



WYOMING STATE MUZZLE LOADERS ASSOCIATION

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Letter from the President:

Reflections of the 2012 State Shoot

The Wyoming State Shoot was hosted by the Big Horn Basin Muzzleloaders on the Brewster Ranch by Ten Sleep, WY. We had around 48 registered shooters plus a large contingent of others who showed up to visit, watch, and help run a successful event. Twenty-four brave shooters tried our primitive range. Andy Lawrence was chief cook for the Saturday evening meal. He cooked up some fine tasting pork rump roast and a big pot of beans. I brought in some fresh Worland corn, along with all the other potluck fixings, if you left hungry it was your own fault. We estimated there were at least 70 people for the meal and there were enough leftovers that we had enough for lunch for everyone on Sunday.

We also had a special treat as Sherry Brewster cooked fry bread and some of her homemade cinnamon rolls on Saturday and Sunday. Amber Bader brought homemade banana bread muffins. Thank you, Sherry and Amber for your extra work.

The weather gods were watching out for us as it was about 20 degrees cooler then it has been for the past couple of months. It was still warm; however, it wasn't the 100-105 degrees we have been having. We started shooting Friday morning with paper targets and the primitive shoot. The wind started picking up in the afternoon and by about 6:00 pm we had gale force winds trying to blow everyone away.

Saturday was perfect conditions, a little cool in the early morning about 60 degrees and we started looking for sweaters for a few minutes then it quickly started to warm up. Range opened at 8:00 am for paper targets, 9:00 am for the primitive range. A lot of lead was sent down range on Saturday. Around 4:00 pm, Rooster and Ginger Baumann held the Traveling Trophy contest for all the 2012 qualifiers. Winners were Andy Lawrence, Trish Miller and Matt Borovatz. A big thank you goes out to Rooster and Ginger for helping run the Traveling Trophy Contest.

After the Traveling Trophy contest, LZ held the smooth bore trap contest. He had the benefit of 2 trap throwers. They shot 5 times from 5 different positions with birds flying away from the shooters to the birds flying towards them and even over their heads. The over head bird was really tough. Needless to say not a lot of birds were shot. LZ won the clay pigeon contest and was the overall winner in the trade gun match. Thank you LZ for your help in running the Trade Gun match.

For the evening meal we set up a couple of marquees for shade. The crowd kind of thinned out after supper, however, we did conduct the hawk and knife throw and when it started to get a little darker, we held a candle shoot. Gary Millhouse walked away champion of the candle shoot. The rest of us were lucky if we hit the dirt bank. Good shooting Gary.

Sunday we finished up shooting paper targets and another group who went though the primitive match. While everyone was tabulating up scores we held a small money shoot.

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Wad's Up?
Let's shoot some shotguns!!!!

**Wyoming Muzzleloaders Smoothbore Shoot
Skeet and Trap**

Guns allowed: Any front stuff gun, shotgun, trade gun, smoothbore, flint, percussion.

Where: Powell Rod and Gun Club

3 miles East of Powell south 1 mile on road 5

When: September 22, 2012 starting at 10:00 a.m.

Cost: Estimated at \$3.00 per round

Prizes: Still working on prizes. May be a blanket shoot.

NMLRA Rules

This is a brand new event. If you do not have a smoothbore or shot gun show up someone will have one for you to shoot and try out. This is intended to be a fun shoot.

Camping: Dry camp is available at the Powell Rod and Gun Club. Full hookups are available at the Park County Fair grounds for \$25.00 per night.

Questions Contact:

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You are invited to join in celebrating
Jim(A. J.) and Karen White's
50th wedding anniversary
on September 29, 2012
from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at
Shoshoni Senior Citizens Center
209 Main, Shoshoni, Wyoming.

No gifts please.

Traveling Trophy Bill Morrison 48x

Deer Creek Muzzloaders Labor Day Weekend Shoot

This is a 2-day money shoot. All are invited. We will shoot till our hearts are content and we are dirty and smelly. September 1 (Saturday) and September 2 (Sunday). Come on Friday and stay till Sunday night or Monday. We can shoot and have a good time.

PLEASE TELL EVERY SHOOTER YOU KNOW AND TALK TO!!!

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After having a couple of tie breakers our own Jim Hanchett was the winner against Dave Hein. They also won some of the left over pork roast rump.

Another new item to our shoot was having two traders show up. Little Grizzly, the hat maker, and Tim Thornburg, with Toad's Trading Post. I know Little Grizzly sold a few hats so hopefully it was profitable to both traders. Little Grizzly was telling everyone that he is going to be on a new TV show this fall called Swamp Pawn brokers. I guess it will be a little different twist than the Pawn Show out of Las Vegas. If he is any indication, I can guarantee this new TV show will be a little different.

We also added a couple of new fun targets to the contest; the Zombie Target and the golf game for the junior shooters. We ran out of the Zombie Targets, however, everyone enjoyed shooting at the evil deer, jackalope or wild boar. Great time was had by all except one guy who just kept whining about the rusty trapper target being way too easy. Next year I qualify to shoot the Rusty Trapper. The Northern Wyoming Daily News also gave us some coverage of our State Shoot.

Bill

Saratoga, WY. July, 2012

Here are the results for our Marion Baker Shoot -Held on June 3rd, 2012. We had 16 shooters.

OVERALL WINNER IN THE ADULT CLASS: Ben Jarrett — 461X

OVERALL WINNER IN THE JUNIOR CLASS: Wyatt Hill 396

Thank you,
Joe Morrison Sec/Treas.
Sierra Madre Muzzle Loaders

State Shoot Results

Match	Shooter - First	Score	Shooter - Second	Score	Shooter - third	Score
Men's Flint						
1. 25 yd 6 Bull 8 Ring BLK	J Jacobsen	42xx	D Hein	42	G Millhouse	40
2. 50 yd 6 Bull 7 Ring Blk	J Jacobsen	30	D Hein	29	E Kern	18
3. 50 yd Single Buff 8 Ring Blk	D Hein	43	D Terrell	42	J Jacobsen	39
4. 100 yd Single Bull 7 ring Blk	G Millhouse	45	D Hein	30	J Jacobsen	26
5. Aggregate 1-4	D Hein	144				
Men's Percussion						
6. 25 yd 6 Bull 8 Ring BLK	E Kern	42	N Bader	42	G Millhouse	41
7. 50 yd 6 Bull 7 Ring Blk	N Bader	34	J Hanchet	27	D Sorter	25
8. 50 yd Single Buff 8 Ring Blk	C Nickelson	47xx	J Hanchet	43	Rooster	42
9. 100 yd Single Bull 7 Ring Blk	G Millhouse	37	D Hein	37	A lawrence	36
10. Aggregate 6-9	N Bader	138				
Woman's Agg						
11. 25 yd 6 Bull 8 Ring Blk	G Baumann	38	T Miller	32	D Keep	28x
12. 25 yd Single Bull 8 Ring Blk	G Baumann	48xx	S Burke	47	P Sorter	45
13. 50 yd Single Buff 8 Ring Blk	D Keep	38x	T Miller	38	G Baumann	33
14. 100 yd Single Bull 7 Ring Blk	G Baumann	28	Cindy	20	D Keep	16
15. Aggregate 11-14	G Baumann	147xx				
Junior Agg 12 - 15 yr of age						
16. 25 yd 6 Bull 8 Ring Blk	M Borovatz	32	C Salzman	31		
17. 25 yd Single Bull 8 Ring Blk	M Borovatz	46x	C Salzman	44		
18. 50 yd Single Buff 8 Ring Blk	M Borovatz	28	C Salzman	21		
19. Aggregate 16-18	M Borovatz	126x				
Sub Jr. 11 yr of age or under						
20. 25 6 Bull 8 Ring Blk	J Vines	28				
21. 25 yd Single Bull 8 Ring Blk	J Vines	41				
22. 50 yd Single Buff	J Vines	44				
23. Aggregate 220-22	J Vines	113				
Big Bore - Min of .58 Cal						
24. 50 yd Single Bull 8 Ring Blk	G Millhouse	43	B Morrison	39	A Lawrence	38
25. 100 yd Single Bull 7 Ring Blk	A Lawrence	38	G Millhouse	25	B Morrison	14
26. Aggregate 24-25	G Millhouse					
Small bore 10 lb limit, max .40 cal						
27. 25 yd 6 Bull 8 Ring Blk	D Hein	44x	B Morrison	42	A lawrence	39
28. 50 yd Single Bull 8 Ring Blk	D Lehto	46	E Kern	42	D Hein	40
29. Aggregate 27-28	D Hein	84x				
X-Sticks - 14 lb limit						
30. 50 yd Dbl Bull Buff	Misfire	48	Magic	46	D Lehto	45x
31. 100 yd. Single Bull Buff	B Morrison	43	D Lehto	41	B Speicher	37
32. Aggregate 30-31	B Morrison	87				
Men/Women Re-entry						
33. 25 yd Dbl Buff	Rooster and Ginger	94xxx				
Traveling Trophy re-entry 2013 Men	D Hein	49x				
Traveling Trophy re-entry 2013 Wom-	J Black	39				
Traveling Trophy re-entry 2013 Jr	na					

State Shoot Results Continued

Men's Pistol 10 Shot

35. 25 yd pistol	G Millhouse	93xxx	J Jacobson	83x	J Miller	81
36. 50 yd Pistol	D Hein	61	J Jacobson	60	G Millhouse	57
37. Aggregate 35-36	G Millhouse	150xxx				

Womens Pistol

39. 25 yd Pistol	J Black	11
40. 50 yd Pistol	na	
41. Aggregate 39-40	na	

Jr. Pistol

42. 25 yd Pistol	na	
43. 50 yd Pistol	na	
44. Aggregate	na	

Trade Gun Single Trigger no rear sight

48. 25 yd Dbl Buff	D Sorter	45	LZ	43	D Hein	38
49. 50 yd Pistol	D Hein	41	J Jacobson	38	LZ	35
50 Clay Pigeons 10 each	LZ	35	D Hein	30	odd man wins	10
51. Aggregate 48-50	LZ	118				

Re-Entries

52. Rusty Trapper 25 yd Squirrel	Delbert	98
53. .40 Cal and under 25 yd Single Bull	J Hanchet	44xx
54. .58 cal and over 25 yd Single 6 Bull	G Millhouse	39
55. Any Cal 50 yd Single Bull	D Hein	45x
56. Men's Pistol 25 yd Single 6 Bull	G Millhouse	45
57. Women's Pistol 25 yd Single 6 bull	na	
58. Women's Rifle 25 yrd Single 6 Bull	T Miller	39
59. X-Sticks 50 yd Single Bull	Misfire	46
60. Jr 25 yd Grizzly	na	
61. Sub Jr 25 yd Grizzly	na	

62. Zombie Shoot - Lowest 5 shot	Rooster	2 1/8
63. Jr. Golf game - lowest score	C Salzman	15

Men's Hawk

Rooster 9

Women's Hawk

P Sorter 3

Men's Knife

N Bader 5

Women's Knife

P Sorter 3

Traveling Trophy 2012 Winners

Men	A Lawrence
women	T Miller
Jr. Pistol	M Borovatz

2012 BHBML Primitive Shoot

Held at Fort Nowood

15	A Lawrence	1 st Men
15	T Brewster	2nd
15	B Morrison	3rd
14	N Bader	4th
14	M Borovatz	1st Jr
14	J Hanchet	5th
14	Rooster	6th
14	Chris	7th
13	Ginger	1st Women
12	P Tyrell	2nd Women
12	J Miller	8th
12	D Tyrell	9th
12	J Miller	10th
11	C Salzman	2nd Jr
11	K lawerence	3rd Women
10	W Felton	11th
10	M Wooten	12th
9	E Kern	13th
9	T Miller	4th women
9	Brian S	14th
8	Magic	15th
8	Delbert	16th
7	Tom D	17th
4	J Black	5th Women



Tom and Mark Brewster scoring targets. Brewster's also own that ranch that so graciously allows our club to use the great shoot range.



I am showing a new sub-junior Jack Vines how to load gun.



Trying to determine the dominate eye.



Jack Vines First Shot

Mom come look, I hit the target!



SHERIDAN BULL SHOOTERS ELEVENTH ANNUAL PIE SHOOT Saturday, September 8, 2012

The whining & sniveling will start at 10:00 a.m.

\$6.00 FEE FOR ALL DAY

TWO PIE LIMIT

BUT Lots of Quarter Matches

Lots of Shooting!

GREAT FUN

Take 5th Street Exit

**Go West to end of pavement,
continue for 3½ miles on dirt road to gun club
WATCH FOR SIGNS!**



For More Information call Ed Kern @673-1376

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MUZZLE LOADERS ONLY!



Chris Nickelson tapping down the ball



Chris is now trying cross sticks



Chris capping rifle



Dave Hein and Chris indicating he didn't want to look at where his shot scored.



Chris firing rifle



Gary Millhouse shooting his smoothbore.

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Sherring Burke showing the boy's how it is done .



Little Grizzly Trading Tent "Hat Maker"



Pistol a la Millhouse



Family Time, Rod and Caleb Salzman



Tools of the trade

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Important Dates

July

August

September

Sheridan Pie Shoot

DCML Labor Day Weekend Shoot

October

15th is the newsletter deadline

November

Date TBD

Lander Valley Turkey Shoot

December

2013

Jan. 12 and 13 Meat Shoot WRML
Jan 19 and 20 Winter Camp WRML

Thank You!

Carrie Bezold would like to thank everyone for their kind support.

Note from the editor:

The deadline for the November newsletter is Oct. 15th. Digital files is best but you can send info in the mail, email, or special delivery (just kidding). Photos are best in PDF files but word doc and excel files are best for text and shooting results. Please let me know if you have any questions. Comments and suggestions are welcome.
Mel