



RifleSA

POLICY ON ALCOHOL. GO EASY

The South Australian Rifle Assoc. (RifleSA) recognises the right of every individual to enjoy themselves in a safe, reliable and legal environment. With this in mind, the following Alcohol. Go Easy policy has been formulated which reinforces the *Liquor Licensing Act 1997* and includes specific requirements. This policy will not only help us adhere to Liquor Licensing requirements, but will also facilitate a friendly, safe and enjoyable environment. The policy is reviewed on a regular basis.

Accordingly, the following policy devised by RifleSA applies to all facilities and venues under RifleSA control as from 1/07/2003. This policy applies to all members, administrators, officials, coaches, players and visitors of RifleSA.

The following list indicates the Alcohol. Go Easy policy that will be adhered to:

The serving of alcohol

- Alcohol will be served in accordance with the requirements set out in the Liquor Licensing Act.
- No alcohol is served in designated dry areas. Appropriate signage highlights these areas.

- Serving personnel discourage any activity which promotes excessive or rapid consumption of alcohol.
- Free drinking water is made available.
- Low-alcohol and non-alcohol beverages are made available and promoted by staff.
- Alcohol is only served in standard drink sizes.
- Authorities are notified of the timing of events to ensure the opportunity to monitor drink driving and other possible alcohol related incidences.

Intoxicated patrons

- Alcohol is not to be sold to any person who is intoxicated.
- Staff reserve the right to refuse service.
- Staff follow procedures for dealing with, and refusing alcohol to, intoxicated persons. These include:
 - Intoxicated people who are causing a disturbance will be asked to leave the premises and staff will offer to arrange safe transport options for the intoxicated patron.

Underage drinking

- Alcohol is not served to minors (people under 18 years of age).
- Staff will request proof of age where required. Only photo identification will be accepted.

Transport

- Free phone access (to order taxis, pick ups etc.) is provided to avoid drink driving.
- Taxi telephone numbers are displayed at all public phones for patrons who do not wish to drive.
- Public transport information is displayed in appropriate areas for patrons, who do not wish to drive.

Food

- We sell food of a suitable and substantial nature at all times when alcohol is available.
- Food consumption is actively promoted within the premises.

Promotion

- Information promoting responsible alcohol use is displayed.
- Non-alcohol or low-alcohol beverages are sold at lower prices than full strength alcohol and actively promoted through our organisation.
- Appropriate signage stating the liquor serving laws is displayed.
- The sale of half measures is promoted.
- Alcohol Happy Hours are not carried out by this organisation.

Evaluation

- This alcohol policy will be reviewed on a regular basis.
- Staff not complying with the policy will be subject to action as deemed appropriate by management.
- This organisation regularly assesses its drinking environment to ensure the safety of patrons and staff.

Signed**Chairman****Signed****Executive Officer**