

Make it a practice to clean your bore every time you're going to shoot. Be sure to clean your entire gun before and after long-term storage and no less than once a year. It's so important to clean your gun whenever it's been exposed to adverse conditions such as rain, dirt, mud, snow, sweat or saltwater.

For safe and dependable operation of your firearm, all parts of your gun must be properly cleaned and lubricated. Periodically inspect the internal workings of your firearm to be sure they're clean and free of rust, powder fouling and debris.

Use recommended lubricants on your gun and do not over-lubricate. Excessive use of a non-recommended lubricant could adversely affect the function and safe operation of your firearm. Remember, you are responsible for the proper care and maintenance of your firearm. Failure to properly maintain your firearm can not only damage or ruin your firearm, it can expose you and others to unnecessary risks of personal injury or death.

Remington® has a wide range of firearm care products and resources for best results when cleaning your gun. Everything from solvents and lubricants to rods and patches. They're all available from your Remington dealer.

10th COMMANDMENT

Learn the Mechanics and Handling Characteristics of Your Firearm.

Not all guns are alike. They have different mechanical characteristics that dictate how you should carry and handle them. Anyone who plans to use a firearm should first become totally familiar with the type of firearm it is and the safe handling procedures for loading, unloading, carrying, shooting and storing it.

Before you even unpack your new Remington firearm, read this Remington book from cover to cover and familiarize yourself with the different components parts of the gun. Then read, understand and follow the Ten Commandments of Firearm Safety in this book.

WARNING! Discharging firearms in poorly ventilated areas, breathing dusts or fumes from firing ammunition, using flammable liquids, or exposure to noise can result in respiratory irritation, eye irritation, dizziness, disorientation, hearing loss and other adverse physical injury. Have adequate ventilation, avoid fumes, wear hearing protection after exposure.



SHOOT SURE!

There's one other rule that must be followed when handling firearms. In fact, respect for this rule is necessary in order to effectively practice the Ten Commandments of Firearm Safety: the rule is: **SHOOT SURE!** No Guns and alcohol or drugs make a deadly combination. Never consume anything that would mildly impair your judgment or physical coordination when you're using a firearm. A staggering percentage of the shooting accidents that occur every year involve alcohol or drugs. Be smart. Always shoot sober and stay alive.

WARNING! Failure to obey any of these safety rules may result in serious injury or death to the shooter or bystanders and damage to property. Use common sense and common safety instincts and practice the Ten Commandments of Firearm Safety. If you have any questions about the safe use of a Remington firearm, write to: Remington Arms Company, Inc., 5000 North Main Street, P.O. Box 700, Madison, NC 27026-6700, or call us at 1-800-233-8767.

DON'T KEEP THIS TO YOURSELF.

Now that you're a gun owner, you have the obligation to help ensure that shooting sports are safe for everyone — participants and bystanders alike. You can do this by practicing these principles of firearm safety and passing them on to others — especially new shooters. Set an example for beginners. Be a guide to their safe entry into the exciting world of shooting sports. Invest your time and patience in the love of the sport and in its future. After all, it's your love of the sport that led you to buy a new Remington.

Firearm ownership is a right and a privilege. It's a right guaranteed in this nation's Constitution. It's a privilege which carries with it a personal responsibility to use your firearm in a way which will ensure your safety and the safety of others. The preservation of this right and privilege depends on the personal commitment of you and your fellow shooters to the safe and responsible use of firearms. Let the Ten Commandments of Firearm Safety outlined in the book guide you at all times. Teach and promote these rules whenever you can. Remember, firearm safety depends on you! That's the only way to really enjoy your new Remington firearm and to preserve sport shooting as we know it today.