

OUTLAW CAMP



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“Mayhem on the Mountain 2018” is a done deal. It was a great shoot with cowboys and cowgirls from at least five states here to join in the fun. Scores were up on the web-site, [www.outlawcamp.com](http://www.outlawcamp.com) on the calendar page, within a few hours after the last shot went downrange. We had twenty-six shooters electing to shoot black powder in the Arkansas State Black Powder Shoot-out. Congratulations to all the winners! Congratulations also to those who managed a clean match!

Just a short recap. A few of our workers pulled campers in early in the week and others started arriving on Wednesday, RO1 and RO2 classes were held on Thursday. The rain held off on side-match day, Friday and our potluck meet and greet Friday night was well attended. Thanks to Outlaw Camp for providing the main meat dish and two big pots of beans. Thanks to Cajun Bandit and Ozark Outlaw for getting it cooked. That along with the other dishes that were brought, along with the desserts, assured that no one went away hungry,

We got in six stages on Saturday morning and everyone had plenty of time to get everything put away and eat lunch before a little rain in the afternoon. We thought we might have to cancel the Gatling gun turkey shoot but then we realized we could shoot it out of the big green barn and still be in the dry. Taos Lightning was glad we did as he was the winner of the competition and won a Colt Walker, courtesy of K&T Guns. Arkansas Harper was glad to come up with everything he needed to put a few shots downrange with that new gun. It was his first experience with a percussion revolver, but Arkansas Harper was glad to show him the ropes. I thought he had a big smile on his face when he was called the winner, but it got bigger the more he shot it!

The rain didn't seem to bother our Saturday night party at the range as we have great lighting in the Pavilion and our food vendors did an outstanding job of providing all the catfish and chicken you cared to eat with all the trimmings. The cobblers were excellent! Our food vendor was outstanding, even if I do say so myself. They provided a varied menu at very reasonable prices. Arrangements have been made to have them back next year and they plan to have breakfast also, next year.

Sunday morning started out with a short devotional by Red River Ralph and then the last four stages. We were all finished before noon and everyone had plenty of time to put things away and grab some lunch while we passed out door prizes, drew raffle winners for the quilt donated by Fired- Up Fannie Sue and

the certificate for half off any hat from D bar J Hats. More guns were given away and winners were announced.

Top guns this year for Mayhem were (smokeless) C. S. Brady top cowboy and Dew R Dye top cowgirl. Overall winners are not given in Black Powder categories but the cowboy shooting the match in the fastest time using black powder was Stumpman while the fastest lady was Cheeka Bow Wow.

I think everyone enjoyed the shoot and I know the Cowboys and Cowgirls at Outlaw Camp enjoyed putting it on for you. **Plans are already underway for" Mayhem on the Mountain 2019", so mark your calendar for that second weekend in October, that's Oct. 11-13-2019.** Once again it will be the SASS Arkansas State Black Powder Shoot Out and once again we will offer smokeless categories as well. I feel sure the Gatling gun Turkey Shoot will return and you will want to see the improvements that will be made to the range.

For those who use face-book go to the outlaw camp page for photos of the shoot. My oldest son Charles and his wife Amanda were running around shooting stills and video and are putting together a video for us. I will e-mail a link when it is done. More photos from the shoot are at bigolebrad.com

Plans are tentative to have our Christmas party and year-end awards like we did last year, at the range following our second Saturday shoot in December. Cajun Bandit has agreed to once again come up with some of that good Cajun cooking for the main dish so plan on bringing some good desserts or other dishes to complement it.

The 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday Outlaws regular 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday shoot in December may or may not occur, so check before you come!

The 2019 Arkansas State shoot will be held in Ft. Smith hosted by Judge Parkers Marshal's. Entry forms are available on their web-site. Dates are March 14-17

There are still a few shoots left for the year and we have members who will be attending. We wish them safe travels and safe, fast, shooting. Just remember to.....

**"KEEP 'EM POINTED DOWNRANGE"**

**OZARK OUTLAW**

**Upcoming Events of Interest:**

**Oct. 27 Sat. Shoot 'Outlaw camp' 4<sup>th</sup> Sat. Outlaws shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00**

**Oct. 31 Wed. Halloween**

**Nov. 4 Sun. Daylight savings time change 'Fall back'**

**Nov. 10 Sat. Shoot Outlaw Camp shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00**

**Nov. 22 Thu. Thanksgiving**

**Nov. 24 Sat. Shoot Outlaw Camp 4<sup>th</sup> Sat. Outlaws**

**Dec. 8 Sat.      Shoot Outlaw Camp with Christmas Party and year end awards to follow**

**Dec. 22, Sat.    Shoot???? Outlaw Camp 4<sup>th</sup> Sat Outlaws to be announced**

**Dec. 25 Tue.    Christmas**

**Dec 29 Sat,     Shoot Outlaw Camp 'Fun fifth Saturday'**

**For other shoots in Arkansas see each club's respective web-site**