

## Outlaw Camp Bulletin May 2010

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Wow! What a day to shoot! We are truly sorry if you missed the greatest shooting weather of the year. Thanks to all the shooters who came out to support us, you are the greatest!

Welcome to Rock Stump from Texas who was here to shoot with us for the first time. We hope you had fun and that you can come back to see us.

We had no clean match shooters but we had some who came close and one who had no misses but ran afoul of procedural trouble. Clean stages were shot by Dakota Vigilante, Smokey Joe Smith, Buster, Lead Bane, Strongbox, Outrider, Moon Dance Kid, Lefty Ed, 5; Dingus Dan Lagree, Wild Big Bill, Black Jack Rodes, Ozark Red, Doc Fill' Em, 4; Mo Brian, High Card Kay, Deadeye Dick, Chance Luck, Mustang Moore, Deadeye Duke, Just Enuff Jean, Sunny Girl, Hoagie, Flint Greasewood, Ozark Outlaw, Boomer Bob, Mississippi Mac, 3; Simon Slick, Short Tree, Stump Man, Arkansas Drifter, Tombstone Shadow, Riley Roy, 2; Red River Ralph, Campbell Soup Kid, Shook The Stars, Des Arc, 1;

I wanted to remind everyone of the "dead round" rule. SASS Shooter Handbook page 24, item 24. "Ammunition dropped by a shooter in the course of reloading any firearm during a stage or 'ejected' from the firearm is considered 'dead' and may not be recovered until the shooter completes the course of fire. The round must be replaced from the shooter's person or other area as required by stage description or if the round is not fired it is counted as a missed shot. Staged ammunition dropped back where it was staged is not considered dead. Also see page 25 of the RO 1 manual under Minor Safety Penalties: Item 6: "Retrieving a dropped "dead" round". The penalty is 10 seconds. Any round that you lose control of during the course of fire falls under this rule no matter where it lands, unless you were taking it from a bucket or box, saddlebag, etc. and it fell back into the container or place where it was originally staged.

Thanks to all who signed the card for Riphawk. We understand he is doing well following his by-pass surgery.

The weather is nice and there are a number of annual shoots coming up in May and June including our own Arkansas State Shoot coming up June 3-6. If you have not sent your entry in I encourage you to do so. This is the tenth annual shoot for True Grit and the ninth State Championship. It is also not too early to send in your entry to "Shootin' in the Shade" hosted by the Mountain Valley Vigilantes as it is filling fast. You may find entry forms on their respective web-sites. Attending annual shoots are fun and I truly encourage each one of you to support annual shoots within the state if you can at all.

Don't forget the Fun Fifth Saturday shoot scheduled for Outlaw Camp May 29. The stages have been written and we think you will find them interesting and challenging. As usual bring plenty of firearms and ammo!

We had one shooter who shot the Wild Bunch category this month and it seemed to work out okay with no major conflicts, so as long as this remains the case we will continue to allow and welcome shooters wishing to try this category. You will notice that on the score sheet it was scored separately but the times were totaled so you can see how scores compare. If you wish to try this category you must familiarize yourself with the rules governing this category; they are available on the SASS web-site under handbooks.

Sorry about the error in the date of Upcoming Events last newsletter. Just always remember we shoot the second and fifth Saturdays and if a date is posted that indicates

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some other Saturday it is probably wrong and you should check prior to coming. **WE ARE NOT SHOOTING MAY 15<sup>TH</sup>.**

If you are traveling to a shoot somewhere or even to a club shoot nearby remember to be safe in your travels and always.....

**"KEEP 'EM POINTED DOWNRANGE"**

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## **Upcoming Events of Interest**

May 23, Sun.	Shoot "True Grit" Shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00
<b>May 29, Sat.</b>	<b>Shoot "Outlaw Camp" Fun Fifth Saturday" shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00</b>
<b>Jun. 4-6</b>	<b>Arkansas State Championship hosted by "True Grit Single Action Shooters"</b>
Jun. 5 Sat.	Shoot "MVV" shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00
Jun. 6 Sun.	Shoot "MVV" shoot 9:00
<b>Jun. 12 Sat.</b>	<b>Shoot "Outlaw Camp" shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00</b>
Jun. 27 Sun.	Shoot "True Grit"
Jul. 3 Sat.	Shoot "MVV"
Jul. 4 Sun.	Shoot "MVV"
<b>Jul. 10 Sat.</b>	<b>Shoot "Outlaw Camp"</b>