

## WYOMING STATE MUZZLE LOADERS ASSOCIATION

July 2016

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Letter from the President:

Hi Fellow Muzzleloaders:

Darn summer is finally here. I can't believe we have already hit 102 degrees and it is not even the 4th of July. We have had some great events so far this year. Even the weather has been perfect. Can you believe we got through the Wind River Memorial Shoot and the Deer Creek annual shoot with no rain, snow or any wind. A big thank you goes to the Sheridan Club for hosting another very successful Ed Green Memorial Frolic, I heard they had about 90 people registered. Wind River Muzzleloaders had a successful Memorial weekend with around 65 registered shooters. Deer Creek's annual shoot appeared to be down on registered shooters; however, it was still a very successful shoot. We had a very fun Wyoming State Shotgun shoot held here in Worland.

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We still have several events coming up in the future. The first even is the 1838 Rendezvous at Riverton over June 30 to July 3. This is a traditional Rendezvous held on the original 1838 site. They always have lots of great events including shooting, hawk and knife throwing, archery, traders and educational events. You can check out their events on their web site <http://www.1838rendezvous.com/>. The next big event is the Rocky Mountain National Rendezvous. It is going to be down by Gunnison Colo. July 9-16, 2016. This is a pre-1840 Rendezvous with plenty of the same activities to keep a person busy. Check out their web site at <http://rmnr.org/default.html>. I know a lot of Wyoming State Muzzleloaders will be there participating.

Then, the next weekend July 22-23, 2016 is the Sierra Madre annual Rendezvous at Encampment Wyoming. Their shoot flier will be posted in this newsletter. This is a great event with a lot activities and cash payout to the winners. They really concentrate on keeping the kids busy with activities. The next weekend July 29-31, 2016 will be the 30th annual Big Horn Basin Primitive contest at Ten Sleep, WY.

Next, there is the Fort Bridger Rendezvous September 2-5th, 2016 this is located at Ft. Bridger, WY. Here is their web site with all the information. <http://fortbridgerrendezvous.net/> There are enough activities to keep everyone busy for the rest of the summer. Get out and enjoy the outdoors in the great state of Wyoming!

We held a board meeting at Riverton. The board decided to award a few grants to the following: Wind River Muzzleloaders, Sierra Madre Muzzleloaders and Lander Valley Sportsman Association. We hope this helps promote the sport of Muzzle loading clubs in the state.

Well for someone who seems to have writers block I have written more than enough. Contact any board members if you have any questions or concerns. Ideas, volunteers, written articles and fliers are always welcome. Please send me and Melissa Connely any shoot fliers, shoot results, picture or articles. I am trying to keep the state web site up to date. If you are a Facebook fan, there is also a Facebook page for the Wyoming State Muzzle Loading Association and the Sierra Madre Muzzleloaders.

Keep your powder dry.

Bill Morrison

# 2016 1838 Mountain Man Rendezvous

## 27th Anniversary Of Our Reenactment

"Come to the Pups Agie Plenty of Trade, Whiskey, and White Women"  
(From a note made by anonymous Mountain Man - 1838)

## Camp on the Original 1838 Rendezvous Site In Riverton, Wyoming

### BEGINNERS ARE WELCOME

We focus on authenticity, offering seminars in 'skills & history' related to the mountain man era.

Parade, Opening Ceremony - June 29

Camp Activities: June 30-July 3, 2016

### Primitive & Tin Tipi Camp Areas

#### Traders Row

Tentative Seminars (See Website for Updated Seminar List)

- ☛ Trapping/Skinning/Hooping
- ☛ Basic Fire Starting
- ☛ Frontier Cooking
- ☛ Teepee Lore for kids & adults
- ☛ Flint Knapping
- ☛ Archery & All-All seminars & competitions
- ☛ **MANY MORE!**

Primitive *black powder* Shooting Matches

*Hawk & Knife* throwing, training & competitions

Nightly Council Fire, Pre-1840 Trade Goods, Wood & Water available

**For more information, news, discussions and updates:**

[www.1838rendezvous.com](http://www.1838rendezvous.com)

#### Contact Information/Registration Packets

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Registrar: To Be Announced at 2015 Rendezvous  
Email -

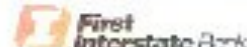
Or write:

1838 Rendezvous Association - P.O. Box 1838 - Riverton, WY 82501

2015 Donations



Wind River Heritage Center



2017 Rendezvous dates - June 28 - July 2, 2017

RIVERTON, WY: From Federal Blvd, turn East on Monroe to Smith St. Turn right on Smith St and follow the signs.

# SIERRA MADRE MUZZLELOADERS MOUNTAIN MAN RENDEZVOUS

**JULY 22, 23, 24, 2016**

Co-Sponsored by the Town of Encampment  
and in cooperation with the C.C.V.C.

## **FREE CAMPING**

*All Traders will be asked to donate a prize*

Dogs are the responsibility of the owner—Leash law strictly enforced!!

No horses!

Drinking water and some firewood available.

*Pig Roast Saturday Night with potluck sidedish*

Meal Ticket---\$5 per person/ 12 and under FREE!!!

All individual shoots will have awards for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place!

Women's Aggregate - 200.00 Cash

Junior Aggregate Prize - 200.00 Cash

Men's Aggregate - 200.00 Cash

Sub-Junior Aggregate Prize - 200.00 Cash

PLUS an additional \$1400.00 in cash, from a grant, by Carbon County Visitors Council!

Knife Throw Fri and Hawk Throw Sat for \$200.00 in Cash 3 PM and 5 PM

### SHOOTING FEES

Single - \$20.00

Family - \$30.00

Hawk & Knife only - \$5.00

Frying Pan Throw - \$5.00

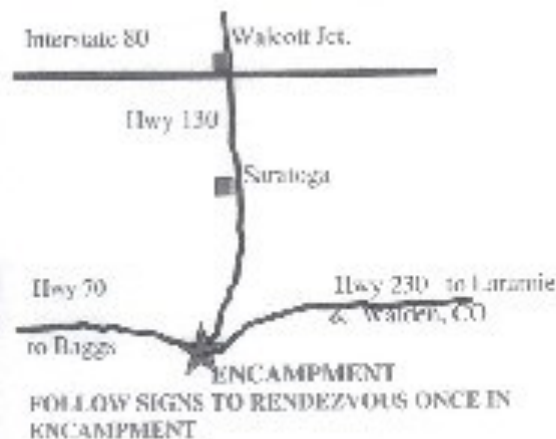
**NO PEEP SIGHTS**

**ROUND BALL ONLY**

**RANGE OFFICERS WORD IS FINAL!**

**PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ALL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

**KIDS GAMES FRIDAY, SATURDAY,  
SUNDAY**



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## **Big Horn Basin Muzzleloaders**

Est. 1986-2016 30th Annual Primitive Shoot

**JULY 29-31, 2016**

**Potluck dinner Saturday evening, meat provided**

Primitive Matches: Saturday morning, afternoon, and Sunday morning.

Limited Paper Matches

Paper Range 9-5 Saturday

9-12 Sunday

Hawk/Knife Throwing Saturday evening

Candle Shoot Saturday Evening

Traveling Trophy Qualifier

Awards for Men, Women, Junior and Sub Junior

Pot luck dinner Saturday evening. BHBML will provide the hamburgers and fixings. Please bring food items to share.

A full slate of traditional Muzzle Loading events is planned. Primitive matches \$10.00, Paper Matches \$2.00 first time, \$1.00 each additional re-entry of paper match.

No optics except by range officers. Open front and rear sights only. NMLA rules for scoring. Only traditional Muzzle Loading hunting rifles using patched round balls. Camp Rules: -Dogs are allowed but must be under adult control. No horses allowed. No vehicle parking allowed in the primitive camp area except to load and unload.

1. Rusty Trapper age 55 and older-25 yd. squirrel
2. .40 cal and under -25 yd. Grizzly
3. .54 cal and over -50 yd. single Bull
4. Any caliber 25 yd. small single bull
5. Any caliber 50 yd. slug gun target
6. Any caliber 100 yd. single bull
7. X-sticks 50 yd. Double Buffalo
8. Men's Pistol 25 yd. pistol target
9. Women's pistol 25 yd. pistol target
10. Women's Rifle 25 yd. Fer-de-lac
11. Junior 25yd. Prairie Dog
12. Sub-Junior 25 yd. Prairie Dog
13. Zombie Shoot 25 yd.-lowest 5-shot spread
14. Traveling Trophy 25 yd. Double Buffalo. **Must be or will be a WSMLA member**



# Ed Green Shoot Results

## Gong Match

	1st	2nd	3rd
Jr			
Women	Trish	Ginger	Allison
Men	Izzy	Ryan P	Jim

## Long Rang

Men	Mt Dew	Jon H	Bubba
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## Archery

Jr	Irabella	Shannon	Kately
Woman	Ginger	Davey	Jennifer
Men	Bubba	Coyote Skinner	Rooster

## Hawk and Knife

### Wee Wonders 0-6

Boys	Dawson	Syles	Emmett
Girls	Nattie	Abby	Latelee

### Sub Jr 7-12

Boys	Cash	Ryan	Ian
Girls	Shannon	Grace	Shylee

### Jr 13-16

Boys	Nathan	Matt	Gabe
Girls	Isabella	Elsa	x
Woman	Cassi	Sabrina	Shada
Men	John	Moon boy	Jason

## Pistol

Jr			
Women	Kristen	Trish	Aliason
Men	Mt Dew	Uncle	Jim M

## Kids Shoot

Boys	Cash	Ian	Shylee
Girls	Shylee	Grace	Shanon

## Running Griz

Jr	Cash	Hunter	Elsa
Women	Missy	April	Ginger
Men	Bubba	Matt	Mike H

## Women's Challenge

	Shyda	Elsa	Colleen
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All kids were winners in Egg Hunt, Marshmallow gun shoot and Pasture Golf.

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Quail Walk

1st	2nd	3rd
Bubba	CSKiw	Jon H

Cook Off

Rod Beattie

Re-entry

Jr.	Nathen
Women	April
Men	Rooster

25 yd 5 bull buff

Jr	Izzy 23	Elsa 8	Nathan 5
Women	Kristen 37	Trish 36	Alaison 15
Men	Mt Dew 43	Uncle Albert 41	Jim M 40

25 yd bottler

Women	Trish 32	Jennifer 17	Michelle 17
Men	Bubba 32	Mt Dew 28	Rooster 28

50 yd double buff

Jr	Izzy		
Women	Ginger 42	Missy 24	Michelle 23
Men	Ryan P 42x	Mt Dew 41	Majik 40

100 yd single buff

Jr	Cash	Izzy	
Women	Ginger 25	Aliason 16	Trish 13
Men	Mt Dew 38x	June Bug 30	Majic 29

Pictures of the summer shoots will be available in the next newsletter.

Stay tuned,.....

# Deer Creek 2 Day Shoot Results

## Men's

Match 1 -	1 <sup>st</sup> Verlin 47x	2 <sup>nd</sup> Joel 47x	3 <sup>rd</sup> Ryan 46
	2 - 1 <sup>st</sup> Verlin 49	2 <sup>nd</sup> Brian S 43	3 <sup>rd</sup> Dave H 41
	3- 1 <sup>st</sup> Brain C 46	2 <sup>nd</sup> Verlin 45	3 <sup>rd</sup> Joel 43
	4- 1 <sup>st</sup> Joe 32	2 <sup>nd</sup> Ryan 29	3 <sup>rd</sup> Brian S 25
High Aggregate-Verlin 159x			

## Women's

6- 1 <sup>st</sup> April 43	2 <sup>nd</sup> - Trish 39	3 <sup>rd</sup> Karen 37
7- 1 <sup>st</sup> Ginger 36	2 <sup>nd</sup> - Mel 28	3 <sup>rd</sup> Cyndy 11
8- 1 <sup>st</sup> Mel 41	2 <sup>nd</sup> - Karen 38	3 <sup>rd</sup> Ginger 28
9- 1 <sup>st</sup> Karen 26	2 <sup>nd</sup> - Trish 23	3 <sup>rd</sup> Ginger 21
High Aggregate- Mel 119x		

## Junior

11- 1 <sup>st</sup> Ashten 25	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tim 10	3 <sup>rd</sup> Tristen 8
12 -1 <sup>st</sup> Ashten 37	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tristen 34	3 <sup>rd</sup> Tim 33
13-1 <sup>st</sup> Tristen 26	2 <sup>nd</sup> Ashten 14	3 <sup>rd</sup> Tim 12
Aggregate- Ashten 76		

## Sub Junior

15-1 <sup>st</sup> JR 41	2 <sup>nd</sup> Shannon 10	
16-1 <sup>st</sup> Shannon 33	2 <sup>nd</sup> JR 24	
17-1 <sup>st</sup> JR 44	2 <sup>nd</sup> Shannon 9	
Aggregate-JR 109		

## Trade Gun-NO TRADE GUN-1 shooter

## Men's Pistol

24- 1 <sup>st</sup> Joe 79	2 <sup>nd</sup> Magic 77	3 <sup>rd</sup> Brian S 57
25- 1 <sup>st</sup> Brian S 64	2 <sup>nd</sup> Magic 49	3 <sup>rd</sup> Joel 25
Aggregate-Magic 126		

## Women's Pistol

27 - 1 <sup>st</sup> April 74x	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cyndy 74x	
28- 1 <sup>st</sup> April 81 xxx	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cyndy 13	
Aggregate- April 155 xxxx		

## RE-ENTRIES

30-Junior-Tristen 16  
 31-Women- Melissa-8  
 32-Any Caliber- RMJP-33  
 33-Big Bore- Bill M 46  
 34-Small Bore- Bryan S -46  
 35-Rusty Trapper- Tony 108  
 36- Man/Woman- Rooster and Ginger 95xx  
 37-X-sticks- Roger 30  
 38-Bench- Roger- 27  
 39-Pistol- Bill M-46x  
 40 Smooth Bore- Verlin 44

Pottery—Ginger 46  
 Turtle—April 44  
 Salute—Trish

Traveling Trophy Qualifiers  
 Women—Mel C 43  
 Men—Rooster 50  
 Jr—Tristan 45x



# **When is your club hosting their next shoot?**

## **We want to know.**

Please bring in a flyer or information regarding your club activities for next year and I will put them in the newsletter. Digital copies are best and can be sent to [mconnely@caspercollege.edu](mailto:mconnely@caspercollege.edu). A digital copy is easier to insert into the newsletter and maintaining a sharp image. However, I will take the information in just about any form.

Please include the date, place, rules, and contact information along with any other important notes.

Snail mail will work as well. My address is 75 Honeysuckle St. Casper WY 82604.

In addition to flyers, please send pictures of your event, scores, stories, and how-to's, etc. Ladies, I bet you have a story or two.....put them to pencil and send them in....



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## Important Dates for 2016

### January

Annual Convention

### February

### March

### April

### May

### June

DCML

30- July 3, 1838 rendezvous, Riverton

### July

22-24, Sierra Madre Mountain Man Rendezvous,  
Encampment

29-31 BHBML  
Big Horn Basin

### August

### September

### October

### November

DCML Ladies Turkey Shoot

Nov 6

### December

DCML Blanket Shoot

Dec. 4 (bring a prize)

