

# The CirKulator



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## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**9/4/19** - HR Shooters Packet Stuffing, 7 PM

**9/9-12/19** - Setup for HR (exact days & times TBD)

**9/13-15/19– HELUVA RUKUS 2019!!!**

**9/16/19** – HR Teardown

Take a deep breath and start counting down to our big 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Heluva Rukus 2020!!

## **AUGUST MAGNUM PI ROUGH RIDERS MATCH**

We had a good turnout for our Rough Riders match this month, particularly considering the “iffy” weather forecast. A total of 24 shooters joined in the fun. A special thanks to the Boy Scouts who helped as brass pickers for the match. The weather turned out pretty hot and humid, but thankfully the severe thunderstorms waited until the shoot was over and reset for the next day’s CAS match was complete before descending on the area.

Since this was our annual Magnum PI shoot, folks were allowed (and encouraged) to wear shorts, baseball caps, and short-sleeved Hawaiian-style shirts, rather than the usual

military or cowboy attire. Not only were the shooters transformed, but so was the freight office which was decorated as a combination marina and Tiki Bar (replete with palm trees, BBQ grill, “pool”, tiki torches, boat, Hawaiian-attired skeletons (!!!), and more).



Once again, Dude Bandit offered up six fun-filled and action-packed stages to challenge the competitors. Everyone shot three stages, broke for lunch (pizza and beverages provided by the club), and then shot three more stages. Unfortunately, there were no clean matches this month; however, there were quite a few clean stages. Although there were a number of issues (MDQ, SDQ, equipment problems, ammo problems, brain problems!) which caused some cursing and/or frustration on several shooters’ parts throughout the

day, everyone left with a smile on their face, and that’s what it’s all about! After the final stage, the gang got together to thank Dude Bandit for bringing RR/WB to the CKR and for providing so many great stages over the years. As a little “thank you” gift, he was given a bar glass with flamingos on it – so very appropriate for the theme of the day’s match.

A big congrats to the ladies who ruled the range for Rough Riders this month, taking 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place overall (Renegade Roper and Annabelle Bransford, respectively). You go, girls!



Congrats to the following folks who get bragging rights ‘til our Oct. match:

**TOP GUN – Renegade Roper**

**Ladies Modern – Renegade Roper**

**Men’s Modern – Mule Face Mike**

**Men’s Traditional – Wheels Cartwright**

**Open – Whiskey Brooks**



## **AUGUST CKR CAS MATCH**

Despite a misty morning and more threats of severe weather later in the day, we ended up with a fairly decent turnout for CAS this month. Forty-one cowpokes took advantage of their last opportunity to shoot CAS at the CKR before “the big event”. And once again the horrendous thunderstorms held off until well after the match was done and the stages were cleaned up. Now let’s hope for some beautiful fall weather for Rukus in Sept.!

Many thanks to Lone Star Jake for providing the shooters with six interesting stages and to the Boy Scouts for helping pick brass. And a special thanks to all those who helped with setup on Friday, re-set on Saturday afternoon, and/or teardown on Sunday. It was a busy weekend at the Circle K but only a precursor of things to come next month!

At the end of the day, the following gunslingers were left standing.

Congrats to:

**TOP GUN – The Eastwood Kid**

**Young Gun – Wandering Walter Weatherby**

**Ladies B-Western – Jewels**

**Cartwright**

**B-Western – Wyatt Hurts**

**Classic Cowboy – Travis Spencer**

**Duelist – Sixgun Schwaby**

**Ladies Wrangler – Renegade Roper**

**Wrangler – Suggs Jr.**

**FC Duelist – Doctor Bill**

**FC Gunfighter – Whiskey Brooks**

**Gunfighter – The Dude Bandit**

**Ladies 49r – Big Sky Di**

**49r – The Eastwood Kid**

**Senior – Lone Star Jake**

**Sr Duelist – Peddler Jack**

**Ladies Silver Senior – Annabelle Bransford**

**Silver Senior – Sheffield Kid**

**Elder Statesman – Buck Wilder**

**Grand Patron – Six-Gun Arn Fire**

**Clean Shooters – Big Sky Di, Peddler Jack, and The Eastwood Kid**

## **HELUVA RUKUS UPDATE**

We currently have a whopping 225 shooters registered for HR 2019, down only 4 from last year. This is quite impressive as attendance at most major shoots has been down considerably of late. Several folks will be shooting Rukus with us for the first time this year, so let’s be sure to make them feel welcome so they’ll want to return in the future. We have shooters from 17 States and Canada competing, and 11 vendors coming. With that in mind, we will be needing all sorts of assistance at Rukus, so please do your part. Plan to help with range cleanup, final setup (exact days and times TBD), working

the registration and door prizes tables on 9/13 and the morning of 9/14, teardown on 9/16, and with whatever else comes up during the shoot itself. If you have a non-shooter ‘significant other’ who could help with anything, we’d appreciate their assistance as well. Then plan to join us for a big sigh of relief when it’s all done!

## **FOR SALE**

1866 Yellowboy .45 caliber carbine, short-stroke done recently by Peddler Jack - \$1000

Pair of .38 spl. 5 ½”, USAF Rodeo Pistols, tricked out, perfect condition, in box - \$1000 for the pair

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