

Inter-County Rifle League
Firing Line Commands
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Ref: NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules – Rule 10.7

Commands at the end of a Match

- “Cease Fire.”
- “Open bolts and insert chamber flags.”
- “Shooters may remove their equipment from the line.”
- “Change targets.”
- “Next Relay: With the exception of your rifle, you may move your equipment to the line.”
- “You may move your rifle to the line.”
- Your 3-minute preparation period begins now.”
- Your 3-minute preparation period is over.”
- “Is the line ready?” If the line is not ready the Range Officer announces, “The line is not ready.” This process continues until the line is ready and then the Range Officer announces, “The line is ready.”
- “Ready on the right, ready on the left, ready on the firing line.”
- “Commence fire.”

Firing Line Commands at the end of a phase within a match

- “Cease Fire.”
- “Open bolts and insert chamber flags.”
- “Change targets.”
- After shooters return to the line the Range Officer announces, “Your 3-minute preparation period begins now.”
- “Your 3-minute preparation period is over.”
- “Is the line ready?” If the line is not ready the Range Officer announces, “The line is not ready.” This process continues until the line is ready and then the Range Officer announces, “The line is ready.”
- “Ready on the right, ready on the left, ready on the firing line.”
- “Commence fire.”