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"The Closest You'll Get to The Old West"

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Back the Blue!

As I'm sure you've all heard, there has been a rash of police "assassinations" in the news lately. Seems certain groups have decided to wage war on our friends in uniform. A friend of mine on Facebook mentioned earlier that he talked to a Grayson County Deputy Sheriff at lunch time and offered to "keep him covered" so he could enjoy his lunch break. A bit overboard?...maybe, but it's the attitude we should have when it comes to the folks that put themselves in harm's way every day for our protection. These are the men and women who are working nights, weekends and holidays trying to keep the law and order and they deserve our utmost respect. Next opportunity you get shake a LEO's hand and thank them for the job they do. I promise it will do you as much good as it does them.

Monthly Recap

Since we had 5 weekends in August and our regular match would be getting pushed back a week we decided to host a Wild Bunch match on August 22nd. We had a total of 13 participants in 5 different categories and for some reason we had a lot of new aliases floating around that day.

Wild Bunch winner's by category:

Jr. Open – Sharp Shootin' LeRoy
Aggie

Ladies Open – Sopapilla Su aka Crazy Aunt

Open – Short britches (although I preferred Cap't. Cool Groin)

Traditional – Tommy Reb

Modern and Overall Winner – Diablo Gordo aka Diablo Slim. (Wonder if he knows Gordo translates to Fat?!?!)

Thanks to all the Wild Bunch shooters and remember we'll be having another WB match in October on the 31st...Halloween day – maybe we can come up with some "Walking Dead" scenarios!

We had a record-breaking 40 shooters show up on Saturday to compete. I'd like to especially mention first time visitors to our club – **Rock Rotten, Flint McClain, Stormy and Grizzly Mountain**. Thanks for coming out and we hope to see you again SOON! We shot 6 stages using all 6 bays on Saturday. The weather was hospitable and we had a nice breeze for the entire

match. With 40 shooters we broke the match up into three posses that were apparently very evenly matched as all three posses finished within just minutes of each other.

Here's a list of category winners on Saturday:

Buckeroo – Jangles	Lady GF – Crazy Aunt Aggie
Cody Dixon Lever – Tommy Reb	Lady 49r – Okie Fenokie
Cowgirl – Stormy	Lady Silver Sr. – Twilight Lil
Sr. GF – Major Foresythe	BPFC – Yusta Be
Cowboy – Tomanator	GF – Rock Rotten
Sr. – Blind Bob	49r – Huckleberry Pace
Silver Sr. – Nonstop	Duelist – Hairtrigger Hayes

Congratulations to Twilight Lil for her finish as Top Female and to Hairtrigger Hayes for Top Male and Overall Winner.

Additionally, we had 4 shooters finish the match clean – Dirt Hill Bill, Hairtrigger Hayes, Tommy Reb and Yusta Be.

On Sunday we had 21 shooters come out to the range. We opted for two small, hard working posses rather than one big slow moving posse. Again, the posses must have been matched very closely as both groups finished very nearly the same time. On this day we also shot 6 stages but we doubled up on bays 1 and 3 allowing us to keep all the shooters under the shade. Again we were blessed with a nice breeze for the entirety of the match.

At the end of the match here is a list category winners on Sunday:

Grand Dame – Rosie Rash	Cody Dixon Lever – 3x8
Lady 49r – Rowdy on the Red	Lady Renegade – Crazy Aunt Aggie
Duelist – Sugarfoot Lomax	Lady Silver Sr. – Calico Callie
Sr. Duelist – Denton Dancer	Silver Sr. – Saddle Rash
49r – Cbeaux	Renegade – Hairtrigger Hayes
Sr. – Blind Bob	

Congratulations to Calico Callie on her finish as Top Female and to Blind Bob for Top Male and Overall Winner.

Our clean shooters for the Sunday match were Saddle Rash and Denton Dancer.

Comin' Up!

Slick Mclade and the Jackson Hole Regulators will be hosting their annual, 2 day “Hellfire” match Sept 25-27. This is a GREAT match! For more information go to their website www.jacksonwholeregulators.com.

Also in September is the Butterfield Trail Regulator's annual match, “Riding the Trail”. This is Texas Slim's match out near Abilene. I sent out an email with the match information last month. Another great match to attend.

Back at Cha!!! TBone Dooley and the Dooley Gang have announced their new annual match “Back at Cha”. The inaugural BAC will be held in September 2016, however, they are limiting enrollment to the first 250 paid shooters. Applications became available yesterday on their website www.badlandsbar3.com . If interested in shooting in this ‘sure to be historic’ match you had better burn a copy of the application and get it sent in ASAP!

Local Calendar:

September 5th Texas Troublemakers, Brownsboro, TX
Buck Creek – Nemo, TX

September 12th Lone Star Frontier Shooting Club – Ormsby Ranch, Cleburne, TX
Oakwood Outlaws – Oakwood, TX

September 19th Badlands Bar 3 – English, TX
Old Fort Parker, Groesbeck, TX
Buck Creek – Nemo, TX

September 26th Commanche Valley Vigilantes, Ormsby Ranch, Cleburne, TX
Texas Ten Horns, Leonard, TX

Parting Shot!

Lethal Larry made his first outing on Saturday and attempted to shoot the match. He plum tuckered out after just two stages but it was good to see him there.

For any of you who frequent the Texas Troublemakers down in Brownsboro, TX – after last months match the club president, Owen Judice had a heart attack. We're not sure if it was the heat or the simple fact that Busted Flush beat him, but either way he is on the mend after having a stent or two put in. Think I'll have to venture down that way this weekend to see my buddy and let him know I'm glad the ticker didn't give out completely.

And finally, we lost another friend to the sport last month, Willie Shootem aka Ray Morey passed away in August. He and Joey Z used to shoot with us a lot over at the Greenville location. Hate to hear that Ray is gone. He was a nice guy.

So be sure to keep all you cowboy and cowgirl friends in your good graces because you never know when might be the last time you see them.

Here's to pullin' corks and pullin' triggers,
Hairtrigger

PS: Quote of the Month: "Nobody ever saw a cowboy on a psychiatrist's couch." – John Wayne