

TDG BY-LAWS

ARTICLE 1 – NAME:

The name of this organization shall be The Dalton Gang Shooting Club of NH LLC.

ARTICLE II – OBJECTIVE:

The objective of this organization shall be the encouragement of organized rifle, pistol, and shotgun action type competition, using firearms that were available prior to 1900 or replicas thereof and while engaging in this sport, competitors are encouraged to “dress the part” in hats, boots, leather gear, and other costume accoutrements as described in the SASS (Single Action Shooting Society) handbook. An example of such Events will be: Biathlon Event, CSA (Cowboy Single Action Shooting) Event, Black Powder Event and the Long Range (Buffalo) Event. All SASS (Single Action Shooting Society) Events and activities will be operated under the rules as prescribed by SASS (Single Action Shooting Society).

Further, to allow a broader use of The Dalton Gang Range and to promote Club growth and community support, the use of modern firearms will be encouraged. Instruction by qualified instructors will be offered. Such events as Federal, State and Local Law Enforcement Departments for instruction purposes; sighting-in; target practice of modern pistols and rifles; and such various events as Women on Target, Steel Challenge and IDPA will be encouraged. Compensation to the Club will be determined at time of scheduling such events.

ARTICLE III – MEMBERSHIP:

Use of The Dalton Gang Range is subject to restrictions, limitations, and availability. All events and use of the Range must be reserved.

The following membership levels are offered: “Standard”, “Limited”, and “Daily”.

Standard Membership – Offered to those who participate in multiple Dalton Gang events per year. Such events include Cowboy Single Action Shooting (CSA), Black Powder Event, Long Range (Buffalo), and/or the Primitive Biathlon Event.

Limited Membership – Offered to those not eligible for the Standard Membership but uses the Range more than five (5) times per year.

Daily – Offered to those who would use the Range less than five (5) times per year.

All users of the Range MUST have a current LIABILITY Waiver on file. A new Liability Waiver is required every year.

All members MUST comply with Article VIII – Range Safety / Conduct.

Membership is not contingent upon membership in the NRA (National Rifle Association) or SASS (Single Action Shooting Society). However, it is recommended as these organizations are international in scope. Membership is not limited to citizens of the United States of America; however, the balance of the NRA (National Rifle Association) pledge will apply.

NRA Pledge: "I certify that I am a citizen of the United States of America and that I am not a member of any organization or group which has as any part of its program the attempt to overthrow the Government of the United States or any of its political sub-divisions by force or violence, and if admitted to membership, I will faithfully endeavor to fulfill the obligations of good sportsmanship and good citizenship.

ARTICLE IV – DUES / FEES:

All membership fees must be paid at the time of the application. Application for membership will not be processed unless accompanied by the required dues / fees.

Daily usage fees must be paid at time of registration to shoot.

Membership renewals are due January 1st of each year. Existing members in good standing are granted a 30 day grace period after which membership is terminated for non-payment and range use revoked.

See current fee schedule posted on the Range website at www.thedaltongangofnh.org.

ARTICLE V – MEETINGS:

The regular business meeting of the Club for transaction of ordinary business shall be held at such time and place as may be fixed by the Board of Directors. Officers of the Club shall stay in office (required to be Club members in good standing) until notice from said Officer(s) requesting removal is submitted to the Board of Directors or is expelled (See Article VIII). The Board of Directors will at that time decide on replacement action to be taken. Special meetings may be held at any time upon the call of the President or the call of the Board of Directors or upon demand in writing stating the topic of the proposed meeting and signed by not less than 20% of the membership.

ARTICLE VI – OFFICERS:

The Officers of the Club shall be a President, Vice President, and Secretary / Treasurer.

The Officers and elected Board members shall constitute the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall act in an advisory position on all activities of the Club. Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held regularly at such time and place as the Board of Directors may determine. Special meetings may be held at any time on call of the President or on the demand in writing to the Secretary by three (3) members of the Board of Directors.

In order to conduct business, a quorum of the existing Board of Directors members is required. A quorum shall consist of a simple majority of current Board of Directors members. A Board of Director member may send a proxy (alternate Club member) to serve in their capacity on the Board of Directors if unable to attend a meeting. Notification of the proxy shall be conveyed to an Officer by phone, in writing, or via e-mail. If unable to attend a meeting, a Board of Director member may register his/her vote on any issue by contacting an Officer by phone, in writing, or via e-mail and registering their vote in advance of the scheduled meeting. The resignation of an Officer must be accepted by the members of the Board of Directors.

Any vacancy of the Board of Directors, other than the President, shall be filled by a special election of the Board of Directors within a reasonable amount of time. The vacancy of the President shall be filled by the Vice President and his office shall be filled by special election for the purpose of

maintaining continuity in the Board of Directors. Such elections shall be held by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VII – REMOVAL FROM MEMBERSHIP:

Any Officer / member may be suspended or expelled for any action deemed sufficient. This action may be done by a simple majority vote from the Board of Directors or by the Range Master at his discretion. The member may be informed in writing of the reason and action taken.

Charges against an Officer / member may be referred by any member in good standing. They shall be in writing, clearly stating the facts (date, time, witnesses, etc) and accompanied by all affidavits and / or exhibits that are used in their support. Such charges are filed with the Club's secretary, who will immediately notify the Club's President and a meeting of the Board of Directors will be called to review the charges. The final decision on any action to be taken will be the responsibility of the Range Master.

ARTICLE VIII – RANGE SAFETY / CONDUCT:

All users of the Range agree to follow all Range rules (subject to change) and conduct themselves in a polite and respectful manor. All designated Range Officers and Board of Directors' members shall have the duty and authority to address any disorderly or unsafe action at any time that they deem threatens the safety of members, the public or the Club. The situation will be brought to the immediate attention of the Range Master, who will then determine if any further action is necessary concerning the incident or incidents, including expulsion from the event, the Range or the Club.

ARTICLE IX – AMENDMENTS:

A proposed amendment to these By-Laws may be introduced by any Board of Directors' member of the Club at any regular Board of Directors meeting or at any special Board meeting called for such purpose. Such proposed amendment shall be provided to any affiliated association as required. It must be acted upon by the Board of Directors at a regular meeting or a special meeting called for such purpose, providing a copy of the approved amendment has been sent to each Board of Directors' member at least 15 days prior the meeting.

ARTICLE X – DISBURSEMENT OF CLUB ASSETS:

Upon dissolution of The Dalton Gang of NH LLC and all expenses satisfied, any assets remaining shall revert to the Mooney Trust.

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