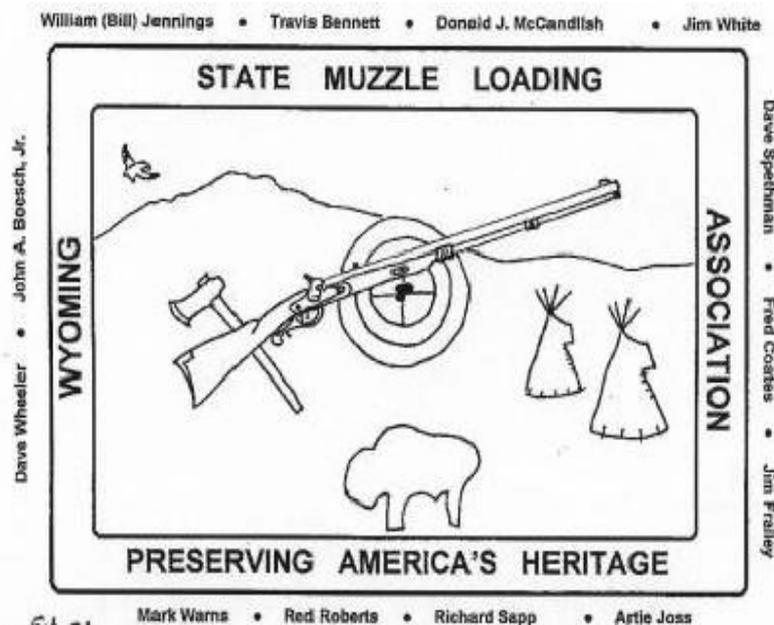


Wyoming State Muzzleloader Association's News

June, 2021



President's Letter:

Boy Howdy!

It sure is great to get back to shooting! The Worland trap and skeet fest was the biggest in 10 years with 25 registered shooters.

Then the Riverton Memorial Day shoot with 72 registered shooters. The weather was great and so was the time spent with friends.

Coming up next is the Deer Creek state shoot at the end of the month.

Saratoga Sierra Madre Rendezvous at Encampment July 23, 24 and 25.

Hope to see you there.

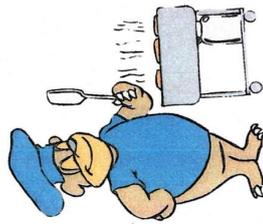
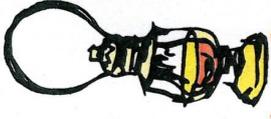
Stay safe and enjoy your summer!

Frank

DEER CREEK MUZZLELOADERS



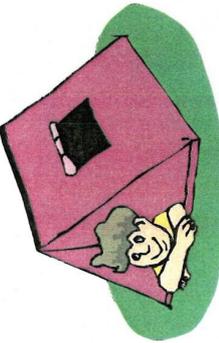
2021 WYOMING STATE SHOOT GLENROCK, WYOMING DEER CREEK MUZZLE LOADERS--HOSTING



JUNE 18, 19 & 20 2021

Some firewood

Bring your own water



Saturday night carry-in dinner

DCML will furnish main course

Primitive & tin teepee camp sites



All shooters welcome, must be State member. Membership sold on site.

For information call Trish @ (307)

234-6591



Take old hwy (20-26) to Glenrock, when you see the cell tower on your left, look for county road 22, turn left, cross river take 2nd road on right (the 1 with the cattle guard). Stay to your left (bumpy road). Go past house. Keep going to range!

DEER CREEK MUZZLELOADERS

EARLY CAMPER COOK-OFF

State Shoot 2021 Glenrock

FRIDAY June 18th COOK 2P.M.-5:00 P.M.

JUDGING STARTS 5:10 P.M.

FIRE MAY BE WOOD OR CHARCOAL

GRILL SMOKE FIRE PIT DUTCH OVEN

MAY FIX WHATEVER FOOD YOU WOULD LIKE

START FIRES 2 P.M. COOK BETWEEN 2 P.M. AND 5:00 P.M.

JUDGING STARTS 5:30 P.M.

RUNNERS WILL BE PICKING UP AT PARTICIPANT'S CAMPSITES

THIS IS A BLIND TASTE TEST

JUDGES WILL BE PROVIDED WITH UTENSILS NEEDED TO SAMPLE

GRAND PRIZE WINNER WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT AWARDS

CEREMONY ON SUNDAY, JUNE 20, 2021

THERE WILL BE 5 COOK-OFF SPOTS AVAILABLE SO GET WITH JANE TO SIGN UP AND GET YOUR CC-O KIT TO COMPETE.

IT'S A FUN FRIDAY EARLY CAMPER COMPETITION AMONG SOME DARN GOOD COOKS.

5 COMPETITORS WILL ALL COMPETE AGAINST EACH OTHER FOR THE GRAND PRIZE AND; OF COURSE, BRAGGIN' RIGHTS.

IF YER WANTIN TO SAMPLE AND SCORE SOME DARN GOOD FOOD---ALSO SIGN UP WITH JANE FOR YOUR SAMPLIN'KIT

3 judges 3 runners

RESULTS FROM TRAP AND SKEET SHOOT IN WORLAND, WYOMING

1	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R		
2	9th Annual Wilds of Wyoming Muzzleloader																		
3	Skeet and Trap Shoot April 23-25, 2021																		
4	Skeet Matches	Men Percussion 16 Bird	Men Flint 16 Bird	Men 14 Bird Report Doubles	Trap Matches			Men's 10 Bird, 10 yrd, Original Gun	Men's 10 yd, 15 Bird, Original Gun	Men's 10 Bird, 16 yrd, Any Gun	Men's 15 Bird, 16 yrd, Any Gun	Men's 10 Bird, 10 yrd, Traditional Gun	Men's 10 Bird, 16 yrd, Traditional Gun	Men's 15 Bird, 16 yrd, Traditional Gun	Men's 10 Bird, 10 yrd, Flintlock	Men's 15 Bird, Flintlock	Women's Trap 10 Bird 10 yd	Women's Trap 15 bird 16 yd	Cartridge 25 Bird, 16 yrd.
5		Match 1	Match 2	Match 3		Match 7	Match 8	Match 9	Match 10	Match 11	Match 12	Match 13	Match 14	Match 15	Match 17	Match 18	Match 20		
6	Ace Redman	4		3					1	6			6					15	
7	David Kriest	7		4				3	6	5	5	4							
8	Nick Elzay					6	11											11	
9	Frank Elzay					9	10						4					20	
10	Steve Kerpan					6				6			6						
11	Gary Millhouse	12	4	8		8	8	2					7					16	
12	Jerry Ackley	7				6	8						3	10				11	
13	Ethan Kolacny					10		7	5	7								20	
14	Ned Dun					7		5											
15	Jr. Molina								9	9			3					13	
16	Bob Haugen	9		3		1	13	6		7								14	
17	Steve Haugen	6		5		6	11	7	9	9	7	8						19	
18	Jonathan Haugen					4	10	7	6									11	
19	Trish Miller														2				
20	Les Duck Daniels									3									
21	Crystal Gillen														5	3			
22	Gary Gillen	5				6	9	3	6									7	
23	Sandra Ladwig	5		6											6	4		8	
24	Shawn Rothmeyer	5		6				5	7	1	6	11						14	
25	Mark Lewis						4												
26	Rich Wormington					7				5									
27	Robert Marchant							4		8									
28	David Langerman					3	6						0						
29	Conor Jacobson					7												12	
30	Duck Shoot																		
31	Ethan/Bubba	14	2nd																
32	Gary/Jr	15	1st																
33	Gpoop/Conor	9	3rd																
34	Ace/David	8																	
35	Millhouse/Shawn	9																	

WIND RIVER MUZZLELOADERS

RIVERTON, WYOMING

WRML MEMORIAL DAY 2021 SHOOT RESULTS								Page 1
Agg & Match		1st Place	Score	2nd Place	Score	3rd Place	Score	
MEN'S PERCUSSION								
Match 1	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Robert Kiermann	43	Braeden Cash	42x	Claude Tyrvell	42	
Match 2	50yd 6 Bull 7ring	Bryan Youngberg	39	Matthew Dillion	38	Rich Worthington	37	
Match 3	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Claude Tyrvell	48	Robert Kiermann	45xx	Whiskey Bill	45	
Match 4	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Robert Kiermann	30	Ed Kern	25	Jim Hatchett	23	
Match 5	Aggregate	Robert Kiermann	140xx					
Men's Flint								
Match 6	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Jim Hatchett	42	Rabbit	39	Sun Dog	0	
Match 7	50yd 6 Bull 7ring	Rabbit	26	Jim Hatchett	26	Sun Dog	18	
Match 8	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Rabbit	42	Sun Dog	33	Jim Hatchett	30	
Match 9	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Rabbit	33	Jim Hatchett	19	Sun Dog	0	
Match 10	Aggregate	Rabbit	140					
Women's Agg								
Match 11	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Gail Cash	42	Josie Cash	37	Trish Miller	35	
Match 12	25yd S Bull 8 ring	Josie Cash	49x	Trish Miller	47	Cindy Sander	46	
Match 13	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Josie Cash	42	Gail Cash	42	Trish Miller	37	
Match 14	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Josie Cash	27	Cindy Sander	11	Trish Miller	6	
Match 15	Aggregate	Josie Cash	155x					
Jr Agg								
Match 16	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Benjamin Shade	33	Aeidi Shade	16	Kylee Lehto	8	
Match 17	25yd Single Bull 8 ring	Benjamin Shade	47	M J Wski	44	Kylee Lehto	39	
Match 18	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Benjamin Shade	27	M J Wski	26	Aeidi Shade	18	
Match 19	Aggregate	Benjamin Shade	107					
Sub-Jr Agg								
Match 20	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Hailey Wski	37	Katie Cash	36x	Garett Henderson	15	
Match 21	25yd Single Bull 8 ring	Katie Cash	47xx	Hailey Wski	47	Drake Lassiter	33	
Match 22	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Katie Cash	40	Hailey Wski	37x	Garett Henderson	0	
Match 23	Aggregate	Katie Cash	123xx					
Small Bore Agg								
Match 24	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Braeden Cash	44	Dusty Cash	43	Rabbit	43	
Match 25	50yd S Bull 8 ring	Jim McFarlane	46xx	Rabbit	42x	Claude Tyrvell	42	
Match 26	Aggregate	Rabbit	85x					

WRML MEMORIAL DAY 2021 SHOOT RESULTS							Page 2
Agg & Match		1st Place	Score	2nd Place	Score	3rd Place	Score
Big Bore Agg							
Match 27	50yd S Bull 8 ring	Robert Kiermann	44	Gabe Cash	43x	Dusty Cash	42
Match 28	100yd S Bull 7 ring	Robert Kiermann	33	Dusty Cash	18	Jim McFarlane	16
Match 29	Aggregate	Robert Kiermann	77				
MEN'S FLINT PISTOL							
Match 30	25 yd Pistol	Nick LZ	61	Frank LZ	55x	Gary Gillen	12
Match 31	50 yd Pistol	Nick LZ	53	Frank LZ	30	Gary Gillen	16
Match 32	Aggregate	Nick LZ	114				
MEN'S PERCUSSION PISTOL							
Match 33	25 yd pistol	John Shade	74	Bryan Youngberg	74	Claude Tyrvell	71x
Match 34	50 yd pistol	Gary Gillen	60	Claude Tyrvell	41	John Shade	35
Match 35	Aggregate	Gary Gillen	121				
MEN'S REVOLVER PISTOL							
Match 36	25 yd pistol	Gary Gillen	61	Levi Henderson	53	Frank LZ	41
Match 37	50 yd pistol	Frank LZ	30	Levi Henderson	13	John Shade	13
Match 38	Aggregate	Frank LZ	71				
WOMEN'S FLINT PISTOL							
Match 39	25 yd pistol	JJ Brunson	15	Robyn Brunson	12		
Match 40	50 yd pistol						
Match 41	Aggregate	JJ Brunson					
WOMEN' PERCUSSION PISTOL							
Match 42	25 yd pistol	Claudia Bonella	43	Echo VanFossen	18	Jessie Rider	14
Match 43	50 yd pistol	Claudia Bonella	51	Echo VanFossen	18	Jessie Rider	7
Match 44	Aggregate	Claudia Bonella	94				
WOMEN'S REVOLVER PISTOL							
Match 45	25 yd Pistol	Crystal Gillen	56	Aeidi Shade	36x	Cindy Sander	31
Match 46	50 yd Pistol	Cindy Sander	22	Crystal Gillen	13	Aeidi Shade	0
Match 47	Aggregate	Crystal Gillen	69				
JR PISTOL							
Match 48	25 yd Pistol						
Match 49	50 yd Pistol						
Match 50	Aggregate						

WRML MEMORIAL DAY 2021 SHOOT RESULTS							Page 3
		Re-Entries				Smooth Bore Aggregate	
Match 51	Traveling Trophy	Name	Score			Frank LZ 81x	1st
Men's	25 yd Dbl Buff	Jim McFarlane	49x			Nick LZ 79x	2nd
Women's	25 yd Dbl Buff	Jane Black	47			Sourdough Dave 69	3rd
Jr	25 yd Dbl Buff	Tristen Anderson	47xx				
Sub Jr	25 yd Dbl Buff						
Match 52	.40 Cal. & under	25 yd Single 6 Bull 8 Ring Black		Claude Tyrvell	42		
Match 53	.58 Cal. & over	50 yd Single Bull 8 Ring Black		Robert Kiermann	45		
Match 54	Any Cal	50 yd Tim's Choice Bottle Target		Bryan Youngberg	30		
Match 55	Man & Woman	25 yd Double Buffalo		Josie Cash & Cole Cash	92x		
Match 56	Any ML Rifle, any position,	100 yd Single Bull 7 Ring Black		Broken Water	43		
Match 57	Jr	50 yd Big Bull		Tristan Anderson	31		
Match 58	Sub-Jr	Large Grizzly		Hailey Wski	49xx		
Match 59	Women's Rifle	25 yd Single 6 Bull 8 Ring Black		Gail Cash	44x		
Match 60	Travis Bennett	50 yd Fer-du-lac		Tim Thornburg	27		
Match 65	Trade Gun			Rabbit	36		
Primitive				Hawk & Knife			
1st	Vlamin	76	Men's Knife	Vlamin	7		
2nd	Mac	45	Men's Hawk	Gabe			
3rd	Sun Dog	4	Ladies Knife	Robyn	3		
			Ladies Hawk				
			JR Hawk				
Mountain Man Run							
1st	William Shade	10					
Last	Echo	-8					
Jr Mountain Man Run							
1st	Heidi	14					
2nd	Jessie	11					
3rd	Garrett	10					

Knife³ Shoot

First Place— Cole Cash 48X

Second Place— Gabe Cash 46

Third Place— Josie Cash 46

Sierra Madre Muzzle Loading Rifle Club 40th Annual Rendezvous July 23, 24 & 25, 2021

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

This Rendezvous has been tentively set for the end of July. However, if the health department or town will not let us have this rendezvous due to COVID19, it will be either cancelled or postponed.

Masks – We will follow the state guidelines

Camping is available. Bring own water and firewood

Dogs are the responsibility of the owner – Leash law strictly enforced!! **NO HORSES**

SHOOTING FEES

Single \$20

Family \$30

Hawk and Knife \$5 each

Frying Pan, Firestarter, Discs Throw \$5 each

NO PEEP SIGHT

ROUND BALL ONLY

RANGE OFFICER'S WORD IS FINAL

KIDS GAMES FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Knife Throw Friday at 3 pm

Hawk Throw on Saturday at 5 pm

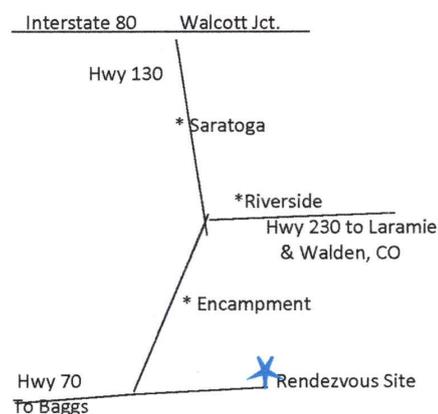
All individual events will have awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place

Men Aggregate - \$200.00 Cash

Women Aggregate- \$200.00 Cash

Junior Aggregate - \$200.00 Cash

Sub-Junior Aggregate - \$200.00 Cash



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PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ALL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

BLAST FROM THE PAST

A page from 1987 Muzzle Blasts (NMLRA) courtesy of Frank Elzay.

Member Get A Member

I have heard reports that there could be over 6 million muzzleloading guns in the U.S. I own several muzzleloading guns myself and I'm sure many of you own more than one muzzleloader. I do believe there are over 2 million muzzleloading gun owners in this country alone. Each and everyone of these people is a potential NMLRA member.

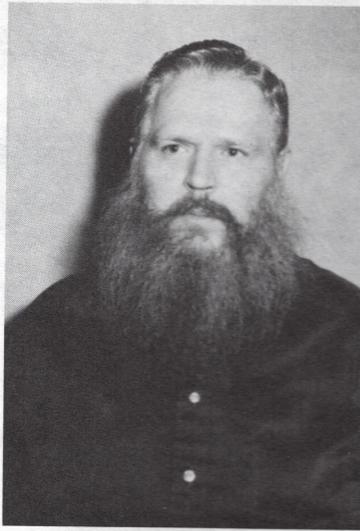
Who should be invited to join NMLRA? My answer to that question is very simple. Any person who owns a muzzleloading gun should belong to NMLRA. Any person who is interested in history should belong. How can we get people to join NMLRA?

NMLRA is nothing more than 25,000 plus members who share a common interest. We are hunters, serious competitive shooters, buckskinners, history buffs, gun collectors, hunter education teachers, readers of *Muzzle Blasts*, and a variety of other special interest. We all share one thing in common. *We are the NMLRA.*

Let me tell you how you can get 2 members for NMLRA:

(1) Please remember to renew your own membership. We need you to stay active in NMLRA. The economy is bad in Wyoming and I know it is bad in other parts of this country. Some families just don't have \$19.75 to spare. A friend of mine stays in NMLRA by a gift from his wife. Membership in NMLRA from January to June is his birthday gift and July to December is his Christmas gift. When you renew your membership, you have a member for NMLRA.

Fill out a membership blank for



A. J. White

yourself and have it ready to give to a rich relative who is looking for gift ideas. Of course, if your family is like mine, you may find you are the rich relative in the family. Then you must approach other means to fund your membership.

(2) For your second member you have two areas to search. Former members are a rich field of possible candidates. Ask friends if they remembered to renew their membership. If they aren't current members, give them an application blank.

When you meet someone who is interested in muzzleloading or new to muzzleloading, tell them about NMLRA. They may not even know that there is an NMLRA. Show them a copy of *Muzzle Blasts*. Give

them a membership application blank and explain to them why you belong to NMLRA. Let them know that for less than 6¢ per day, they can also be members of NMLRA.

I believe NMLRA has something to offer to each and every person who owns a muzzleloading gun. Muzzleloading is fun. All you have to do is experience it. I wouldn't trade my past, present and future memories related to muzzleloading for anything. You can create your own wealth of memories by being active in local clubs, state associations, and by joining and being active in NMLRA on a national basis.

I live in Wyoming and I believe in NMLRA. NMLRA is truly a national organization. Each person who belongs to NMLRA adds to its strength as a national voice. If NMLRA is to continue to grow, it is up to each of us to tell others about NMLRA. Please join me in the member-get-a-member program.

A. J. White

NMLRA member since 1972, former NMLRA Field Rep. for Wyoming, former NMLRA Election Steward, current NMLRA Board Member, Life Member of NRA and NMLRA, Member of Wind River Muzzleloaders of Riverton, Wyoming.

Charter member, former board member, former president of the Wyoming State Muzzle Loading Association.

Muzzleloading board member for the Wyoming State Shooting Association.

A former school teacher and school principal now engaged full time in muzzleloading business. Owner of White's Buffalo Sporting Goods.

Hobbies-Interest: Hunting with flintlock, gun collecting, collecting antique beads and Hunter Safety Education Teacher for 14 years.

Membership Blank

Send \$19.75 to NMLRA, P.O. Box 67, Friendship, IN 47021.

New Renewal

Your Name: _____

Street Or RFD: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

We now accept VISA/MC. Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Make Checks or Money Orders payable to NMLRA.



Big Horn Basin Muzzleloaders

Willie Felton Memorial

Est. 1986-2021 33rd Annual Primitive Shoot

August 21-22, 2021

Potluck dinner Saturday evening, meat provided

The members of the BHBML invite you and your family to participate in our annual primitive shoot at the Brewster Ranch, located on the Lower Nowood Road, Ten Sleep, WY. Primitive and tin-tipi camping available. Wood available. Bring plenty of water as it can be very warm this time of year. We are a small club with an excellent shooting range. Come and enjoy the BHBML shooting range on the lower Nowood River.

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

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 match will be a blanket shoot. Please bring a prize valued at \$15.00 or cash.** Paper Matches \$2.00, each match, half money goes to a pot for each match. Winner gets the pot.

Registration fee \$10.00 per family.

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. Willie Felton Rusty Trapper age 55 and older-25 yd. crow
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. Traveling Trophy 25 yd. Double Buffalo. \$2.00 a target. **Must be or will be a WSMLA member**

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NAMES OF CHILDREN (living at home): _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ CELL: _____ WSMLA# _____

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NRA# _____ EXPIRATION DATE: _____

NMLRA# _____ EXPIRATION DATE: _____

LOCAL CLUB AFFILIATION: _____

Membership fee is \$25 \$20 if 65 years or over Make checks out to the WSMLA

I wish to receive the newsletter by postal service YES _____ NO _____

The WSMLA newsletter is now available for your convenience online at:
<http://www.wyomingmuzzleloaders.com>

Memberships are free for active military, junior and sub-junior shooters. You still need to fill out the form listed above and request membership in the WSMLA.

If mailing, please complete the above membership form and send along with your check to:

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