

The CirKulator

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DATES TO REMEMBER

11/07/07 –CKR Monthly

Meeting, 7:30 PM

11/10/07 – Setup for CKR

Monthly Shoot, Noon

11/11/07 – CKR Monthly Shoot

**NOTES FROM THE TRAIL
BOSS**

October is the month for Halloween. Halloween is to celebrate the spirits. Well, guess what spirits and bodies showed up to haunt our cowboy shoot this month -- none other than Wild Bill Longley and Snake Oil. I had just come off the range from the RO walkthrough and was heading for my truck to get my guns, when I looked up the roadway and saw both of these guys coming at me. All I could think was "What a perfect Old West showdown in the streets of Tombstone". But as I reached for my six-shooters, I realized they were still in the truck, so all I could say was "Gee, look what you see when you ain't got a gun". But I still went up to both and shook their hands and told them it was great to see them and have them shoot with us again. But it wasn't so great when they got on my posse. ;-)

Anyway, the shoot was fun, the

weather was great, and the stages were simple -- not too many props. Stage 2, where it was 22 knockdown targets, was quite the talk. I heard talk that it turned into a posse shoot for one group. Seems the shooter ran out of ammo, but the group brought more. Everyone cheered the shooter on to the finish.

The Lyons Club was on hand to feed the troops with their breakfast sandwiches. And for lunch this month, they brought venison stew and chili. They have agreed to come to our November shoot to feed us. They plan on doing a buffet, though I do not know what they will serve. I did hear that there will be desserts. Just a reminder, the November shoot will be on the 11th, which is the second Sunday.

On Sunday, November 4th, The Dude Bandit will have another cowboy clays shoot at his home club (Philmont Rod & Gun Club). All interested, please contact The Dude Bandit, and he will give you directions to his club (518-784-3226).

We also announced that the Circle K Regulators will host Heluva Rukus, the SASS New York State Cowboy Action Shooting Championship, in

September 2008. We will start working on this at our Nov. meeting. Please show up to help by volunteering to chair or serve on a committee (or better yet, committees).

Also, there are plans for our annual January Cowboy Dinner. There will be more information available at a later date, and it will be passed on to you.

Smokehouse Dan

CIRCLE K WEBSITE

If you haven't already done so, check out the fantastic job that Dead Head has done with our new CKR website -- **www.circlekregulators.com**. Both of our old websites now point to this site. The new site is now linked to the SASS website (www.sassnet.com) as well.

We would like to be able to link a head shot of each of our club members to the Posse page. If you have a nice photo of yourself that you'd like to share, please email it to Dead Head at **raypcarter@comcast.net**.

Also, if there is anything else you would like to see included on the website, please let Annabelle or Dead Head know.

DISTRIBUTION OF CKR NEWSLETTER & SCORES

In an effort to decrease costs, the CKR will be changing its distribution method for our monthly newsletter and scores in the future.

You have 3 options for receipt of the newsletter and scores:

- (1) via email in Adobe pdf format,
- (2) via USPS mail as a paper copy, or
- (3) thru the CKR website (www.circlekregulators.com).

If you wish to receive the newsletter via email or through USPS mail, you will need to put your alias in the proper column on the sheet provided at Registration the next time you shoot. Those desiring email copies should also provide an email address. Please note that once you do this the first time, you will not need to do it again unless you change your mind as to how you would like to receive this information.

If you do NOT enter your alias in either column, the newsletter and scores will ONLY be available to you through the CKR website.

KF&G ANNUAL DUES

Annual Kayaderosseras Fish & Game Club/CKR dues for 2008 may be paid by mail any time between now and Jan. 31, 2008. Checks should be made payable to Kayaderosseras Fish & Game Club and mailed to:

Angela Butterworth
178 Pleasant View Dr.
Lake Luzerne, NY 12846.

After Jan. 31, any checks Angela receives will be sent back. The member will then have to attend a monthly KF&G meeting to *REJOIN* (not renew) and will have to pay an extra \$5.00. The 2008 membership cards will be sent out the last week in January 2008, and the gate number will be changed on February 1, 2008. Anyone who has not paid their dues by Jan. 31 will have to wait until the February 18, 2008 meeting to rejoin. Individual member renewal is \$60; family is \$90. Individual *WORKING* member renewal is \$30; family is \$45. If you are not sure if you qualify as a working member, please contact Smokehouse Dan (518-885-3758).

OCT. MONTHLY SHOOT

Well, I'm sorry we missed it 'cause it sounds like the Oct. shoot was a goodie. Fifty-one shooters joined in the fun, including a brand new shooter and a couple of CKR founding members who we hadn't seen in eons.

There were a couple of stages worthy of mention. The all knockdown stage posed quite a challenge to some folks and proved to the ROs that the CKR timers do indeed start over at 200 seconds. The "critters" stage, using our new snake and vulture targets, ruined many a shooter's clean match. Those

odd-shaped targets just don't have as much center mass as you might think!

At the end of the day, the following gunslingers came out on top. Congrats to:

TOP GUN – Rotten Rich
Traditional – Suggs, Jr.
Duelist – Smilin' Pete
B-Western – Sassparilla Will
Frontiersman – Wheels Cartwright
Frontier Cartridge – Tommy Sharps
Gunfighter – Whiskey Brooks
Modern – Hobbs Scott
49rs– Rotten Rich
Senior – Shatagee Trapper
Senior Duelist – Wild Bill Longley
Silver Senior – Buck Bisley
Ladies 49r – Christmas Carol
Ladies Frontier Cartridge – Kate Cartwright
Ladies Traditional – Big Sky Di
Ladies Silver Senior – May Rein
Young Gun – Shani M (who shot DUELIST!)
Clean Shoot – Big Sky Di, Buck Bisley, Shatagee Trapper, Buck Staghorn, Lonesome Trailsman, Flat Nose Drifter

Annabelle Bransford

CKR WINNERS AT OTHER MAJOR SHOOTS

The Mason-Dixon Stampede, the SASS Northeast Regional, was held Oct. 4-8 in Thurmont, MD. There were over 400 shooters in attendance.

Congrats to the following CKR members who "buckled":

Rowdy Bill – 2nd Silver Senior
Annabelle Bransford – 2nd
Ladies 49r
Peddler Jack – 5th Senior
Duelist
English Bev – 5th Ladies 49r
Myrtle Wells – 8th Ladies 49r
Yukon Mike – 9th Traditional
Also, congrats to Three Barrel
Chris who won 2 Ladies long-
range side events.

**Stealing the Thunder, the
SASS Maine State
Championship**, was held on
Sept. 28-30 in Falmouth, ME.
There were 81 shooters in
attendance.

Congrats to CKR trophy
winners:

Rowdy Bill – 1st Silver Senior
(7th overall & clean!)
Annabelle Bransford – 1st
Ladies 49r (& clean!)
Rattlesnake Rische – 4th Silver
Senior

**Purgatory in the Pines, the
SASS New Jersey State
Championship**, was held in
Jackson Hole, NJ, on Oct. 19-
21. There were 129 shooters in
attendance.

Congrats to these CKR
members who went home
“packing wood”:

Rowdy Bill – 1st Senior
Peddler Jack – 1st Sr. Duelist
Annabelle Bransford – 1st
Ladies 49r
Yukon Mike – 5th Traditional



Happy Trails!