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DATES TO REMEMBER

11/04/09 – CKR Monthly Meeting, 7:30 PM 11/07/09 – CKR Setup for Monthly Shoot 11/08/09 – Last CKR Monthly Shoot of the season

NOTES FROM THE TRAIL BOSS

The cowboy shoot on Oct. 18th at Rukus Flats was, well, COLD! We had 36 shooters show up to shoot. The threat of snow and rain kept many from coming, along with the fact that the New Jersey State Shoot was happening that weekend. But no matter...we all possed up and had a great time. Many shooters got to shoot with other shooters than they normally do. The Lions Club had some great hot soup and chili for lunch which hit the spot to warm us up for the afternoon stages. On Nov 8th, which is our next shoot and the last for us for this year, the Lions will have an Italian style buffet lunch with spaghetti and meatballs and eggplant parm. This should be an excellent meal for a Nov. afternoon.

We are making plans for our January dinner which is always fun. The dates are set for next year's shoots, which also include our March pot-luck dinner/Cabin Fever shoot. We will be putting together a mailing in Dec. so that everyone is informed.

I hope all of you cowboy shooters have bought one of the KF&G Club's 30-day raffle tickets. It is for the month of Nov. The money raised goes back into the club so we can continue on with changes and improvements. We spent lots of money on the town this year. I know everyone sees the work that went into it. Buying a ticket is a good way to show support for that effort. You can still get tickets at Zack's Sports, Douglas Archery, and Saratoga Bait and Tackle, or call me and we will hook you up for some (885-3758). I know it is late, but we can still use the support. The tickets are only \$20.00 and are good for the whole month of November.

> Thanks. Smokehouse Dan

OCT. MONTHLY SHOOT

Brrrrrrr! It was cloudy and only in the mid-30s for the safety meeting on 10/18/09, but it was still a lot better day for CAS than the weathermen had predicted. Unfortunately, only

35 shooters had the guts to ignore the forecast and head out on the range to sling some lead, but those who did seemed to have a great time. We welcomed a couple of new shooters to the fold this month. Hope they had fun and will come back again.

When the final smoke cleared, the following cowpokes finished victorious. Congrats to:

TOP GUN – LONE STAR JAKE

Duelist – Jess Lucky **FC Duelist** – Wheels Cartwright

Gunfighter – Whiskey Brooks Wrangler/Ladies Wrangler – Three Barrel Chris (2nd overall!) 49rs – Lone Star Jake Senior – Buck Wilder Senior Duelist – Peddler Jack Silver Senior – Sassparilla Will Elder Statesman – John S. Books

Ladies Frontier Cartridge – Kate Cartwright Ladies Senior – Christmas

Ladies Senior – Christmas Carol

Clean Shooters – Lonesome Trailsman, Wheels Cartwright

Don't forget – the November shoot is on the 2nd Sunday (11/08/09). We will only have FIVE stages for this shoot.

KF&G MEMBERSHIP DUES

2010 club membership renewals are due by no later than 1/31/10. Dues may be paid at any upcoming CKR or KF&G Club meeting or mailed to:

> KF&G c/o Karen Szelest 309 Greenfield Ave., Lot #1

Ballston Spa, NY 12010 Checks should be made payable to KF&G Club. Cost for working members is \$30 individual or \$45 family. For non-working members, cost is \$60 individual or \$90 family. If you are unsure whether you qualify as a working member, contact Smokehouse Dan at 518-885-3758.

CKR WINNERS AT OTHER MAJOR SHOOTS

The annual Buzzard Boil was held in East Granby, CT, Oct. 11th. A total of 129 shooters participated, including several CKRers.

Congrats to the following CKR members on their shooting prowess:

Three Barrel Chris – 1st L.

Wrangler

Blackhands – 2nd Sr. Yukon Mike – 2nd Cowboy James S. Pike – 3rd Cowboy

Tom Payne – 3rd Classic

Cowboy

Smilin' Pete – 3rd Duelist

Peddler Jack – 4th Duelist

Yukon Mike, James Samuel Pike, and Three Barrel Chris were also in the Top Gun Shootout.

FOR SALE

Brass for Sale or Trade: I have bagged up 4500 total in Nickel, 38 Special, once-fired, Winchester brand. These cases are handpicked and counted. All in good condition. They are sold in ziplock bags of 100 count. I added a few extra cases for good measure. I checked around the catalogs for recent prices and new cases are going for \$17.00 per 100 on the average catalog. I will sell these cases for \$8.00 per 100 plus shipping if they must be shipped. These cases are not de-primed, not sized, but are clean and shiny. Tumble them, load them to your specs, and enjoy them.

Here's the count: 4500 Nickel 38 Special empties, once-fired, Winchester brand, unsized, unprimed, \$8.00 per 100 count.

- 300 Brass 38 Special empties, once-fired, Remington Peters brand, unsized, unprimed, \$7.00 per 100 count.
- 93 Brass 38 Special empties, once-fired, Remington Peters brand, unsized, unprimed, \$6.00 per 100 count.

(Please note: Unprimed means the used primers are still in them. Deprimed means they have no primers in them.)

I have a large selection of Cal. 308 Mil Spec. once-fired and 308 Winchester brand and 308 Remington also, but have not counted or packaged them....Coming soon...

I also have a large volume of 223 Mil spec. once-fired, and several other brands of 223 once-fired empties. As I dig, I'm sure I will come up with other calibers in Brass only - 45 ACP and 45 Long Colt to mention a few. If anyone has 40 cal Smith and Wesson empties, oncefired, I will trade them in equal numbers for the brass I have (i.e., 100 for 100, 38 Specials only). Any questions, please feel free to call at (518) 477-8086.

Jeremiah Stone

Guns for Sale: Blackwood Bill (Bill DeGroff) has the following CAS guns for sale. Anyone interested should contact him at 518-399-0027 or through e-mail at sundancer56@nycap.rr.com.

- (1) Ruger Single Six 32 H&R Magnum, stainless steel with black birdshead grips. This gun is a limited edition Last Cowboy with factory holster. \$625
- (2) Remington double barrel coach gun 12 ga., new, model SPR220. \$375
- (3) Uberti Henry 1860 45 cal. long rifle, brass and stainless. \$1000
- (4) Ruger Vaquero 45 cal. case hardened with birdshead grips. \$575
- (5) Ruger Red Label 12 ga. over & under shotgun, like new condition. \$850.

Gun Carts by Smilin' Pete. Take-down design to fit any size vehicle. Basic gun cart with 12 inch wheels. Will hold 3 to 4 guns. Call for prices (518-945 3218).

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