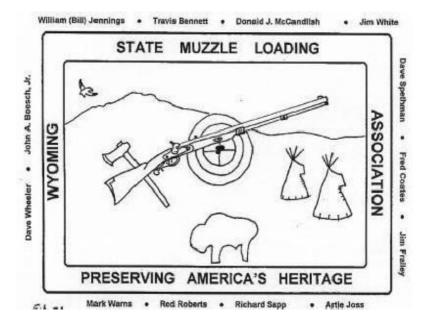
# Wyoming State Muzzleloader Association's News July, 2018



Several Wyoming State Muzzle Loader shoots are well underway, for the summer. Iam hoping that you took and will take the opportunity to attend shoots that were and that are being hosted around the state. It certainly is a great way to catch up with old fellow friends, and make great new friends. It is also nice to see some of the youngsters actually becoming old enough to start to shoot competitively. And boy are they excited to shoot, and compete. Ihope they enjoy the sport as we, the older generations have enjoyed, and I hope that they will continue to be involved in for years to come.

Please send me any information or pictures that you have taken this summer at the Wyoming State Shoots, and from your local shoots as well. Send me the information at WsmlaNews@gmail.com and I will certainly try to put the information in the newsletter.

Until the next newsletter,

Happy Shooting, Sandy Ladwig.

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Iusually would have our President use this space for a letter to all of you, but I decided to use this space in this newsletter to actually introduce our State Board Members.



Meet our President, Mr. Gary Millhouse. He is from Saratoga, and a member of the Sierra Madre Muzzle Loaders Club. He is very active in the Wyoming State Muzzle Loaders Association also. If there is a shoot to attend, you can almost always find Gary at the shoot.



The Treasurer for the Wyoming State Muzzle Loaders is Crystal Gillen. She is a great treasurer, who is always on the ball and has it rolling before any one else. Crystal is from Saratoga, and a member of the Sierra Madre Muzzle Loaders, in which she is very active. She will be on the board for at least one more year, until 2019. In January of this year at the Wyoming State Muzzleloaders Convention, we welcomed a new member to the State Board. Welcome, Rich Wormington. He is now our new Vice President. Rich is from Lovell, and has a passion for making long bows. I Hope he will enjoy being a part of the State Muzzle Loaders.





The Secretary for the Wyoming State Muzzle Loaders is Paula Sorter. She is a past President of the Wyoming State Muzzle Loaders. Paula is also a member of the Deer Creek Muzzle Loaders Club. Paula may not always shoot at the shoots, but is always there to lend a helping hand, and help where it is needed. She will be on the state board until 2019.

### Other Board Members:

Trish Miller, is the Director/ Convention Chair. Term expires in 2020.



Ed Kern is the Director/ Auction Chair. Term expires in 2021.



Melissa Connely is the Director/ Traveling Trophy Chair. Term expires in 2021.

Brian Speicher is the Director/ Entertainment Chair. Term expires in 2021.



Mr. Magic Mike Johnson is the Director/Photo Contest Chair. Term expires in 2020.





Sandy Ladwig is the Director/ Newsletter Editor. Term expires in 2020.



Bill Morrison is the Past President, and is the Director/State Website. Term expires in 2019.

Frank Elzay who I could not find a picture of ..... Who goes by LZ, is the Director. Term expires in 2019.

## Shoots from around the State SIERRA MADRE MUZZLE LOADING RIFFLE CLUB

## MONTHLY SHOOT SCHEDULE 2018

JULY 20, 21 & 22 – SMMLRC Mountain Man Rendezvous at Encampment, WY

## AUGUST, SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER – NO SHOOTS

NOVEMBER 11 – Mike Underwood Memorial Shoot

DECEMBER 9 – Christmas Shoot and Christmas Party

### ADDITIONAL CLUB SHOOTS FOR 2018

JULY	12th – 21st Rocky Mountain Nationals - Creede. CO 11th – 15th Trap and Skeet Shoot - Kremmling, CO
AUGUST	10th – 12th Tensleep Shoot Brewster Ranch - Tensleep, WY 25th – 26th Bench Shoot – Powell, WY
SEPTEMBE	R 8th Sheridan Pie Shoot – Sheridan, WY
NOVEMBER	4th Big Horn Basin Turkey Shoot – Tensleep, WY
	4th DCML Turkey Shoot – Glenrock, WY 11th Riverton Turkey Shoot – Riverton, WY 18th Lander Turkey Shoot – Lander, WY 18th Sheridan Turkey Shoot – Sheridan, WY
President: Vice Preside	Josh Saier (307) 326-5503 Int: Crystal Gillen (307) 329-6968

Secretary/Treasurer: Joe Morrison (307) 329-7944

## Clubs at a local level.....

SMMLRC has some great shoots coming up. Crystal sent some great pictures from their Christmas Party. Thank you for letting us know what is going on with your local club.



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#### Wyoming Muzzleloader Skeet and Trap Shoot

#### April 27-29, 2018

#### Worland

The 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Wyoming Muzzleloader Skeet and Trap Shoot was held at the Worland Shooting Complex April 27-29, 2018. The Worland Shooting Complex is very accommodating to our group of Muzzle loading shotgun shooters. We have free range use of the Skeet and Trap houses with nominal fees per round. This year the weather was warm and beautiful and everyone had a great time.

The shoot is planned by Frank Elzay who puts a lot of time and effort to be sure the shoot runs smoothly. Frank is a very enthusiastic muzzle loading shot gun shooter and inspires the other shooters. The shooters find new participants every year.

On the Worland front Bill Morrison makes sure the complex is ready and that the participants get fed. Friday noon, he barbequed hot dogs and brats with chips and cookies. There are donuts Saturday morning and for lunch there were cold cut sandwiches on Hawaiian rolls. Jeannie Dunn made deviled eggs that were a real hit. (Thanks, Jeannie.) Sunday morning brings more donuts and there are always leftovers for lunch.

It's time to socialize Friday and Saturday night for many of the group. Friday found eleven hungry people at the local Chinese restaurant the Golden Dragon. It must be a favorite stop since the owner was having fun sharing banter with everyone. The food was good and plentiful so everyone was pleasantly stuffed. Saturday found the group at Rumors for dinner. The waitress was very attentive and made the meal quite enjoyable. It is so nice to visit with muzzle loaders from across the state. There were shooters from Billings,MT, down to Saratoga and many areas in-between.

A big thank you goes to Claude Tyrell and Jerry Weatherbee for helping to pull pigeons and scoring the matches. Also thanks to Jeannie Dunn and Marge Wormington for working the registration table. These events don't happen without those behind the scenes workers.

We encourage more of you to come next year to give a muzzleloader shotgun a try. If you don't have a gun you can try one of the ones there. You might find you enjoy a new aspect of muzzle loading.

Thanks to Bill Morrison, for letting us know how the Skeet and Trap Shoot went in Worland.





Annual Muzzle Loading Shot Gun Shoot

	#1 match	#2 match	#3 match	#7match						
1	Gary G	Gary M	Gary G	LZ						
2	Bob		Bob	Bob						
3	Steve		Gary M	Ned						
	#9 match	#10 match	#11 match	#12match						
1	Robert	Gary M	Gary M	Gary M						
2	Gary G	Gary G	Steve							
3	Duck	Duck	Duck							
	#14 match	#15 match	#19 match	#20match						
1	LZ	LZ	Steve	LZ						
2	Gary M	Al	LZ	Gary M						
3	Steve		Gary G	Gary G						
	Matches									
1	Skeet Low Gun									
2	Men Skeet 16 Bird Flint									
3	Men skeet 14 Bird									
7	Trap 10 Yard 10 Birds									
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15 Trap 15 Bird 10 Yd

19 Duck Shoot 10 Bird 10 Yd

20 Black Powder Cartridge 25 Bird 16



## More Shoot Results from around the State.

	WRMLA MEMORIAL DAY 2018 SHOOT RESULTS										
Agg & Match	2015	1st Place	Score	2nd Place	Score	3rd Place	Score				
Bob Hampton				*							
Match 1	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Gary Gillen	44	Bryan Youngberg	43x	Jim Hanchett	41				
Match 2	50yd 6 Bull 7ring	Bryan Youngberg	34	Jim McFarlane	32	Tailgunner	32				
Match 3	50yd S Buff 8 ring	Bryan Youngberg	46	Tim Thornburg	26	CJ Watterson	24				
	100yd S Bull				20	Co Watterson	24				
Match 4	7 ring	Mac McAdams	32								
Match 5	Aggregate	Josh Lehto	144								
Ladies Agg											
Match 6	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Gail Cash	47	April Crump	45	Betty Hovey	37				
Match 7	25yd S Bull 8 ring	April Crump	48	Cindy sander	43x	Jane Black	42				
Match 8	50yd S Buff 8		37	April Crump	35	Cindy Sanders	32				
	ring 100yd S Bull	Jesse Ryder									
Match 9	7 ring	Cindy Sander	19	Gail Cash	16	Jane Black	8				
Match 10	Aggregate	April Crump	135								
Jr											
Match 11	25yd 6 Bull 8 ring	Ashton Gorley	41	Josie Cash	37	Nathaniel Clark	17				
	Single Bull 8										
Match 12	ring 50yd S Buff 8	Ashton Gorley	45	Braeden Cash	43	Josie Cash	41				
Match 13	ring	Braeden Cash	36	Josie Cash	29	Ashton Gorley	26				
Match 14	Aggregate	Braeden Cash	116								
Sub-Jr Agg		-									
Match 15	25yd 6 Bull 8	Katelyn Crump	36	MJ Wski	23	Katie Cash	22				
	ring Single Bull 8										
Match 16	ring 50yd S Buff 8	MJ Wski	44	Katelyn Crump	40	Katie Cash	28				
Match 17	ring	Katelyn Crump	30	MJ Wski	21	Katie Cash	13				
Match 18	Aggregate	Katelyn Crump	106								
Travis Bennett	Small Bore										
Small Bore Agg	25yd 6 Bull 8										
Match 19	ring 50yd S Bull 8	JQC Cash	48	Brian Speicher	44x	Jim Hanchett	40				
Match 20	50yd S Bull 8 ring	Rabbit	45x	Jim Hanchett	45	JQC Cash	43x				
Match 21	Aggregate	JQC Cash	91x								
Big Bore Agg											
	50yd S Bull 8			Colo Colo		Mießing					
Match 22	ring 100yd S Bull	Vern Fauss	43	Gabe Cash	42x	Misfire	41				
Match 23	7 ring	Vern Fauss	28	Gary Millhouse	24	Misfire	15				
Match 24	Aggregate	Vern Fauss	71								
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## WRMLA MEMORIAL DAY SHOOT RESULTS

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Agg & Match	2015	1st Place	Score	2nd Place	Score	3rd Place	Score			
MEN'S FLINT PI	STOL			•						
Match 25	25 yd Pistol	Bryan Youngberg	88	Gary Millhouse	85					
Match 26	50 yd Pistol	Bryan Youngberg	49	Gary Millhouse	48					
Match 27	Aggregate	Bryan Youngberg	137							
MEN'S PERCUS										
PISTOL		C M"III								
Match 28	25 yd Pistol	Gary Millhouse		Brian Speicher	80	Gary Gillen	78xx			
Match 29	50 yd Pistol	Jake Stetler	60	Brian Speicher	43	Gary Millhouse	38			
Match 30	Aggregate	Jake Stetler	129							
MEN'S REVOLV	ER PISTOL									
Match 31	25 yd Pistol	Gary Millhouse	91x	David Kriest	58x	John Shade	38			
Match 32	50 yd Pistol	Gary Millhouse	71	David Kriest	18	Zieb Stetler	18			
Match 33	Aggregate	Gary Millhouse	162x							
WOMEN'S FLIN	T PISTOL									
Match 34	25 yd Pistol	NONE								
Match 35	50 yd Pistol									
Match 36	Aggregate									
WOMEN' PERCI	JSSION PISTOL									
Match 37	25 yd Pistol	Cindy Sander	65	Claudia Bonella	35	Crystal Gillen	27			
Match 38	50 yd Pistol	Claudia Bonella	48	Cindy Sander	21	Crystal Gillen	14			
Match 39	Aggregate	Cindy Sander	86							
WOMEN'S REVO										
PISTOL										
Match 40	25 yd Pistol	April Crump	71							
Match 41	50 yd Pistol	April Crump	47							
Match 42	Aggregate	April Crump	118							
Jr Pistol										
Match 43	25 yd Pistol	Shannon Crump	67	Benjamin Shade	45	William Shade	45			
Match 44	50 yd Pistol	William Shade	24	Shannon Crump	11	Benjamin Shade	10			
Match 45	Aggregate	Shannon Crump	78							
Trade Gun										
Match 46	25 yd Buff	Mac McAdams	43	Gary Millhouse	34	Old Hide	32			
Match47	50 yd Pistol	Frank Elzay	35	Old Hide	32	Mac McAdams	31			
	Clay Pigeons	cancelled								
	Gongs	cancelled								
Match 48	Aggregate	Mac McAdams	74							

## WRMLA MEMORIAL DAY SHOOT RESULTS

			RMLA MEN	ORIAL DAY 2018 SHOOT RESU	II TS	Page 3
<b>Re-Entries</b>		1st Only	Score		 Page 5	
State Traveling Trophy	Qualifiers	25 yd Doouble Buffalo				
Match 49	Men	CJ Watterson	48	1. Sec. 1.		
Match 49	Women	Jane Black	45			
Match 49	Junior	Tristen Anderson	38			
Match 49	Sub Junior	NONE				
Match 50	.40 Cal. & under	JQC Cash	45			
Match 51	.58 Cal. & over	Misfire	42			
Match 52	Any Cal 50yd	JQC Cash	32			
Match 53	Men's Any Pistol	Gary Millhouse	19			
Match 54	Man & Woman	Dusty & Gail Cash	95x			
Match 55	Any ML Rifle100yd	Jim McFarlane	41x			
Match 56	Jr. 25yd Grizzly	Ashton Gorley	42x			
Match 57	Sub-Jr 25yd Grizzly	Katelyn Crump	31x			
Match 58		Mac McAdams	44			
Match 59	Women's Rifle	Josie Cash	36			
Match 60	Women's Pistol	April Crump	37			
Match 61	Travis Bennett		42			
Primitive						
1 st	Ryan Anderso	n	10			
2 nd	Rich W.		10			
3 rd	CJ Watterson		9			
Aggregate	CJ Watterson		27			
	Men's Knife	Gabe Cash	Men's Ha	wk Mac McAdams		
		Jane Black	Ladies H			
	JR Hawk	William Shade				
Mountain Man R	un					 
	1st	Mac McAdams				
	2nd	Rabbit				
	3rd	Jake Stetler				 
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		Tim Thornburg				 

### WSMLA

## Memorial Day Shoot Minutes

## Sunday, May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Meeting was called to order at 12:18

Roll Call: President, Gary Millhouse (2020) Secretary , Paula Sorter (2019) Treasurer, Crystal Gillen (2019) Frank Elzay (2019) Bill Morrison (2019) Melissa Connely (2021) absent Trish Miller (2020) absent Ed Kern (2021) Sandy Ladwig (2020) absent Mike "Magic" Johnson (2020) absent Vice President, Rich Wormington (2021) Brian Speicher (2021)

### Minutes:

-Paula Sorter read minutes, Minutes were accepted by Crystal and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Rich, voted on and passed.

### Treasures report:

Crystal read treasures report. Bill moved to accept report, LZ seconded it and motion passed.

### **Committee Reports**

\*Convention—Trish

Nothing to report at this time

\*Auction-Ed

Nothing to report at this time

Entertainment-Brian

Waiting on a number to get ahold of a new group. Also mentioned a DJ for the convention.

\*Photo Contest-Mike Johnson

Nothing to report at this time

\*Newsletter-Sandy

Nothing to report at this time

\*Hats and T-shirts-Paula

Working with new vendor. Found out she broke her leg so will have update at a later time. Received new hats will have at State shoot.

\*Traveling Trophy-Melissa

Nothing to report at this time

\*Historian-

Bill will talk to Lyle about historian artifacts and where to ship them . Looking for suggestions to who to have for historian.

\*Website-Bill

Bill says it is still there! Nothing new at this time

## **OLD Business:**

Received donation request from 4H. It was decided that there will not be any donations given at this time.

## **NEW Business:**

\*Discussion of raffle to raise money for WSMLA. A gun was offered if State buys the parts. It was decided that this be tabled until the State shoot.

\*It was discussed about becoming a charter member with the NMLRA.

\*Receive discounts on targets

\*Only require that 5 members be registered

\*No Fees

\*Award grants

A motion was made by LZ to contact NMLRA to make WSMLA Charter member,  $2^{nd}$  by Bill and passed.

\*Under Hammer concern? Will discuss this more at the general meeting during convention.

\*It was brought up about asking school districts for money under the Recreation board. This is a good way to keep kids busy and teach them something new. Just an idea to help with prizes and grants.

Motion to adjourn by LZ, seconded by Crystal at 1:10pm. Next Meeting June 17th at 12:00 p.m.

For those of you wondering who was underneath the moose bag, in the last newsletter..... The picture was taken at Winter Challenge. The moose hide was donated by Rod Dye, and the moose bag was made by Shawn Rothmeyer, and Joel Eldred thought it would be pretty fun to put it over his head, and hide his face.



So congrats to you if you guessed correctly.



## 2018 State Shoot

This years State Shoot was hosted by Deer Creek Muzzle Loaders near Glenrock . It was a great time to be able to get together with old friends,





and it was hopeful that some new friends were made. Fun was shared by all ages : from the youngsters that were finally old enough to shoot , to the old folks that were just glad to be able to attend the shoot. There was a competition shoot, a primitive shoot, a ladies shoot, a Hawk and knife competition, and even a cook off competition. Hope all had a great time.







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Traveling Trophy Quali fi ers fo r 2019-B ri an Con nely 46 Match 49-Big Bore-Gary Mi Ilhouse 35 x Match 57 - Women's Salute-Trish 30 Match 58- Women's Pottery -Mel Connely 30

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Ma tch 47-Women- Jane 26

Match 48-Any Cal iber - Brian C 36

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# 2018 State Shoot Pictures

A big thank you to Trish Miller for supplying some great state shoot pictures. There was also a raffle that was hosted by Deer Creek Muzzle Loaders. Thank you if you participated in the raffle.

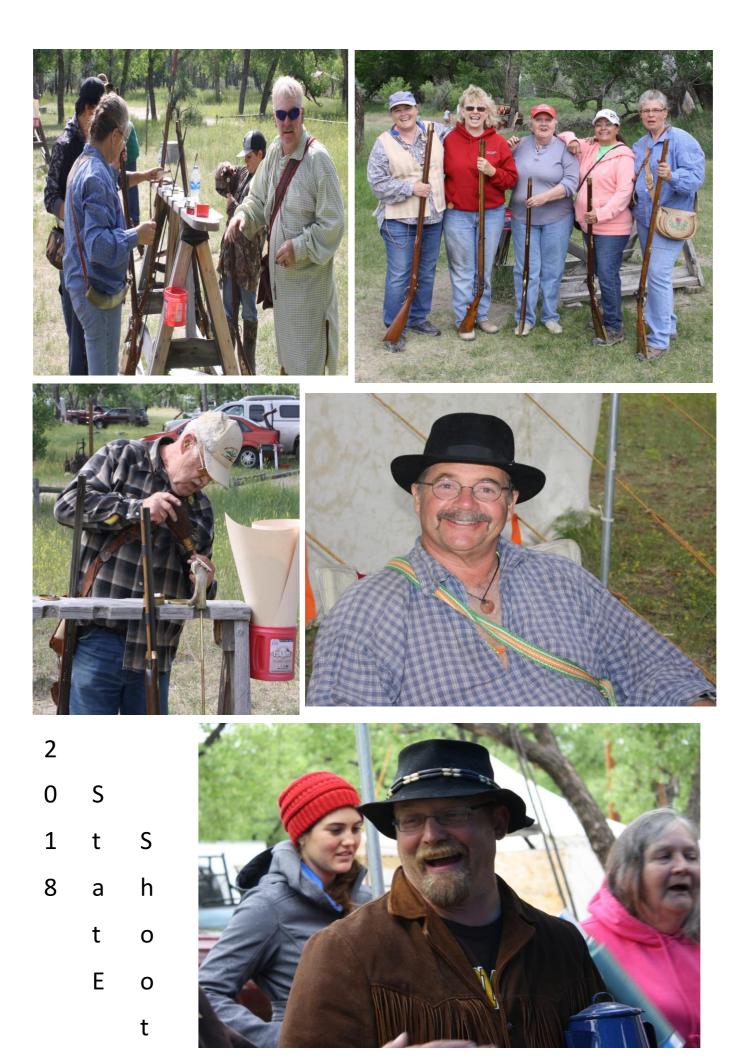






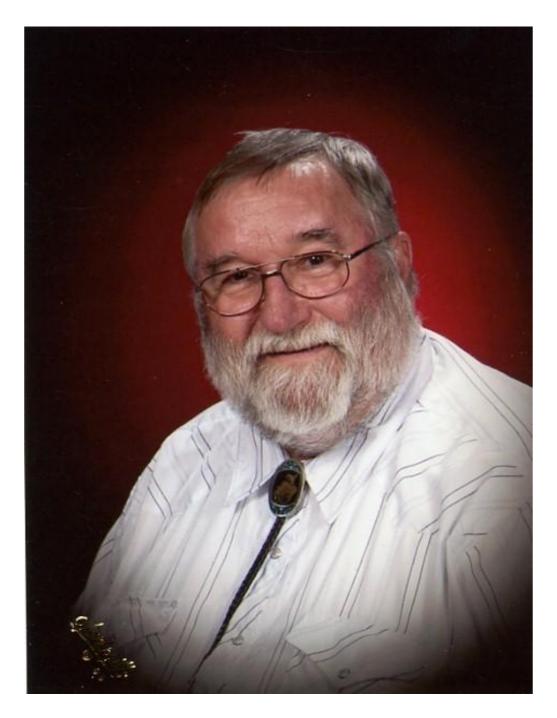






In Sadness....

Our thoughts and prayers go to the John Boesch Jr. family.



## John Boesch, Jr.

May 28, 1938 - May 24, 2018

Guestbook

John A. Boesch, Jr., 80, passed away peacefully May 24, 2018 at his home, surrounded by the love of his family. Services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at Saint John Lutheran Church in Riverton. A reception at the Reach Foundation will follow the Masonic graveside burial ceremony. Donations can be made to the Shriner's Crippled Children's Hospital, in care of Davis Funeral Home.

John was born in Truman, MN. He graduated from Truman HS in MN in 1956 and attended the University of MN 1957-59. He was in the MN Insurance industry for 12 years, moving to Wyoming in 1971.

He established A&B Business Systems in 1979, specializing in office products, electronic and computerized cash register, and a certified consultant for business Software.

He was active in the community in many youth and community organizations: he managed and umpired in the Little League for two years, served as President and Umpire in Chief at the Babe Ruth League and continued to umpire several more years; Jaycees on both the local and state levels; Cub and Boy Scouts; RAT Swim team; member of Riverton Masonic Lodge #26 of A.F. & A.M., past Master of said Lodge for 19000 and 19000, District Education Councilor of the Grand Lodge of Wyoming A.F. & A.M. and local Shriners; Charter member and past President of the Wind River Road Riders; certified Hunter Safety Instructor; Charter member and past President of the Wind River Muzzleloaders, Charter and past President of the Wyoming State Muzzle Loading Association; Founder and Charter Member and past President of the 1838 Rendezvous Association.

John was instrumental in the preservation of the 1838 Rendezvous Association site and the 1838 Rendezvous Association's drive to preserve the area near the confluence and the purchase of the Knight Drive in property as a charter member in the organization of the Wind River Heritage Center; politically active as precinct chair and state delegate for years. In 1994 John & Gerri, were chosen as Royalty for the Riverton Winter Carnival. In 2002 John & Gerri, as a united team, were awarded the Riverton Chamber of Commerce's Lifetime Service Award.

In addition to all his community activities, he enjoyed traveling, shooting and muzzle loading activities, and motorcycling around the world. He & Gerri traveled to Russia, Austria, Italy, and Germany, riding their motorcycle through the Swiss Alps and all the way to Alaska.

John is survived by wife Gerri; daughters, Giny (Pete) Sciurca, Julie (Ray) Buller, Jr. and Jodi Reed (Steve Peay); son John (Lisa) Boesch; granddaughter Lexi Andrea James; grandsons, Brandon (Kaya) and Jake (Samantha) Reed, Nick Sciurca, and Cody Boesch; great grandson Ethan Reed; sister, Darla (Bob) Algoe, nieces Kelley, Tammy, Erin; sister-in-law, Margie Nusbaum and nephews, Larry, Steve, Jim; Brother-in-law, John Brenner and nephews, Tim & Dave.

John was preceded in death by his parents.

On-line condolences may be made to the family at www.TheDavisFuneralHome.com.

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## **Upcoming Events:**

## WSMLA SHOOT DATES 2018

July: -12<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Rocky Mtn Nationals, Creede CO -20<sup>th</sup> -22<sup>nd</sup> Sierra Madre Shoot

August -10<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> Tensleep <sup>th</sup> Powell

Bench shoot

September: -8<sup>th</sup>

Sheridan Pie Shoot

## October:

## November:

-4<sup>th</sup>-BigHorn Basin Turkey Shoot

-4<sup>th</sup>-DCML Turkey Shoot

-11<sup>th</sup> Riverton Turkey Shoot

-11<sup>th</sup> Sierra Madre/Mike Underwood Shoot

-18<sup>th</sup> Lander Turkey Shoot

-18<sup>th</sup> Sheridan Turkey Shoot

## December:

- 9<sup>th</sup> Sierra Madre Christmas Shoot and Party

SIERRA MADRE MUZZLELOADERS MOUNTAIN MAN RENDEZVOUS

> JULY 20, 21, 22, 2018 Co-Sponsored by the Town of Encampment

and in cooperation with the C.C.V.C.

CAMPING Primitive and Modern All Traders will be asked to donate a prize Drinking water and some firewood available. Dogs are the responsibility of the owner-Leash law strictly enforced!! No horses!

 Pig Roast Saturdav Night - Bring a side dish to share

 Meal Ticket---\$5 pe \_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_under FREE!!!

All individual shoots will have awards for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place!Women's Aggregate - 200.00 CashJunior Aggregate Prize - 200.00 CashMen's Aggregate - 200.00 CashSub-Junior Aggregate Prize - 200.00 Cash

KI DS GAMES FRIDA SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Inife Throw Fri and Lawk Throw Sat for \$200.00 in Cash 3 PM and 5 PM

NO PEEP SIGHTS ROUNDBALLO LY RANGE OFFICExS WORD IS FINAL! Single - \$20.00 Family - \$30.00 Hawk & Knife. only - \$5.00 Frying Pan T row - \$5.00



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#### Big Horn Basin Muzzleloaders Willie Felton Memorial Est. 1986-2018 32nd Annual Primitive Shoot August 10-12, 2018

#### 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 availab le. 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 traditiona l Muzzle Loading events is planned. Primitive match will be a blanket shoot. Please bring a prize valued at \$15.00 or cash. Paper Matches \$1.00, each match , 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.

- I. Willie Felton 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. sma ll 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 Pis tol 25 yd. pistol target
- 9. Women's pisto l 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

Contact: Bill Morrison 307-431-5614 or Tom Brewster 307-388-0891

# BIG HORN MUZZLELQ DER BENCH SHOOT

August 25th & 26th 2018 Matches Begin at 10am at the Heart Mountain Shooting Range 981 Road 5, Powell, Wyoming

### TARGETS

RULES:

Yrds. 50 6 Bull 75 Buffalo Double Bull 100 Buffalo (100) 150 50 yrd Pistol

#### 200 200 yrd ML

# ENTRY FI!I!: \$2&

For More Information Call:

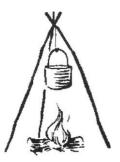
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- 1. Keep fire arms up & down range.
- 2. Everyone here is a safety officer.
- 3. While posting targets stay away from guns.
- 4. Have Fun!

#### EQUIPMENT

- 1. Load into Muzzle
- 2. Patch & Round Ball only
- 3. Any Iron sight
- 4. Black Powder or a Substitute.
- 5. Flint or Percussion.
- 6. Scopes & In-line will be a different class.
- 7. NML rules apply.

Pistol & Rifle Matchs Awards Given to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place Shooters Re-Entry Targets on Sunday with 100% Pay-,back!



Dinner will be provided Saturday after the shoot along with scores and aV\rards.



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If anyone has a shoot flyer or an event that you know that is coming up please contact me, so I can put the information in the newsletter. You can contact me at WsmlaNews@gmail.com.