Decorah Archery Range Rules and Etiquette

- **Operating Hours**: The range is open from sunrise to sunset.
- **Supervision Requirement**: Youth under 18 must be supervised by an adult.
- **Prohibited Items and Behavior**:
    - No pets, alcohol, or firearms are allowed at the range.
    - Field points only; broadheads are not permitted.
- **Equipment Inspection**: Ensure all archery equipment is inspected before use.
- **Safety Protocols**:
    - Stay at the shooting line while shooting.
    - Maintain proper posture and drawing techniques; avoid sky drawing.
    - Arrows should always be pointed down or at the targets.
    - No persons down range from the shooting line until all shooting all shooting has stopped.
- **Shooting Etiquette**:
    - Step off the shooting line and set your bow aside when finished.
    - Confirm with others, "All clear?" before retrieving arrows.
- **Arrow Retrieval**: Check behind you before pulling arrows.
- **Conduct**:
    - Running is not allowed.
    - Support and respect fellow archers.
- **Enjoyment**: Have fun at the range, while adhering to the safety protocols, rules and etiquette!

WARNING

Any violation of these rules may result in prohibition from using the archery range, a municipal infraction, or criminal charges.

INDEMNIFICATION STATEMENT

"I understand that the nature of this activity may involve certain dangers and risks, and I voluntarily assume all risks of accident or injury. By using this range, I hereby waiver, forever release and forever discharge the City of Decorah, Iowa, and its respective employees, officers, agents, elected and appointed officials, donors, coordinators, and volunteers from any and all liability and claims for personal injury,

death, or property damage of any kind sustained in any manner arising from my participation in the archery range. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Decorah, Iowa, and its respective employees, officers, agents, elected and appointed officials, donors, coordinators, and volunteers, from any and all claims, liability, loss and expense, including but not limited to damages, legal expenses and costs of defense, and all claims of any nature whatsoever, in any manner, including negligence, arising from my participation in the archery range. It is further understood and agreed that this waiver, release, and assumption of risk is to be binding on my heirs and assignees."

If there's any issue or concern, you can report it by calling Decorah Parks and Rec at (563) 382-4158. These guidelines ensure safety and enjoyment for all participants while promoting respectful interaction at the range.