

Open Events Policy

- 1) The term “Open Event” will be defined to mean: “An event hosted on BGS� property which a non-member is allowed to attend without paying the established Guest Fee”.
- 2) The non-member will be supervised by a hosting entity such as a sponsor, a Board Committee (e.g. Youth or Membership), or official BGS� Division. These entities will be referred to as “host” in this policy.
- 3) The host must manage access through the front gate by a gate attendant or other approved system. The gate will not be left open - only vehicles destined for the Open Event will be allowed through the gate.
- 4) The host will pay to the League \$3.00 per non member participant per event.
 - a. This fee does not apply to events that are National or Regional in scope.
 - b. Fee will be paid to League within 30 days of the date of the event.
- 5) Non-member participants are not allowed to use BGS� Ranges, Lakes, Fields, or Club Houses after the event has completed. Non-member participants are not allowed to use BGS� ranges, lakes, fields or club houses that are not part of the event while the event is in progress – they may use only the facility supervised by the host. Non-members may remain on the property to tour other venues, or as a guest of a member under established Guest Policy rules.
- 6) Open Events will occur only on Saturdays and Sundays.
- 7) Designation of an event as an “Open Event” can be done only by a majority vote by the sitting Board of Officers Directors of the League.
- 8) Requests to the Board of Directors to designate an event as an “Open Event” must include the at least following:
 - a. Name of host
 - b. Date of event
 - c. Purpose of event
 - d. Fee waiver request if applicable
 - e. Facilities being requested (i.e. ranges, fields, buildings)

This policy may be suspended or changed on a case by case basis by a simple majority vote by the BGS� Board.

Effective date of this policy:

Date of Board Approval (October 28, 2008)

Phase in:

Events approved by the Board of Officers and Directors prior to the effective date of this policy are not required to pay the \$3.00 per non-member attendee fee.

September 27, 2011 amended:

Motion at BOD meeting to “repeal the Non Member Match and 1 cent per shot Lead Fee policies paid by any division to BGS� for events held after October 1st 2011.”