

# NZDA AUCKLAND BRANCH RANGE CALENDAR 2018/19



The Auckland Branch range is located within the Matariki Forest, Riverhead, at the end of Weir Road. Entry is via the gate at the end Forestry Road, Riverhead.  
(See travel directions)

**NEW GATE ENTRY TIMES ARE:**

**IN 8.45am -9.00am**

**IN/OUT 12.45 pm - 1.00 pm to closing.**

**NOTE: PLEASE DO NOT TURN UP ON DAYS WHEN WE HAVE SPECIAL SHOOTS ON THE RANGE & EXPECT TO DO A GENERAL PRACTICE SHOOT, YOU WILL BE TURNED AWAY. MAKE SURE THAT YOU READ THE PROGRAMME PROPERLY.**

**NOTE: YOUR GATE ENTRY TIMES ARE EARLIER THAN THE RANGE STARTING TIMES.**

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**NZDA AUCKLAND BRANCH WEB SITE.**

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MONTH - MARCH 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	03	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Black powder cannon & mortar shoot.	100m	12:45
Sat	03	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Black powder rifle practice	100m	04:30
Sat	03	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	03	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sun	04	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	04	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	10	AM	09:00	200m Centrefire Silhouette shoot. No general practice.	200m	
Sun	11	AM	09:00	1st. NZDA Interbranch social shoot, 100m CF x 4P x 5 shot per position. No General Practice	100m	12:45
Sun	11	PM	01:00	NZDA Auck. Branch Agg. Shoot, Rimfire x 4P x 10 shot per position. No General Practice	50m	
Sat	17	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	17	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	18	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	18	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	24	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	24	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	25	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	25	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

MONTH - APRIL 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	07	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Shotgun morning practice shoot only.	100m	12:45
Sat	07	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Service rifle, MSSA shoot. 'A' & 'E' cat.	100m	04:30
Sat	07	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	07	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sun	08	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	08	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	14	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	14	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	15	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	15	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	21	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	21	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	22	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	22	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sat	28	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Rimfire Silhouette shoot.	100m	
Sun	29	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Shotgun practice shoot only. No general practice.	100m	12:45
Sun	29	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Shotgun practice shoot only. No general practice.	100m	04:30

MONTH - MAY 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	05	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	05	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	06	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	06	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	12	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	12	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	13	AM	09:00	NZDA Auck. Branch Agg. Shoot, Centrefire x 4P x 5 shot per position. No general practice.	100m	
Sun	13	PM	12:45 - 1:00	NZDA Auck. Branch Agg. Shoot, Rimfire x 4P x 10 shot per position. No general practice.	50m	
Sat	19	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	19	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	19	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Black powder cannon & mortar shoot.	100m	12:45
Sat	19	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Black powder rifle practice	100m	04:30
Sun	20	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	20	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	26	AM	8:45 - 9:00	200m Silhouette shoot. No general practice.	200m	
Sun	27	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	27	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

MONTH- JUNE 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	02	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	02	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	09	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Rimfire Silhouette shoot.	100m	
Sun	10	AM	09:00	Interclub Bolt action military rifle shoot. No general practice.	100m	12:45
Sun	10	PM	12:45 - 1:00	NZDA Auck. Branch Agg. Shoot, Rimfire x 4P x 10 shot per position. No general practice.	50m	
Sat	16	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m, 100m	
Sat	16	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m, 100m	
Sun	17	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	17	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sat	23	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Shotgun morning practice shoot only. No general practice.	100m	12:45
Sat	23	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Service rifle, Bolt action military rifle shoot. No general practice.	100m	04:30
Sun	24	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	24	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	30	AM	09:00	Working bee	100m, 25m	02:00

MONTH- JULY 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sun	01	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	01	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	07	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m, 100m	
Sat	07	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m, 100m	
Sun	08	AM	09:00	2nd NZDA Interbranch social shoot, 200m CF x 4P x 5 shot per position. No general practice.	200m	
Sun	08	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Service rifle, MSSA shoot.'A' & 'E' cat. No general practice.	100m	04:30
Sat	14	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	14	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	15	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	15	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sun	21	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Shotgun practice shoot only.	100m	12:45
Sat	21	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Service rifle, MSSA shoot.'A' & 'E' cat.	100m	04:30
Sun	22	AM	09:00	Range officers only shoot. Morning entry only. No general practice.	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	22	PM	12:45 - 1:00	NZDA Auck. Branch Agg. Shoot, Rimfire x 4P x 10 shot per position. No general practice.	50m	
Sat	28	AM	8:45 - 9:00	200m Silhouette shoot. No general practice.	200m	
Sun	29	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	29	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

MONTH- AUGUST 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	04	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m, 100m	
Sat	04	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m, 100m	
Sun	12	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	12	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	18	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Shotgun morning practice shoot only.	100m	12:45
Sat	18	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Service rifle, Bolt action military rifles.	100m	04:30
Sat	18	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	18	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sun	19	AM	09:00	RANGE WORKING BEE. No general practice.		
Sat	25	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	25	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	26	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	26	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

MONTH- SEPTEMBER 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	01	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	01	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	01	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Shotgun morning practice shoot only.	100m	12:45
Sat	01	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Service rifle, MSSA shoot. 'A' & 'E' cat.	100m	04:30
Sun	02	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Fathers Day afternoon shoot. NZDA Auckland members only.	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	08	AM	09:00	Prize shoot preparation.		
Sun	09	AM	7:45 - 10:15	NZDA Auckland Branch Prize Shoot. No general practice.	100m, 25m	
Sat	15	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m,100m	
Sat	15	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m,100m	
Sun	16	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	16	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	22	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	22	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	23	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	23	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice (Limited practice on 100m range)	100m, 25m	04:30
Sun	23	PM	12:45 - 1:00	NZDA Auck. branch Agg. Shoot, Centrefire x 4P x 5 shot per position	100m	04:30
Sun	30	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	30	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

MONTH- OCTOBER 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	06	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	06	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	07	AM	09:00	3rd NZDA Interbranch social shoot, Centrefire x 4P x 5 shot per position. No General Practice	100m	12:45
Sat	13	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	13	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	14	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	14	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	27	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Rimfire Silhouette shoot.	100m	
Sat	27	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	27	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sun	28	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	28	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

MONTH- NOVEMBER 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	03	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	03	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	04	AM	09:00	Inter club demonstration day. No general practice.	100m, 25m	07:12
Sat	10	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	10	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	11	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	11	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	17	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	17	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	17	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Black powder cannon & mortar shoot.	100m	12:45
Sat	17	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Black powder rifle practice	100m	04:30
Sun	18	AM	09:00	NZDA Auck. Annual trophy shoot. No General Practice.	100m, 200m	
Sat	24	AM	8:45 - 9:00	200m Silhouette shoot. No general practice.	200m	
Sun	25	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Interclub Bolt action military rifle shoot. No general practice.	100m	12:45
Sun	25	PM	12:45 - 1:00	Service rifle, MSSA shoot. 'A' & 'E' cat. No general practice.	100m	04:30

MONTH-DECEMBER 2018						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	01	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	01	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	02	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	02	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	08	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	08	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	09	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	09	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	15	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	15	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	16	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	16	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

MONTH- JANUARY 2019						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	12	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	12	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	13	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	13	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	19	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sat	19	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sun	20	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	20	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sun	27	AM		Northern Regionals, Northland.		

MONTH- FEBRUARY 2019						
Day	Session	Gate Entry	Event	Range	Exit	
Sat	02	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sat	02	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	100m, 25m	
Sun	03	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	03	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sat	09	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Benchrest & load development practice shoot. NZDA Auck. members only.	100m	12:45
Sat	09	PM	12:45 - 1:00	200m Practice. NZDA Auck. members only.	200m	04:30
Sun	10	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	10	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30
Sun	10	AM	09:00	Interclub bolt action military rifle shoot. CF x 20 shot prone. NZDA Nth. Auck. Range. (TBC)	200m	
Sat	16	AM	09:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sun	16	PM	12:00	OMNI Pistol club shoot.	25m	
Sun	17	AM	09:00	NZDA Auck. Annual Range day. No general practice.	100m	
Sat	23	AM	8:45 - 9:00	Rimfire Silhouette Shoot	100m	
Sun	24	AM	8:45 - 9:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	12:45
Sun	24	PM	12:45 - 1:00	General Practice	100m, 25m	04:30

#### **TRAVEL DIRECTIONS.**

From Auckland via North Western Motorway travel towards Kumeu on SH16. Take the turn off to Riverhead (SH28) and continue to the roundabout just before Riverhead. Turn left at the roundabout into Riverhead Road and continue until you come to the Deacon Road turn off on the right. Travel along Deacon Road for about 200m and take the Forestry Road turn off on the next right. Drive to the forestry gate where you will be given instructions on what to do.

From the North Shore you can take the Coatsville – Riverhead Rd. Travel to Riverhead and head towards SH16. Once through Riverhead you will turn right at the roundabout into Riverhead Road. Follow the road to Deacon Road as outlined above.

#### **BASIC GENERAL INFORMATION NOTES.**

1. As this is a working forest, a NO SMOKING rule is in effect at all times. Failure to abide by this rule may result in your immediate removal from the forest.

2. Drive with your headlights on when in the forest.

3. We recommend that you and your companions wear good hearing protection to a Grade 5 standard while shooting. Foam type ear plugs and low grade ear muffs are not to be used. You will need to bring your own drinking water, and food. Collect all your rubbish including targets and take it home with you.

4. The NZDA Auckland branch allows members of other shooting clubs and the public to shoot on our range. You will need to produce your firearms licence when checking in.

5. An unlicensed shooter is permitted to shoot in the range provided he or she is under the immediate supervision of a non shooting licenced shooter.

6. We do allow children to shoot on the range under immediate supervision provided they are capable of handling the rifle without being a danger to others

7. If you are a new visitor to the range you must be familiar with our Range Rules before you shoot on the range. These can be found on the web site under 'Range'

#### **8. PROGRAMME TERMINOLOGY:**

**-GENERAL PRACTICE DAYS:** On these days the range is open to licenced shooters from the general public, other shooting clubs and NZDA members who wish to sight in their rifles.

**-NZDA AUCK. MEMBERS ONLY SHOOTS:** These shoots are for Auckland NZDA members only. If you are not an NZDA Auckland Member please do not turn up to the range and expect to shoot. You will be turned away.

**-BENCHREST & LOAD DEVELOPMENT PRACTICE:** These sessions are only for NZDA Auckland Branch members who reload their own ammunition. Do not turn up to these sessions intending to shoot if you are not a member. You will be turned away. This also applies to the 200m Saturday afternoon shoots.

**-SERVICE RIFLE, MSSA & BOLT ACTION RIFLE SHOOTS:** These are open to the public to shoot in. With the MSSA shoots these are restricted to licenced 'A' & 'E' Cat. shooters. The Inter club service rifle shoots are not open to the public.

#### **9. AMMUNITION: THE USE OF TRACER AMMUNITION IS PROHIBITED.**

10. Targets are available for a small sum, or you may provide your own.

11. **Gear:** You are responsible for all your own gear including your rifle. Leave other shooters gear alone.

12. **LOST PROPERTY:** If you think that you are missing any of your gear please make contact with the range contact as soon as possible.

13. Any firearm left on the bench when the range is closed must have a chamber flag inserted in the chamber & the magazine removed where possible. Chamber flags are available for purchase.

14. **MUZZLE BRAKES:** If you are going to shoot a rifle with a muzzle brake please notify the duty Range Officer. If we can accommodate you on the range we will. If we can't you will not be able to shoot that firearm.

THE DUTY RANGE OFFICER IN CHARGE HAS ABSOLUTE CONTROL OVER THE RANGE. ALL PERSONS ENTERING THE RANGE PLACE THEMSELVES UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE RANGE OFFICER & MUST AT ALL TIMES COMPLY WITH THEIR LAWFUL DIRECTIONS, INSTRUCTIONS & THE RULES OF SAFETY.