



LLANFORDA
SPORTING AGENCY

SHOOT SAFETY BRIEFING

Shooting is characteristically a hazardous sport. The Llanforda Sporting Agency owes a duty of care to members of the public who use the land and has produced this briefing in order to outline our requirements to ensure good shooting practice and our health and safety obligations have been met.

The Shoot Host shall brief the Guns at the start of the day. Please take the time to listen to the details. Should you require clarification on any of the points outlined below either prior to or during the Shoot please make contact with the Head of Country Sports or Shoot Host.

The briefing will include:

- The number of drives;
- The quarry which may be shot. No ground game allowed including foxes, rabbits and deer;
- Responsibility for spectators;
- Use of fibre wad cartridges only;
- Position of stands;
- Arrangements for establishing when the start of the drive is to commence;
- The terrain to be crossed and any appropriate obstacle crossing points;
- The presence and location of public footpaths, bridleways or roads and the minimum distance at which a gun may be discharged;
- Hearing protection for Guns advised
- The signal for shooting to end (one blast of the horn);

- **Emergency Procedures:**
 - The emergency signal (one blast of the horn) to indicate the need to stop or suspend the drive (such as for footpath walkers).
 - Two-way radios and mobile phones are available to ensure communication in the event of an emergency.
 - First Aid kits are available in the Shoot Lodge and Shoot vehicles. The Head of Country Sports, Mark Lawrence, is a trained First Aider.

**IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO RAISE ANY HEALTH AND SAFETY CONCERNS WITH
THE HEAD OF COUNTRY SPORTS OR THE SHOOT HOST**

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