

Outlaw Camp Bulletin

November 8, 2014



For the first day of deer season we had a great turnout for our November shoot. Thirty something cowboys and girls and we all had an absolute wonderful time. You could not have asked for a better day. It was nice and crisp in the early part of the day and I am sure had the deer up and running. You could hear a rifle shot ever so often as proud hunters bagged their game. Seemed like Lefty Ed was ready just in case a wayward deer rambled through the stages cause I am sure I heard several targets yelp in pain from some pretty stout loads. Having just come from Comin' at 'Cha, I was eager to have a good shoot. Both Mustang Toni and I shot well but had a stage or two that we struggled with. One thing I have learned for sure is you have to put together all stages to win. Blow it on one stage and it'll cost you. Same for me this weekend, I started off with a shot shell not going off and I guess I still had it on my mind when I missed a pistol target on the FIRST STAGE. But I managed to shoot clean and fast the rest of the stages. Nobody likes a miss on the first stage. Funny how some folks will blame a new rifle they are testing out on misses but I can't for the life of me figure out how a new rifle affects their pistol misses or shotgun make ups. I think a good change for our club would be that if you get a "P" you can have it erased after you eat a turnip plucked from Ozarks turnip patch. Although, I can't say I have ever even tried a raw turnip. Pepper Pete thinks it would be best just to leave the turnips for gazing. Hum wonder who is doing the grazing? Speaking of eating, we all got a belly full of Goulash Chili Macaroni something that was warm and filling and quite tasty. Thanks again to the food folks- it sure is nice to get a good hot meal.

Tis the season for some reloading changes as the cooler weather does affect the performance of powder burn rates particularly for the fairies loading pixie dust. And you may want to turn your main spring screw in a quarter turn on your 73 so that your hammer hits the cold primmer hard enough to fire off the round. And you may want to consider magnum primers for better ignition on those really cold days. Well, kinda short and sweet this month.

Next Shooter!!!

Stumpman

We are glad to see Stumpman doing well following his back surgery! **(Never ate a raw turnip, really!)**

We had seven clean shooters this month. Are the stages too easy? Or is everyone just getting great! Clean shooters were, Millican, Mo Brian, Mustang Moore, Outrider, Ozark Outlaw, Pepper Pete and Sundown Duke.

Remember our annual awards are based on your six best scores shot in the same category at our regular monthly shoots (no fifth Saturdays). If you have five you may need to make that special effort to get number six in, December 13.

Don't forget November has five Saturdays so we will have an extra shoot Nov. 29, 2014. Be ready for our usual falling, swinging, running, etc. targets.

Congratulations to our regular shooters who managed to place at the Southwest Regional shoot hosted by Badlands Bar Three. Outlaw Camp was well represented at the event and several brought home a buckle or clean match award, all had a good time. This was the last year for the SASS Southwest Regional to be held at Badlands Bar Three. The weather was great and it was a fun shoot. The Southwest Regional for 2015 will be in Oklahoma City at the same range where Land Run is held. Date is scheduled for the third weekend in October.

I have been informed that **The South Fork River Regulators (third Saturday)** have changed to a winter schedule, they will be meeting at the Swingle Family Diner on the square in Salem, Arkansas at 10:00 A.M. for a “dutch Brunch” and then proceeding to the range for some shooting. **The White River Gang in Mountain Home, AR (first Saturday)** has also gone to a winter schedule, they plan to start shooting at 11:00 A.M. **Check their websites!**

True Grit Single Action Shooters always shot on the Fourth Sunday each month. For the past year or so they also shot on the Saturday preceding the fourth Sunday as well. I have been informed the True Grit Single Action Shooters will no longer shoot two days but **will be shooting on the fourth Saturday each month**, starting November 22. True Grit historically does not shoot in December.

Continue to keep Strongbox AKA Bill Bennett and his family in your thoughts and prayers. I will continue to send updates as they are received.

As the shooting season winds down and the temperatures cool down, we think more about family and the holiday season. Red and I wish everyone a very happy holiday season. Till we meet again.....

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Upcoming Events of Interest:

Nov. 22 Sat. Shoot “True Grit” shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00
Nov. 27 Thu. **Thanksgiving Day**
Nov. 29 Sat. **Shoot “Outlaw Camp” shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00**
Dec. 6 Sat. Shoot “MVV” shooter mtg. 9:45 shoot 10:00
Dec. 7 Sun. Shoot “MVV” shoot 9:00 (call)
Dec. 13 **Sat. Shoot “Outlaw Camp”**
Dec. 25 Thu. **Christmas Day**
Jan. 1 Thu. **New Year’s Day**
Jan. 3 Sat. Shoot “MVV”
Jan. 4 Sun. Shoot “MVV” call
Jan. 10 Sat. **Shoot “Outlaw Camp”**

For other clubs in Arkansas check out their websites