



Historic Weapons Program



Small Arms Demonstration Checklist

BEFORE

- The piece has been inspected, inside and out. Bore is clean of foreign material.
- The demonstrator approaches the demonstration area carrying the firearm in a safe and military fashion.
- He is not encumbered with superfluous equipment.
- Misfire equipment is in place at the demonstration area.
- Visitors have a good field of vision of the demonstration.
- The interpreter has a clear view of all the visitors and down range area.
- Physical barriers between the visitors and the demonstration area are in place.
- Conditions are not too dry or windy to risk a range fire from the muzzle blast.
- First aid kit and emergency communications are available.
- The demonstration area is safe for the size of the audience.
- The firearm is always pointed in a safe direction.
- At no time are there any parts of the demonstrator's body placed in a hazardous position in relation to the firearm.
- In the event of a misfire or other unscheduled event the demonstrator reacts properly.

AFTER

- The demonstrator maintains military bearing and leaves the area carrying the firearm safely and in a military fashion.
- The demonstration area is policed for dropped cartridges, cartridge papers, etc.
- Any remaining cartridges are returned to storage facility
- The piece is cleaned, dried and oiled. The piece is returned to the storage facility.
- Any accessories are accounted for.
- Your overall impression is favorable.

DURING

- He is competent with the manual he is using.
- There is sufficient additional people for interpretation and crowd control.

Comments:

Supervisor: _____

Date: _____