



THE HOWLER

March Edition

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SUMMER HOURS: Office opens at 7:30

Shooter's Meeting 8:30

The 4H kids are planning a whole pig cookout lunch for the April match on Saturday, April 1st. This is a fund raiser so they can represent our county at future shooting events. These young people are the next generation of cowboy shooters and they need and deserve our support.

MENU: Deep pit pork, rice, beans, salad, tortillas and salsa.

COST: \$10.00 per person AND we get to keep the leftover pig! Such a deal!

BREAKFAST: Sunday morning. 8::00am
Eggs and tortillas, plus whatever you contribute.

SEE YOU AT THE RANGE



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Sheriff's Log



Howdy All

A big thank you sent out to *Fordyce Beals* and *Leia Tombstone* for a great March match. Saturday was a lot of fun. I was able to see the scenarios for Sunday and dang sure wish the weather had cooperated. Nice thing is Fordyce and Leia have five great stages already written for another match. The April match is being written and put on by *Sam Ootie*. I have seen the scenarios and it looks like another great weekend of shooting. I'd like to thank everyone for their support on our monthly matches. However I still need some people to step up and take on the stage writing and set up for June, July and August. We can't do this without your help. Again thank you to all the people behind the scenes and up front that make this club work.

Mad Dog Draper

Clean Shooters, Sat. Dec. 3rd



ONLY TWO??

It was not an easy match and *Fordyce Beals* was hung shortly after lunch.

However, these two cowboys cruised through without a miss proving that it was possible to shoot clean.

Bravo you two.

Bat Masterson, Geo Kid



Frank James, Bat Masterson

THE AUSSIES CAME!

5 Dogs Creek was graced with the presence of two guest shooters from down under. Not only did they represent their country with class, dignity and grace, they also handed most of us a real lesson in shooting.

Thanks for coming gentlemen, you are the true embodiment of the cowboy spirit.



The rains came on Sunday, the match was called before anything went down range. Therefore everyone went home clean for the day (in more ways than one).

As an aside, your editor and *Wanderin' Rose* attended a dinner party at Winter Range before all the shooting began. Hosted by our Canadian friends *Alberta Annie* and *Southwest Trapper* conversation and laughter was nonstop. During the evening politics emerged and comparisons were made between the Canadian prime minister and our president. Nobody got shot, there was no shouting, no hysteria, no swearing; but there was plenty of laughter when a quiet, rather shy lady, NOT came up with the following line:

DONALD TRUMP GOT ELECTED AND THE DROUGHT IN CALIFORNIA ENDED. WHAT A GUY! LIBERAL TEARS CONTINUE FLOOD THE GOLDEN STATE THEREBY ENDING A SEVEN YEAR DROUGHT.



This handsome couple visited us from the San Luis Obispo area. *High Dollar* is in the TV business and her hubby is a firefighter. Welcome folks, glad you came. Come back real soon ya hear.

WHAT A MOUSTACHE!

High Dollar and Ambs Aces

GUESTS AT MARCH MATCH

In addition to the two Aussies (*Frank James, Bat Masterson*) there were many other visitors on Saturday including: *Incorrigible, Atascadero Pistolero, John Ringo, Calamity Annie, High Dollar, and Ambs Aces*. Returning after a long hiatus were *Doubleshot Darlin'* and *Shorty James*.

Thanks for coming. We hope you enjoyed yourself

The guy with the guitar last month...who was he?

That was Rex Allen Jr. doing his final and farewell tour at age 70. For two hours he entertained an enthusiastic audience with songs he and his father made famous. He told many stories during the evening with wit and humor. He was born in Wilcox which he claimed was the garden and cultural capital of Arizona. Now you know!