

Shooting Terms & Conditions (For Castell Gorfod & Rectory Farm Shoot)

- 1. The shooting cost is exclusive of any tip to the keeper which is at the discretion of the gun and their enjoyment. The Shoot will provide mid morning refreshments and lunch for the guns. It is customary at the end of the day for the Shoot to give each gun a brace of pheasants / ducks (game birds). Should the guns or their partners wish to purchase further game birds this can be arranged.
- 2. All guns must have any necessary shotgun and game license, and also carry third party liability insurance of not less than £3 million. (Membership of the BASC or Countryside Alliance provides this automatically).
- 3. There are no restrictions on wad type for cartridges but suitable load and shot size 4-5 or 6 and we suggest minimum of 30g up to 36g later in the season. Guns should comply with all laws governing non-toxic shot, and bring suitable ammunition. We do not allow any semi-automatic or pump action shotguns. 410 bore and 28 bore shotguns are not allowed to be used for driven game bird shooting due to the increased likelihood of the wounding of these birds.
- 4. The shoots captain managers decision (to include the Head Keeper) as to the running of the day(s) is absolutely final. If in the opinion of the Head Keeper anyone misbehaves or is unsafe, then he/she will be asked either not to shoot or to leave immediately with no refund whatsoever. The Shoot will use its best endeavors to ensure that there is "sufficient opportunity" for the guns to shoot their agreed bag expectancy. It is expected that a shot to kill ratio of 4:1 is a deemed as "sufficient opportunity", . In the event, that more game birds have been shot than the agreed bag expectancy i.e. the paid for amount, the shoot will levy an overage charge on each additional bird shot at the price agreed in advance for overages. Shot clickers are in operation during the day
- 5. Any person making a booking is responsible for taking out any necessary insurance with regard to cancellation of any or all the days for whatever reason to include their illness, bad weather, disruption by a third party or a ban on shooting. The person making the booking shall be responsible for all his/her guests, invitees and other guns and also for ensuring they abide by the terms and conditions herein contained.
- 6. A 50% deposit of the total estimated cost is payable upon receiving the deposit invoice, as confirmation of booking. This shall be non-returnable in the event of a cancellation by the person making the booking, In the event of a cancellation by the shoot the deposit shall be returned in full. The remaining 50% shall be paid in full 60 days before arrival unless agreed otherwise in advance.
- 7. The shoot reserves the right to cancel any day or part day for whatever reason and in this case all deposit and any other monies previously paid for that day or part day shall be repaid in full within ten days of the date of notification of cancellation. The Shoot shall not be liable for any additional or other losses the person making the booking may incur as a result of such cancellation.