successors, assigns, subsidiaries, employees, and agents harmless and release them from any/all liability whatsoever and in connection with any claims, causes of action, injuries, damages, cost or expenses arising out of participants' use of the County's archery range, activities and/or property and facilities, including without limitation, those based on death, bodily injury, or property damage
- Participant agrees to indemnify and defend the County of Union and all of its successors, assigns, subsidiaries, employees, and agents against any and all claims, causes of action, damages, judgments, costs or expenses resulting from the participants' negligence arising from the participant's use of the County's property and facilities.
- Participant certifies that he/she is physically and mentally fit for all archery activity and will obey all rules and regulations established by the County of Union's Parks Department.
- Participant represents to the County that this Agreement is being made freely and voluntarily, and that if this Agreement is on behalf of a participant who is under the age of 18 years, that the undersigned is the participants' parent or legal guardian. Participant further acknowledges and understands that this Agreement shall remain valid now and at all times in the future until it is revoked in writing by participant.

To Qualify for a Union County Archery ID Card

Archers must provide proof of having passed an archery course offered by:

- Union County Group Archery Safety Lesson
- Union County 4-H Shooting Sports Program
- Must retake safety course if ID has not been renewed after 3 years.



For more information:

Directions to Oak Ridge Park: From the Garden State Parkway, take exit 135, Westfield/Clark. Follow Central Avenue toward Westfield to Raritan Road. Turn left on Raritan Road (the name changes to Oak Ridge Road after approximately 2 miles). Oak Ridge Park is on the right about 1/2 mile past Lake Avenue. Range is to the left.

**County of Union
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Parks Reservation Desk
10 Elizabethtown Plaza
Administration Building
Elizabeth, NJ 07207
(908) 527-4900**