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Ed Green Memorial Shoot Camp Site

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2008 Schedule of Shoots and Events

	Event	Location
June 7, 2008	Marion Baker Invitational	Encampment, WY
June 7-8, 2008	Wyoming State Bench Shoot	Casper, WY
June 20-22, 2008	Deer Creek Annual Summer Shoot	Glenrock, WY
July 1-5 th , 2008	1838 Rendezvous	Riverton, WY
July 9-13, 2008	Colorado State Shoot	Florence, CO
July 25-27 th , 2008	Sierra Madre Rendezvous	Encampment, WY
September 6-7, 2008	BHBLM Primitive Shoot	Ten Sleep, WY
November 9, 2008	Mike Underwood Memorial Shoot	Encampment, WY

A little trivia for you all:

Cannon Ball History

It was necessary to keep a good supply of cannon balls near the cannon on old war ships. But how to prevent them from rolling about the deck was the problem. The best storage method devised was to stack them as a square based pyramid, with one ball on top, resting on four, resting on nine, which rested on sixteen. Thus, a supply of 30 cannon balls could be stacked in a small area right next to the cannon. There was only one problem -- how to prevent the bottom layer from sliding or rolling from under the others.

The solution was a metal plate with 16 round indentations, called a Monkey. But if this plate were made of iron, the iron balls would quickly rust to it. The solution to the rusting problem was to make Brass Monkeys.

Few landlubbers realize that brass contracts much more and much faster than iron when chilled. Consequently, when the temperature dropped too far, the brass indentations would shrink so much that the iron cannon balls would come right off the monkey. Thus, it was quite literally, cold enough to freeze the balls off a brass monkey.

And all this time, you thought that was a vulgar expression, didn't you?

News from the Editor

I think summer may finally be here. There is a bunch of muzzle loading activities for everyone to enjoy this summer. I was able to attend the Wyoming State Shoot over the Memorial Day weekend at Riverton. We had a couple of real nice days of shooting on Saturday and Sunday. Friday and Monday were rainy. Thank you to the Wind River Muzzleloaders for hosting the Wyoming State Shoot, it was a fine shoot. Wind River Muzzleloaders have a lot of hard working members that give everything to host and run a shoot. They held a nice memorial for Travis Bennett and the others that passed over the great divide the past year. The barbeque was great, I ate way too much, and a big thank you goes out to the great cooks.

I couldn't make it over the mountain for the Ed Green Memorial Shoot at Sheridan. However, reports I received indicated it was also a great shoot with a lot of fun. I will have reports further in the newsletter about the Ed Green Memorial Shoot. I heard something about our Pres Ned Dunn and Misfire on how not to row a canoe.☺.

One change on the board of WSMLA is that Bryon Wilczewski has resigned from the board of WSMLA. The board voted to have Dave Lehto fill his position. The board and officers of WSMLA want to thank Bryon for his past service to this organization. We still expect to see him at all of the shoots and convention. Ginger Bauman and Bryan Youngberg will be taking over the Traveling Trophy part of the WSMLA. If your club host's a traveling trophy shoot, please mail or e-mail your results to Ginger and Bryan. We need to have the results on hand at the 2009 State Shoot.

The WSMLA board has been concerned about the costs of having live entertainment at the convention during the annual banquet in January. The WSMLA board is going to try something new for convention. They have contracted with a different band called "Swing Sounds". Some board members have watched their performance; all reports are that this is a great band with good music to dance to or just listen to. The WSMLA board realizes that we have had a long term relationship with "Prickly Pear" and we appreciate their support of the WSMLA. Please support the board with this decision this year. If you have other ideas for entertainment or other items of interest at the convention please contact one of the board members.

The Holiday Inn in Casper has been sold; it is now the Ramada Plaza Riverside. The new managers will honor the previous WSMLA room rates and contracts. Ramada Plaza Riverside phone number is 307-235-2531.

To participate in a WSMLA sponsored shoot, (Winter Challenge, State Shoot and State Bench) participants must also be members of the WSMLA. The WSMLA board is also looking for ways to help sponsor "new" shooters to the state contest. The WSMLA voted to allow minors under the legal age of majority in Wyoming (age 19) who are sponsored by a paid member of the WSMLA to participate under that member sponsorship at state contests. The board is also discussing some sort of change to the requirement that paid membership required in WSMLA to participate in state sponsored contests. If you have any ideas, please forward them to a board member.

The WSMLA board voted to allow each club to set their own shooting rules as they pertain to the use of spotting scopes at shoots held at that club's range. Platte Valley Muzzleloaders want to test the use of spotting scopes at the WSMLA Bench shoot.

The footbridge at Brewster's Ranch used by the BHBMLA for the Primitive shoot and Buffalo Gong shoot has been washed away with the spring floods. The BHBMLA is looking at rebuilding the foot bridge, bigger and better. Willie and Lyle, however, are contemplating some sort of river crossing as part of their next primitive shoot contest.

The next WSMLA board meeting is planned at 12:00 noon at the Deer Creek Muzzleloaders shoot on June 21, 2008. If you have any items that need to be presented to the board, please let us know so the item can be put on the agenda.

Bill Morrison

An Indian walks into a cafe with a shotgun in one hand pulling a male buffalo with the other. He says to the waiter: I Want coffee. The waiter says, 'Sure, Chief. Coming right up. He gets the Indian a tall mug of coffee. The Indian drinks the coffee down in one gulp, turns and blasts the buffalo with the shotgun, causing parts of the animal to splatter everywhere and then just walks out. The next morning the Indian returns. He has his shotgun in one hand, pulling another male buffalo with the other. He walks up to the counter and says to the waiter 'I Want coffee.' The waiter says 'Whoa, Tonto! We're still cleaning up your mess from yesterday. What was all that about, anyway? The Indian smiles and proudly says ...'Training for position in United States Congress :Come in, drink coffee, shoot the bull, leave mess for others to clean up, disappear for rest of day

All I know is that we still have another 5+ months of bull (s) getting thrown around. If you believe anything these Politian's have to say I have a bridge at Brewster's ranch for sale.

Copper Lady's Vittles sponsor, June Willson Read, PhD will be on a book tour with her new book **Frontier Madam: The Life of Dell Burke, Lady of Lusk**, in Wyoming this summer some of her stops are shown below. www.juneread.com

June 5, 2008	Ralph's Books and Cards	Casper, WY
June 10-11, 2008	Laramie Plains Museum	Laramie, WY
June 28, 2008	Stagecoach Museum,	Lusk, WY
July 11-12, 2008	Washakie County Museum	Worland, WY
July 17, 2008	Homesteaders Museum	Torrington, WY
July 25, 2008	Crook County Library,	Sundance, WY
August 14, 2008	Wyoming Pioneer Museum	Douglas, WY



GRAND MOTHER'S RECIPES

MEAT AND COMBINATION DISHES

HOW TO CHUSE BUTCHER'S MEAT: Taken from American Housewife 1776

LAMB:

In a fore-quarter of lamb mind the neck-vein; if it be an azure blue it is new and good, but if greenish or yellowish, it is near tainting, if not tainted already.

In the hinder-quarter, smell under the kidney, and try the knuckle; if you meet with a faint scent, and the knuckle be limber, it is stale killed.

For a lamb's head, mind the eyes; if they be sunk or wrinkled it is stale; if plump and lively, it is new and sweet.

VEAL

Veal is soon lost—great care therefore is necessary in purchasing veal bro't to market in panniers, or in carriages is to be preferred to that bro't in bags, and glouncing on a sweaty horse.

If the bloody vein in the shoulder looks blue, or a bright red, it is new killed; but if blackish, greenish or yellowish, it is flabby and stale. If wrapped in wet cloths, smell whether it be mushy or not.

BEEF

If it be right beef, it will have an open grain; if young, a tender and oily smoothness; if rough and spongy, it is old, or inclining to be so, except neck, brisket, and such parts are very fibrous. A carnation pleasant colour betokens good spending meat; the suet a curious white—yellowish is not so good.

PORK

If it be young, the lean will break in pinching between your fingers, and if you nip the skin with your nails, it will make a dent.

VENISON

Try the haunches or shoulders under the bones that come out, with your finger or knife, and as the sent is sweet or rank, it is new or stale. Look on the hoofs and if the clefts are very wide and rough, it is old; if close and smooth it is young.

CAPON

To know whether a capon is true one, young or old, new or stale. If he be young his spurs are short, and his legs smooth; if a true capon a fat vein on the side of his breast, the comb pale, and thick belly and rump; if new, he will have a close hard vent; if stale, a loose open vent.

SALMON

The noblest and richest fish taken in fresh water; the largest are the best. They are unlike almost every other fish, are ameliorated by being 3 or 4 days out of water, if kept from heat and the moon, which has more injurious effect than the sun.

TO CHUSE BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS

When you buy butter, trust not to that which will be given you to taste, but try in the middle, and if your smell and taste be goo, you cannot be deceived.

Cheese is to be chosen by its moist and smooth coat. If any soft or perished place appears on the outside, try how deep it goes, for the greater part may be hid within.

Eggs hold the great end to your tongue; if it feels warm, be sure it is new; if cold, it is bad, and so in proportion to the heat and cold, so is the goodness of the egg. This is a sure way not to be deceived/ As to the keeping of them, pitch them all with the small end downwards in fine wood ashes, turning them weekly endwise, and they will keep for months.

SUGAR

If sugar be adulterated with sand, a very common cheat practiced by unprincipled dealers; it may be detected by dissolving 2 or 3 spoonfuls of sugar in a glass of water. If sand or any similar substance be present, it will sink to the bottom after standing some time.

STEW DUMPLINGS

Beat 2 eggs; add 2 T. Light cream, 1 cup flour, 1 heaping teaspoon baking powder, 1 t. salt. Mix and drop with teaspoon on stew. Yields 12 dumplings.

VINEGAR DUMPLINGS

1. Cup vinegar	chunk of butter
1 ½ cup water	cinnamon and sugar to taste

Put into pan and bring to boil. While heating, mix up the dumplings.

Dumplings:

1 ½ cup flour	1 t. baking powder	1 c. lard
1 t. salt	1 c. milk	

Work like biscuit dough. Drop by spoonful into hot vinegar mixture. Keep lid on till done.

Tain't Afear'd of No Storm

By
Mike Chapin

The Ed Green Memorial Rifle Frolic was a great time. The weather was a little shaky before the shoot. A big spring storm had come through and the freeway from Buffalo to Sheridan was closed until 2:00 PM on Friday. When I saw the roads were open, I finished packing and headed out. The roads were clear and dry and I made it to the site in about three hours from Worland.

Saturday morning was cold and clear. Some in camp were wakened by screams of agony from people setting on cold porta-pottie seats but, all in all, everyone was very cheerful and looking forward to a fine day of shooting.

Shooting was done like it was in the old days. Shoot what you want and sit out that you don't want to do. The first three matches were paper, done at about 25, 50 and 100 yards. These were followed by two gong shoots and a pistol shoot. During this time Brett Smith and Ron Abbot were running a trail walk. I didn't do it myself but heard that it was challenging but a lot of fun.

About mid-morning Karen Dannar put on an Easter Egg hunt for the kids. The prize they got was determined by numbers on the eggs. The kids loved it. Karen paid for and donated all the prizes for this event. It was a great hit with the kids.

The afternoon was the time for the Calcutta Canoe event. Two people in a canoe maneuvered the boat to fire at three targets. The targets were silhouettes the first shot with a rifle, the second with shot from a smoothbore and the third shot with a pistol. Some people showed that they could maneuver a canoe and shoot well from a shaky platform. Of special note were the team of Ned Dunn and Misfire who will not be asked to join the USA Canoe Team. They didn't turn it over but you really had to be there to appreciate it.

Afterward was a primitive skills shoot that involved hawk and knife, bow shooting and killing some silhouettes. Back in camp was the first game of full contact Badminton that I have ever seen.

After the hawk and knife competition, the counsel fire was lit. A moment of silence was observed for those that have gone under this year with special emphasis on Ed Green, Travis Bennett, and Buster Harlow. All three were well loved and had a special place in the muzzle loading community. They will be sorely missed.

All day Saturday the day was warm with almost no breeze - Fantastic weather for a shoot. Sunday was the same. The trail walk started up again. Those not on the trail walk were in a trade rifle competition or blanket shooting. Prizes were handed out at 1:00 and the shoot broke up.

I have not mentioned many things because I was not participating and only know them by what people have said. This event had plenty of stuff for the kids to do and I only touched on the Easter Egg hunt. There was also shooting, fire starting and hawk and knife for the kids. Some incidents will go into WMLA lore, such as a new name for Big Ted and an accidental streaking incident that some would sooner forget. There were events I didn't mention either because I am having a full

senior moment or it just slipped my mind. A full list of events and winners is below with Ed's write up.

A few people showed up that I had not seen in years. Bob Bohman, formerly of the Gillette club now in Laurel, Montana, was there to see old faces. Gary Peterson, who now is more into BP cartridge, showed up to say "Hi" and shoot a little.

A special thanks go to the Dannars, Karen for providing the pasture for the event and buying all the kids prizes; Verlin for setting up and building the range, Both of them for putting up the money for many of the other prizes. A big **Thank You** goes out for those members of the Sheridan club for planning and running the events that made this a fun time.

We will miss Ed Green, Travis Bennett and Buster Harlow. They were a big part of what makes this sport so great. This memorial shoot was a celebration of their lives by doing the things they loved best.

Ed Green Memorial Shoot **by Ed Kern**

I want to thank all of you who showed up for the Ed Green Memorial Rifle Frolic, and helped us celebrate Ed's life. There was plenty of shooting and good friends to visit with. With the weather being as bad as it was two days before the Frolic, it did not have a bad turnout. There were 50 registered shooters, and some that came for the good times.

Saturday was a full day starting at 8AM with paper matches and the Trail Walk. Then there were two gong matches. After lunch we held a Calcutta for the Canoe race. The Canoe race wasn't really a race for speed but a test of skill. A two person team paddled around taken a rifle shot, a smooth bore shoot, and then a pistol shot while still moving. When they got out of the canoe there was a longbow shot, and a knife & hawk toss. It turned out to be a lot of fun even for those of us who just watched. Saturday ended with Blanket shoots, frying pan toss, hawk & knife, and a kid's fire starting. After supper the Council fire was lit and everyone who wanted put a log on for someone they wanted to remember. It was a good time to reflect. Just when you thought you were going to set around the fire and have a drink or two, I held the spelen bee. There we learned that the English language is in trouble. More than just me can't spell!

Sunday started off with the trail walk. BACK the truck up, I almost forgot while the Calcutta was going on Saturday. There was an Egg hunt going on for the kids. Karen had a prize for every egg that was found. The kids had fun with that. I should not forget the badminton tournament. The least said about that the better. Back to Sunday, while the trail walk was going on there was a Smooth bore match, a blanket shoot, and a kid's gong match going on. All the shooting was done and awards were handed out by noon or so.

The Bull shooters put this shoot on in memory of Ed Green and for those who we have all lost. Also to remember the good times past. Thank you again for coming, nice seeing you.

Stagecoach.

ED GREEN MEMORIAL RIFLE FROLIC WINNER'S

Trail Walk	Gary Gavin & Dave Lehto
Hawk & Knife	Men - Aaron Women - Angie Junior – Peanut
25yd. paper	Men - Bill Moore Women - Mae Moore Junior - Peanut
50yd paper	Men - Jake Women - Mae Moore
100yd paper	Men - Jake Women - Frankie Junior - Hillary
Short Gongs	?
Long Gongs	Mike Chapin
Pistol	?
Traveling Trophy	Men - Jake 49XX Women - Angie 45X
Canoe Race	Tom Fletcher & Junior Molina
Frying Pan	Women - 1 st - Trish 2 nd - Frankie 3 rd – Audrey Junior - 1 st - Isabella 2 nd - Shannon 3 rd - Jesse
Blanket Shoots	Shoot One- Big Ted Shoot Two- Aaron
Smooth Bore	1 st - Verl 2 nd - Ned Dunn 3 rd - L Z



Jerry and Peg Chaney



President of WSMLA Ned Dun



Get the Red Coat



LZ and Tail Gunner



Karen Demonstrating frying pan throw



Carrie Gavin properly outfitted for shootin.

Results of the Nowood Black Powder Cartridge Shoot held at Brewster's Ranch, Ten Sleep, WY April 12 and 13th, 2008. Sponsored by the Big Horn Basin, Muzzle Loaders. This was a great shoot. Weather and conditions were perfect for shoot on Sunday. Thank you to everyone involved in making this a successful shoot.

2008 Ten Sleep gong match

Place	Name	Code	Offhand	sm buff	med buff	bell	lg buff	1000yd	Total
1	AP Ulsher		4	5	5	3	5	4	26
2	Mark Sackett		3	5	4	4	4	3	23
3	Elwyn Brunner		2	5	3	5	5	2	22
4	Nick Nickelson		5	4	3	4	4	0	20
5	Toby Crisler		4	4	3	2	5	2	20
6	Dan Myron		3	5	4	2	3	2	19
7	John Zimmerman		3	4	4	3	4	1	19
8	Roger Shepard		0	5	5	5	3	1	19
9	Mark Griffis		4	3	4	1	5	1	18
10	Bryan Youngberg		1	3	5	3	5	1	18
11	George R. Jordan		0	5	5	3	3	2	18
12	Jim Ross		0	5	5	3	4	1	18
13	Harlan Sage		3	3	0	4	4	3	17
14	Gary Peterson		2	3	2	2	4	4	17
15	Randy Ellingrod		2	5	5	3	1	1	17
16	Rick Lupcho		1	5	4	1	4	2	17
17	Ed Arnold		4	3	3	1	4	1	16
18	Ric Pestel		3	2	3	2	3	3	16
19	Steve Pattison		3	5	3	3	1	1	16
20	Mike Pomeroy		3	3	4	3	2	1	16
21	Dave Casey		2	3	4	2	3	2	16
22	John Miller		2	4	4	2	3	1	16
23	Ed Schleichardt		5	3	2	2	2	1	15
24	Sean Miller		2	2	2	3	4	2	15
25	Joe Williamson		1	5	3	1	4	1	15
26	Dusty Cash		1	3	3	4	3	1	15
27	Rabbit Hubenka		4	2	2	2	2	2	14
28	Michael Nickelson		4	1	3	1	3	2	14
29	Gary Bradley		3	2	5	0	2	2	14
30	Rod Salzman		3	3	2	3	2	1	14
31	Mike Lindsay		2	3	3	2	2	2	14
32	Tom Brewster		3	3	3	1	3	0	13
33	Dan Cash		4	2	1	2	3	0	12
34	Roger Porter		3	3	2	2	1	1	12
35	Ace Redman		3	3	1	3	2	0	12
36	Leroy Eichthaler		2	3	3	1	1	2	12
37	Roy Bryan		2	1	3	1	3	2	12
38	Charlie Pattison		2	4	3	1	1	1	12
39	Lee Boughner		2	2	2	2	4	0	12

40	C.T. Bailey		3	4	2	1	1	0	11
41	George Jordan		2	2	3	1	2	1	11
42	Randy Stenerson		2	2	2	2	3	0	11
43	Loyce Ellingrod	w	0	2	2	0	4	3	11
44	Rod Skarboe		2	1	2	2	2	1	10
45	Lynn Young		2	1	2	2	2	1	10
46	Jim Neufeld		1	2	3	2	1	1	10
47	Vern Fauss		1	2	1	3	2	1	10
48	Pete Johnson		1	4	1	2	2	0	10
49	Cheryl Pestal	w	0	0	3	2	3	2	10
50	Keith Adams		3	2	2	1	1	0	9
51	Mark Dunn		3	2	1	1	2	0	9
52	Christa Wiggs	w	1	2	1	1	3	1	9
53	Jeff Williamson		1	3	5	0	0	0	9
54	Jeff Faldowski		1	2	1	1	4	0	9
55	Sara Ellingrod	jr	4	2	1	0	1	0	8
56	Mel Thomas		3	2	0	2	0	1	8
57	Melanie Myron	w	2	1	1	0	1	3	8
58	Mark Skoric		1	3	2	0	1	1	8
59	Junior Molina		0	2	4	0	2	0	8
60	Roger Roebling		0	2	1	2	3	0	8
61	Robin Dunn		2	1	1	0	3	0	7
62	Larry Domson		0	1	2	1	3	0	7
63	Dennis Obert		2	1	0	0	3	0	6
64	Mike Scott		1	3	1	0	1	0	6
65	Steve Ilg		0	1	2	1	2	0	6
66	Toyon Wiggs		2	0	1	0	2	0	5
67	Rohm Whitaker		1	1	0	0	2	1	5
68	John Hudson		1	3	0	0	1	0	5
69	Willie Felton		0	1	2	0	1	1	5
70	Bob Rollings		0	1	1	0	3	0	5
71	Kevin Overman		1	2	1	0	0	0	4
72	Brad Cambell		2	0	0	0	0	1	3
73	Ben Whitman		1	1	0	0	0	0	2
74	Wyatt Dunn	jr	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
75	Jim Adams	jr	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
76	Richard Muscio		0	0	0	0	2	0	2

Prizes for the 2008 Nowood Gong match have been provided by:

John Walters wads, Goex Powder, Kermitool, Lyman, Midway, Montana Vintage Arms, Swiss Powder Shiloh Rifle, SPG, Starline, Treebone Carving, Steve Brooks, Sagebrush Products, Bryan Youngberg, Gentleman Jim Products, Dave Tyrrell, Jim Neufeld, The Cake Shop, Dave Casey

Wyoming State Shoot Results. State shoot was held at the Wind River Muzzleloaders at Riverton, Wyoming May 23-26, 2008. Thank you to the Wind River Muzzleloaders for sponsoring this event.

Agg & Match	Target	1st Place	Score	2nd Place	Score	3rd Place	Score
	Bob Hampton Agg.						
Match 1	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Bruce Schwindt	46X	Vern Fauss	45X	Bill Moore	45X
Match 2	50yd 6 Bull 7ring	Bruce Schwindt	42	Bill Morrison	41	Mike Chapin	40
Match 3	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Mike Dunn	46	Dave Lehto	46	Bruce Schwindt	45
Match 4	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Bruce Schwindt	37	Dave Hein	35	Vern Fauss	32
Match 5	Total	Bruce Schwindt	170				
	Ed Bartel Agg.						
Match 6	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Bruce Schwindt	46	Jake Jacobsen	45	Gary Gavin	43
Match 7	50yd 6 Bull 7ring	Mike Dunn	38	Bruce Schwindt	37	Frank Elzay	32
Match 8	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Ron Abbott	45	Bruce Schwindt	44XX	Jake Jacobsen	44
Match 9	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Bruce Schwindt	40	Mike Dunn	38	Dave Hein	32
Match 10	Total	Bruce Schwindt	167XXX				
	Ladies Agg						
Match 11	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Teri Schwindt	45	Ginger Bauman	44XX	Carrie Gavin	42
Match 12	25yd S Bull 8 ring	Teri Schwindt	50X	Ginger Bauman	48	Carrie Gavin	47XXX
Match 13	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Carrie Gavin	44X	Teri Schwindt	41	Angie Frederick	39
Match 14	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Ginger Bauman	36	Jane Black	27	Teri Schwindt	25
Match 15	Total	Ginger Bauman	163XX				
	Junior Agg						
Match 16	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Brooke Mason	41	Ian Corrigan	38	Skyler Erickson	36
Match 17	Single Bull 8 ring	Skyler Erickson	42	Lucas Jarrett	42	Brooke Mason	41
Match 18	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Skyler Erickson	40	Ian Corrigan	39	Brooke Mason	27
Match 19	Total	Skyler Erickson	118				
	Sub Junior Agg						
Match 20	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Morgan Erickson	44	Richard Anderson	40X	CJ Waterson	14
Match 21	Single Bull 8 ring	Morgan Erickson	48	Richard Anderson	40X	CJ Waterson	39
Match 22	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Cody Wells	33	Richard Anderson	31	Morgan Erickson	30
Match 23	Total	Morgan Erickson	122				

	Small Bore Agg						
Match 24	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Jim Brines	46	Kyle Lehto	44X	Mike Dunn	44
Match 25	50yd S Bull 8 ring	MisFire	46	Ron Abbott	44X	Mike Dunn	44
Match 26	Total	Kyle Lehto	88X				
	Big Bore Agg						
Match 27	50yd S Bull 8 ring	Mike Dunn	45XX	Vern Fauss	44	Mike Chapin	43
Match28	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Willie Fenton	37X	Mike Dunn	29	MisFire	29
Match29	Total	Mike Dunn	74XX				
	X-Sticks Agg						
Match 30	50yd DbIBuff 8ring	Bruce Schwindt	48XX	Mike Dunn	46X	Bill Morrison	46X
Match 31	100yd S Buff 8ring	Bruce Schwindt	42	Teri Schwindt	37	MisFire	36
Match 32	Total	Bruce Schwindt	90XX				
	Reggie Pierce Agg						
Match 33	25yd Pistol	Bruce Schwindt	95XX	Mike Dunn	91X	Bill Moore	91
Match 34	50yd Pistol	Bruce Schwindt	82	Bill Moore	74	Mike Dunn	70
Match 35	Total	Bruce Schwindt	177XX				
	Ladies Pistol						
Match 36	25yd Pistol	Mae Moore	88X	Teri Schwindt	84	Angie Frederick	82
Match 37	50yd Pistol	Teri Schwindt	79X	Angie Frederick	66	Mae Moore	54
Match 38	Total	Teri Schwindt	163XX				
	Junior Pistol Agg						
Match 39	25yd Pistol	Lucas Jarrett	75	Cheyenne Wells	65	Skyler Erickson	57
Match 40	50yd Pistol	Lucas Jarrett	29	Cheyenne Wells	12	Skyler Erickson	11
Match 41	Total	Lucas Jarrett	104				
	Ed Fowler Agg						
Match 42	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Dave Livingston	44	Mike Dunn	43	Frank Elzay	42
Match 43	50yd 6 Bull 7ring	Mike Dunn	45	Ben Elzay	33	Frank Elzay	31
Match 44	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Mike Dunn	45	Dave Livingston	44	Kyle Lehto	44
Match 45	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Dave Livingston	34	Dave Lehto	33	MisFire	28
Match 46	Total	Mike Dunn	146				

	Trade Gun Match						
Match 47	25yd Dbl Buffalo	Rabbit	46	Jake Jacobsen	45xx	Dave Hein	
Match 48	50yd Pistol	Mike Penz	45	Frank Elzay	43x	Terry Crane	41
Match 49	Clay Pigeons	Frank Elzay		Terry Crain		Jake Jacobsen	
Match 50	Total	Frank Elzay	107x				
	Traveling Trophy Qualifier			State Traveling Trophy Bryan Youngberg Teri Schwindt Lucas Jerret Morgan Erickson			
Match 51	Men	Ron Abbott	50XXX		51X		
Match 51	Women	Connie Moore	42X		42xx		
Match 51	Junior	Skyler Erickson	45		45X		
Match 51	Sub-Junior	Morgan Erickson	46		43		
	Re-Entries 1 st Place Only						
52 Non-Bennett	50yd Fer-Du-Lac	Mike Chapin	41				
52 Travis Bennett	50yd Fer-Du-Lac	Vern Fauss	41				
Match 53	40 Cal & Under	Terry Crane	46				
Match 54	58 Cal & over	MisFire	47				
Match 55	Any Cal 50yd	Ron Abbott	48XX				
Match 56	Women's Rifle25yd	Angie Frederick	40				
Match 57	Women's Pistol 25	Angie Frederick	33	Agg & Match Name			
Match 58	Jr. 25yd Grizzly	Skyler Erickson	43XX	Men's Knife		Bill Moore	
Match 59	Sub-Jr 25yd Grizzly	Rich Anderson	47XXX	Men's Hawk		William Wells	
Match 60	Man&WomanDblBuf	Rooster&Ginger	98XXXX	Ladies Knife		Mae Moore	
Match 61	X-sticks 50yd	Bill Morrison	43	Ladies Hawk		Frankie Gavin	
Match 62	Any ML Rifle100yd	Bill Rynor	41	Junior Knife		Ian Corrigan	
Match 63	Men's Pistol 25yd	Ned Dunn	36	Junior Hawk		Chancy WSKI	
Match 64	Trade Gun 50yd	Jake Jacobson	43	Sub-Jr Knife		Richard Anderson	
Primitive	Trail Walk			Women'sJr Hawk		Cheyenne Wells	
1 st	Tony Larvie						
2 nd	Ron Abbott						
3 rd	Bill Moore	Primitive Agg					
4 th	Mae Moore	Tony Larvie	1st	5 th	Muskrat Mike		

**SIERRA MADRE MUZZLELOADERS
MOUNTAIN MAN RENDEZVOUS**

JULY 25, 26, 27, 2008

Co-Sponsored by the Town of Encampment

FREE CAMPING

All Traders will be asked to donate a prize

Dogs are the responsibility of the owner

Leash law strictly enforced

If you fail to comply you will be asked to leave !

No horses

Drinking water and some firewood available

Womens Aggregate – TBA

Mens Aggregate - TBA

Junior Aggregate Prize – TBA

Sub-Junior Aggregate Prize - TBA

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

NO PEEP SIGHTS

ROUND BALL ONLY

RANGE OFFICERS WORD IS FINAL

SHOOTING FEES

Single - \$20.00

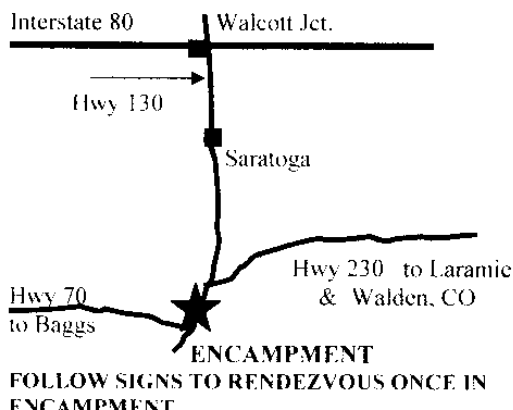
Family - \$30.00

Hawk & Knife only - \$5.00

Frying Pan Throw - \$1.00

PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ALL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

KIDS GAMES FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY



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Big Horn Basin Muzzleloaders

Est. 1986-2007

22st Anniversary Shoot

September 6th and 7th 2007

Potluck dinner Saturday evening

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

Limited Paper Matches

Paper Range 9-5 Saturday

9-12 Sunday

Hawk/Knife/Cow Chip Throwing Saturday evening

Candle Shoot Saturday Evening

Traveling Trophy Qualifier

The Big Horn Basin Muzzleloaders are planning their annual primitive shoot at the Brewster Ranch, located north of Ten Sleep, WY. We are planning on a fun shoot with lots of great prizes. We are hoping a little cooler weather for competitors.

A full slate of traditional Muzzleloading events is planned. Primitive matches \$10.00, Paper Matches \$2.00. No optics except by range officers. Open front and rear sights only. NMLA rules for scoring. Only traditional Muzzleloading hunting rifles using patched round balls. No under hammer or in-line actions and no Black Powder cartridge guns.

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. Wood available, bring drinking water.



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2008

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"Come to the Popo Agie Plenty of Trade, Whiskey, and White Women"
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Camp on the Original 1838 Rendezvous Site

BEGINNERS ARE WELCOME

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

Opening Ceremony: Evening July 2

Camp Activities: July 3 – July 6

Campers \$20 Traders \$50

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- ☛ Making Brain Tanned Leather
- ☛ Frontier Cooking
- ☛ "Beginning Rendezvous" class
- ☛ Scrimshawing Seminar
- ☛ Making Buffalo Hide Bull Boats
- ☛ Teepee Lore for kids & adults
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- ☛ MANY MORE!

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The *DEER CREEK MUZZLE LOADERS*

Announce our
Annual Summer Black Powder Shoot
June 20, 21, and 22, 2008

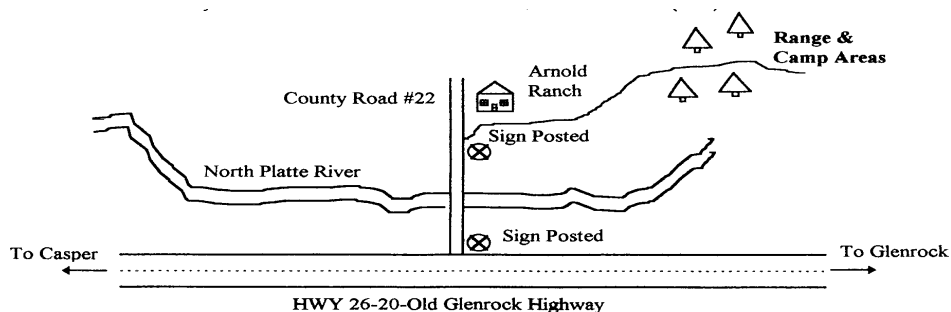
Come join us for a smoke filled weekend of shooting and camping on the Arnold Ranch near Glenrock Wyoming. There will be a full slate of rifle, pistol, and smoothbore matches for men, women and children. We have a challenging primitive range and there are aggregate and re-entry paper matches shot at 25, 50, 100, and 200 yard ranges. This is a traditional shoot – no in-line or cartridge black powder rifles and NMLRA scoring rules will apply to targets shot. WSMLA Traveling Trophy targets are available as well. We will also have hawk and knife matches for everybody. Shooting begins Friday Noon and ends Noon Sunday.

Primitive and modern camping areas are available with plenty of firewood. You will need to bring your own water. There is plenty of shade. Dogs are allowed but must be kept on leash and under adult control, but no horses please. There are motels in Glenrock six miles east and in Casper 18 miles west.

Traders are welcome and can choose to pay a \$10 camp fee or donate a shoot prize. Come spend an enjoyable weekend and burn some black powder with us. Stay for all weekend or come for a day. A dinner Saturday evening will be provided as part of your entry fee

*Registration: \$5 per person up to a maximum of \$20 per family
Shooting: \$2 per target including the aggregate. \$1.50 each re-entry,
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Douglas, WY 82633
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baumann@netcommander.com

Please also e-mail the results to Bryan Youngberg bryan.youngberg@gmail.com

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Men's Name: _____

Score; Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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