July edition



THE HOWLER

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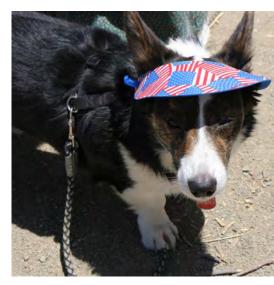
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From the Mayor

America's 240th birthday
was celebrated for two days
at 5 Dogs Creek in grand
style with the cowboy
version of fireworks. There
was much clanging of steel,
which was unfortunately
accompanied by the
dreaded "dusty silence." See
page three and discover how
much silence there really was. The

HDPP (hot dog picnic potluck) was a success with plenty of dogs and chili left for lunch on Sunday.



Napoleon
One of the 5 Dogs

Thank you El Alacran Del Norte, Lap Dog, and Rebecca West.

During our August match *El Alacran* and I will be setting up our store at Chorro Valley. We are excited to be there as a vendor and look forward to greeting old friends as well as making new ones. If you are going to be at the regional please join us for the traditional **5 Dogs Potluck on Friday evening at 6:00 pm.** We have a double site at **Hondo 17 & 19** so there will be plenty of room. Look for the 5 Dogs flag flying over our trailer and don't forget your food and chair.

Sheriff's Log



I would like to say a big thank you to Rebecca West for a really great match and the patriotic prizes and targets. Thanks also to everyone that helped with the decorations and the food at lunch. The August match will be put on by Mescalero and should be a great warmup for those going to Chorro Valley later in August. Remember to dress cool.



Check this out . . .

Labor Day Weekend - Sept. 3rd through Sept 5th

SHOOTING OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE:

- Free Dry Camping through Tuesday
- Free movie Sunday night
- World famous 5 Dogs Potlucks Sat. & Sun.
- Free raffle with real prizes
- Free sunshine, smiles, water, electrolyte tablets
- Free Beer (nope)

- ★ 5 Stage match Saturday, Sept. 3rd
- ★ 5 Stage match Sunday, Sept. 4th (separate from Sat.)
- ★ 3 Stage Wild Bunch match Saturday afternoon
- ★ Night shoot (black powder or smokeless) Saturday night
- ★ Team shoot Sunday afternoon
- ★ .22 Shooting Gallery moving targets etc. all weekend
- ★ Monday will be all side matches including but not limited to long range lever rifle (pistol/rifle calibre), speed pistol, rifle and shotgun etc.

at 5 Dogs Creek

If you have any questions please call Utah Blaine at 661-203-4238. He will check with Lap Dog to make sure he has the correct answer.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A FUN WEEKEND

Range Wrangler says...

5 Dogs Creek has created one of the finest range facilities in cowboy action shooting. Here is a tip for how we can keep our range in tip-top shape for all to enjoy.

Please....We have a new gray garden cart named "El Burrito". It is set up to hold the exact supplies...carpets, buckets and stakes...to set up six bays for a match. At the end of each monthly match, please return it to the red barn with the supplies on board.

Because...We want to make it as easy as possible to set up a monthly match. Returning El Burrito to the red barn pre-packed saves time and effort setting up the bays for the next month. Thanks!

Clean Shooter(s), Sat. July 2nd



Yep folks that's right, just ONE clean shooter.

Must have been the heat got to the rest of us.

Congratulations to you Mad Dog Draper.

Hmmm.. anyone recall something about

"only Mad Dogs and Englishmen go out in the noon day sun."

Draw yer own conclusions!!

WINNERS GALORE ON SATURDAY

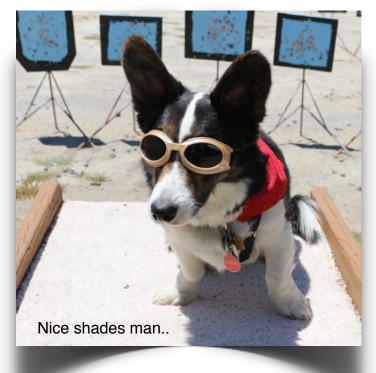


Miss Barah Lee Misditt, Sam Ootie, Jim Bean, Rebecca West, Miss Ann Laughitoff, Sister Sangria, Bad Man Bob, Utah Blaine

ALOHAOWDY

DRESS CODE FOR AUGUST
MATCH IS RELAXED
Get out your best paniolo
interpretation or simply wear
shorts, grass skirt with coconut
chest protector.... well
you get the idea.
No sandals or flip flops!

Clean Shooters, Sun. July 3rd



Napoleon is looking for the clean shooters at Sunday's match.

So sorry pooch

THERE WERE NO CLEAN SHOOTERS



THEY AIN'T CLEAN, BUT THEY SURE WERE FASTEST ON SUNDAY..... Lap Dog, Miss Ann Laughitoff, Rebecca West, Jim Bean, Sam Ootie, Coal Train, and Just John Fornow.

THE WATERMELON SEED SPITTING EXTRAVAGANZA

