

# The Ten Horn Gazette

December 2016

Texas Ten Horns

Cowboy Action Shooting

## Monthly Recap

Hairtrigger Hayes, President

Well folks, I apologize for the late newsletter this month but we just couldn't get the letter ready and sent out until we got the Christmas party festivities in the books. And let me just say to the ones that weren't in attendance, "You missed a GREAT party!" We had a great turnout and the food was only upstaged by the fun.

Huckleberry Pace delivered the invocation followed by the gift exchange where we learned that Jangles had a knack for picking the best presents...and the grownups had a knack for taking them away from him!

Next on the list was the presentation of the Clean Match buckle won by none other than Lethal Larry. This was followed by the presentation of the "Ten Horn Buckle Series" awards. Smokin' Limey was named Reserve Champion Lady and Sopapilla Su went home with top honors as the Lady Champion.



Ladies Reserve Champion  
Smokin' Limey

On the Men's side, Huckleberry Pace won the Reserve Champion buckle and I racked up enough points to carry home the Champion buckle. This has been such a huge success that we will be doing it again next year...and this year's winners cannot win back-to-back which leaves it open for new winners so be sure and come to as many matches as you can to try and take home the silver!

Finally we got around to the most important part of the night in my opinion which is awarding

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## !!!!REMINDER!!!!

The Texas Ten Horns are shooting on the **First Weekend** of the Month starting January.

### Comin' Up!

Local Calendar:

1<sup>st</sup> Weekend January 7 & 8, 2016

**Texas Ten Horns,**  
Leonard TX,  
**Texas Troublemakers,**  
Brownsboro, TX

2<sup>nd</sup> Weekend **Red River Valley**

**Cowpokes** – Albany, OK  
**Lone Star Frontier**  
**Shooting Club** – Ormsby  
Ranch, Cleburne, TX  
**Oakwood Outlaws**

3<sup>rd</sup> Weekend **Badlands Bar 3** –

English, TX  
**Old Fort Parker,**  
Groesbeck, TX

4<sup>th</sup> Weekend **Comanche**

**Valley Vigilantes,**  
Ormsby Ranch,  
Cleburne, TX

## Texas Ten Horns "Ten Cup Belt Buckle Series"

### Standings!!!

The buckle series concluded with the buckles awarded at the Christmas party. Congratulations to the champions and reserve champions.

The slate is clean starting in the January match. This year's winners are not eligible for the 2017 buckles.

Remember: Attendance is the key!!!

Men's category:	Points
Hairtrigger	197
Huckleberry Pace	175
Ruidoso	167
Deadeye Bob	147
Blind Bob	144

Ladies Category:	Points
Sopapilla Su	76
Smokin' Limey	68
Rowdy on the Red	59
Tejas Red	58
Darlin' Diamondback	40

Clean Match Buckle went to Lethal Larry. All the clean shooters had their name added to the bucket for each time they shot clean. Congratulations Lethal Larry!

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### SASS Matches

January 7th & 8th  
February 4th & 5th  
March 4th & 5th  
April 1st & 2nd  
June 3rd & 4th  
July 1st & 2nd  
August 5th & 6th  
September 2nd & 3rd  
October 7th & 8th  
November 4th & 5th  
December 2nd & 3rd



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**Texas Ten Horn Club**  
Range  
Leonard, TX

Great Spaghetti Western  
May 5th – 7th

**Cody Dixon Match**  
4<sup>th</sup> Saturday

Wild Bunch & Classic  
SASS  
5<sup>th</sup> Saturday

## Texas Ten Horns Club Leadership

Hairtrigger Hayes	President
Huckleberry Pace	Vice President
Ruidoso	SASS
	Territorial
	Governor
Mr. Finger	Range Officer
Sopapilla Su	Secretary

## Magnets

Current Year Magnets are available at all matches.

Put one of these on the refrigerator and gun safe. Share with others to let them know when we have our fun.

**Monthly Recap cont.**

the Top Hand award. We had 4 Ten Horns that immediately rose to the top of the stack. They were: Runners up – Ruidoso, Mr. Finger and Sopapilla Su; and the Texas Ten Horns Top Hand award 2016 went to Monk Parker. There is no way the club could enjoy the success we are having without your hard work. Many thanks to our Top Hand award winners!



**Top Hand Monk Parker and Sopapilla Su**

In addition we had three really cool matches since the last newsletter. At the end of November we had the “SW Regional Do Over” match. We shot 6 stages from the regional that could be easily converted to our range and target set up. Then a week later we shot stages written by our own Mr. Finger. And, surprisingly enough, they were really good and fun stages. Looks like he may have won himself a new job!

A list of scores for all three matches is available on our website [www.texas10horns.org](http://www.texas10horns.org).

**Top Ten Shooters  
Saturday November 26, 2016**

1. Hairtrigger Hayes
2. Colorado Jackson
3. Boomstick Jay
4. Iron Tomahawk Kid
5. Huckleberry Pace
6. Blind Bob
7. Clueless Bob
8. Ruidoso
9. Texas Jack Diamondback
10. Smokin' Limey

**Top Ten Shooters  
Sunday November 27, 2016**

1. Blind Bob
2. Huckleberry Pace
3. Hairtrigger Hayes
4. Deadeye Bob
5. Dirt Hill Bill
6. T-Bone Dooley
7. Tombstone Tim
8. Nuttin' Graceful
9. Marshall Jack Bridges
10. Sugarfoot Lomax

**Top Ten Shooters  
Sunday December 4, 2016**

1. Colorado Jackson
2. Hairtrigger Hayes
3. Deadeye Bob
4. Tombstone Tim
5. Mr. Finger
6. Siler Sam
7. Pony Soldier
8. Cimarron Jack
9. Sopapilla Su

**Texas Ten Horns 2017  
Memberships Available now!**

Purchase your membership and support the club. We use the funds to purchase new targets, pay the insurance and maintain the range.

**Another Christmas Party Note:** The officers and members showed their appreciation for the dedication, enthusiasm and leadership of Hairtrigger Hayes. He was presented with a three legged stool embossed with his alias. Thanks to Huckleberry Pace for making this happen. It looks like he likes it!



**Huckleberry Pace, Mr. Finger and Hairtrigger with the chair**



**Gun Wrangler, Panhandle Slim and Clueless Bob keeping a close eye on the gift exchange.**



**Okie Fenokie and Chiquita Bandita full of Christmas Spirit**



**Parting Shot**

Are you a “bah-humbugger”? Or are you a Christmas Cheerleader? This time of year I tend to run into my fair share of both. If you are of the Cheerleader variety welcome to my team! I look forward to this time of year all year long. I’m sure the cooler weather has something to do with it. But the magic and true meaning of Christmas are still wondrous to me even after all these years. I get as giddy as a school kid when the decorations come out and the Christmas music starts playing on the radio. As a matter of fact, thanks to Pandora, I’ve been listening to Christmas music since just after Thanksgiving.

Now for all you humbuggers out there: No doubt there are lots of reasons to be Christmas Scrooges. It’s expensive, it disrupts the norm, it makes people wear really stupid sweaters and the list goes on and on. But if you’re missing out on the wonderful parts of this season then I am a little sad for you. I would hope that you’d get back just a little of that AWE that we all had as children waiting for Christmas Day and Old St. Nick.

But mostly, I’d pray the same prayer that my friend Huckleberry prays every month at our local match. “If there is anyone here – or in the case reading this newsletter – that doesn’t have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ I pray that the good Lord will find a way to put someone in their life to help them find and build that relationship.”

I love all you guys and I sincerely wish you the Merriest Christmas EVER!!!

Huge “Thanks Pard” to Pistol Packin’ Pami for the photos!