



1st Harston Scouts

An extract from the Firearms Act 1968, Section 21.

Please read the following carefully before signing the declaration;

Section 21 of The Firearms Act 1968 prohibits the possession of a firearm and ammunition, under any circumstances, by any person who has been convicted of a crime and sentenced to a term of imprisonment, or its equivalent for young persons, of three months or more. This prohibition applies in all circumstances, including the handling and firing of a firearm on private land, at an approved shooting club or at a clay pigeon shoot where a certificate may not be ordinarily required. The prohibition also applies to the possession or use of other categories of firearm such as airguns and to the handling of ammunition for which a certificate may not be required.

A custodial sentence of three months to three years attracts a five year ban with respect to the handling of firearms and ammunition, a longer sentence carries a lifetime ban.

Parental Permission & Declaration

Name of Scout		Age on 1st Sept. 2018	
<p>You should only sign this declaration if the person undertaking the activity is unaffected by the terms of Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 as described above.</p> <p>I being the parent/guardian of the person named above, declare that they are not subject to any restrictions by virtue of the regulations for the handling of firearms and ammunition set out in Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 described above. I hereby give my permission for them to take part in the NSRA Youth Proficiency in Air Rifle Target Shooting under qualified supervision for the duration of their membership</p>			
Signature	Date		
Name of Parent/Guardian:			
Home Address:			
			Postcode:
Email address:			
Telephone numbers:	1)		2)

Date received by Section Leader: