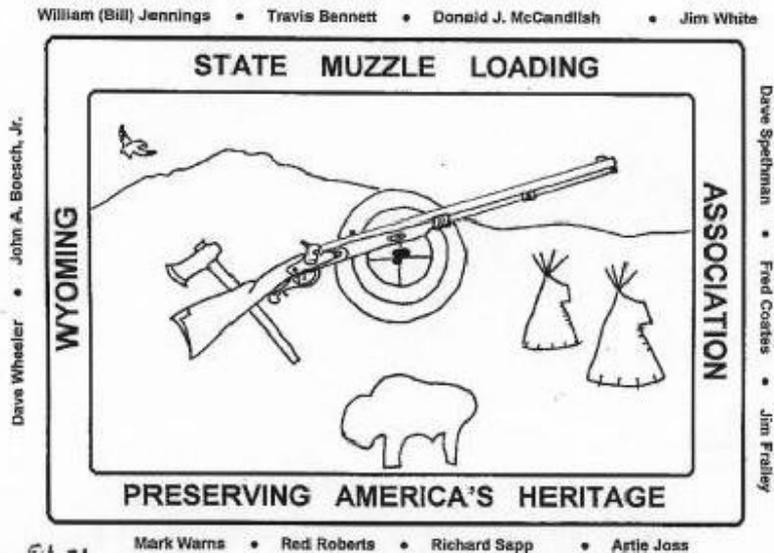


Wyoming State Muzzleloader Association's News

April, 2018



The new year is here and we have had a lot going on for the Wyoming State Muzzle Loaders. We have had convention come and go. We welcomed two new members to the State Board. Rich Wormington, and Brian Speicher, and we welcome a new President; Gary Millhouse, We had a great time at convention. It was nice to see old traders, and to have a few new traders join in all the fun.

February brought winter, and the George Walker Winter Challenge. There were five men's teams and one women's team that participated.

Be sure to look in the following pages of the newsletter, to see what shoots are coming up, and I hope that all of you plan on attending at least one state sanctioned shoot this year. If you have any flyers that you want to put in the newsletter of your upcoming shoots please send them my way at WsmfaNews@gmail.com.

So until the next newsletter,

Happy Shooting, Sandy Ladwig.

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Hello from your new president, Gary.

I was elected at the Sunday Board Meeting at which I was not present. Keeping in mind in the future if you are not at the meeting, you could be elected into a position. I hope I can do as good a job as Bill did.

Each year from early December into mid-January, I am in Pennsylvania with family and friends. This is also the time of the year when we butcher beef and hogs. The hog butchering is done the old way. We cook head meat, make scrapple, puddin, cure hams and bacons and we render the lard which gives you cracklings. All of this is done in iron kettles over a wood fire. The old style of butchering is a dying art.

While in Pennsylvania, we visited Scott at Colerain Barrels and saw how the rifle barrels were made. Of course, we had to donate a little money to him.

I would like to thank the old and new board members for their contribution to the State Muzzleloaders. I hear that the convention went well other than a few glitches.

The turn out this year was down somewhat do to the Hotel losing the convention dates. This was not Trish's fault.

I am looking forward to the Winter Challenge shoot on February 16, 17 and 18th. Don't forget to mention Winter Challenge to the front desk if you are planning on staying at the Ramkota.

Sorry for hearing there will be no Ed Green shoot in May. This was a good family shoot with lots of fun. Thanks to Verlin and Karen Danner and the Sheridan club for 10 good years. Hopefully, this shoot will be brought back next year.

I am looking forward to seeing everybody at this year's shoots.

Gary Millhouse
President

Convention 2018



Convention was a fun filled weekend this year. It was held January 5th, 6th, and 7th. Everyone who attended seemed to have a great time, with seminars to attend, a photo contest that you could have entered, a floor full of great traders, and vendors, a dinner , auction, and dance. The number of vendors were down, but the floor was still full of great product to look through and buy.

The state Board had their annual meetings, and the general meeting was also held.

Two new members were welcomed to the State Board. Brian Speicher, from Deer Creek Muzzle Loaders, and Rich Wormington , from Lovell, and we also have a new President, Gary Millhouse from Saratoga. So to all of you, Welcome, and we hope to make 2018 a great year.







State Board Meeting Minutes

June 2017

Wyoming State Shoot – Glenrock, WY

Meeting Minutes

June 17, 2017

- Historian: Lyle – Lyle resigned as historian. Bill made suggestions on who we could get to fill the position with, he will work on it.
- Web Site: Bill – Bill thinks everything is going ok, but he needs new pictures.
- **Old Business:**
 - Club insurance was brought up again and Trish said she would give Bruce contact information for Jerry Ackley and Lockton Insurance.
 - Sandy asked if the seating that was allowed for cross-sticks was for every cross-sticks match, it was answered that yes it was for every cross-sticks match.
 - It was asked if they could use a recoil pad, it was determined that they could as long as there were no peep sites.
 - Trish brought up that rulebooks were ordered for DCML and suggested other clubs order them as well so they all know the rules.
 - Bill brought up that the Wyoming 4 – H foundation asked for a donation. It was brought up that we said we would not be giving any donations this year.
 - The Parkway Plaza sent a letter asking us to hold our annual meeting there again. Everyone agreed that we are happy with Ramkota and have signed a contract with them.
- **New Business:**
 - Magic asked if we've had to tap into a CD before it was due and Crystal said we did last year. Magic asked if we could have a rotation on CDs that come due every 6 months. Melissa noted that they were put in how they were now to receive better returns. Crystal said the next one that will come due is in August 30, 2017. Melissa suggested we shop around for CDs that might have better interest rates. Crystal said she would shop around.
 - Bill's club has two gun builders so he thought they could build guns for the club to raffle but it wouldn't be donated. We discussed pros and cons of raffles and buying things to raffle versus receiving donations to raffle. Melissa said we would have to sell items outside of the group and sell items that people outside of the group would be interested in. Magic suggested we have a meeting Friday night at convention to get people together to discuss fundraising ideas. Sandy suggested we do silent auction items next year at convention. Bill tasked the group to think about ideas to make more money.
 - The meeting was adjourned at 1:12 p.m.

State Board Meeting Minutes

January 5, 2018

Wyoming State Muzzle Loading Association State Convention – Casper, Wyoming Friday, January 5, 2018

- The meeting was called to order by President Bill Morrison at 7:00 p.m.
- **Roll Call:**
 - Present:
 - Bill Morrison
 - Trish Miller
 - Paula Sorter
 - Ed Kern
 - Crystal Gillen
 - Magic Johnson
 - Sandy Ladwig
 - Melissa Connely
 - Frank Elzay
 - Katie Vaporis
 - Not Present:
 - Gary Millhouse
 - Bruce Schwindt
- **Minutes:**
 - Katie read the minutes from the State Shoot in June of 2017.
 - Sandy made a correction to the minutes stating she had been present.
 - Melissa made a motion to accept the meeting minutes as corrected, Paula seconded the motion, it was voted upon and passed.
- **Treasure's Report:**
 - Crystal read the treasure's report.
 - Insurance options were discussed. Lockton Insurance was too expensive for the State so the state went with Laramie Investments for \$1,081.34 for one year of insurance.
 - Traveling Trophy funds were discussed.
 - Magic made a motion to accept the treasure's report. Trish seconded the motion; it was voted upon and passed.
- **Committee Reports:**
 - Convention – Trish:
 - 29 Traders are registered for this year's convention. 3 more would have been present but had to cancel for health reasons.
 - Dinner will be at 5 pm Saturday, January 6, 2018. The charge will be \$23 per person (12 and under are free).
 - 3 seminars will be offered on Saturday, January 6th.
 - Advertisement for this convention was in newspapers, on the radio, TV, and Facebook.

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Wyoming State Muzzle Loading Association State Convention – Casper, Wyoming Friday, January 5, 2018

- The general meeting will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, January 6th in the Wyoming Theater Room at the Ramkota. A microphone will be available.
- Prizes will be given out during the general meeting.
- The convention contract is set for January of 2019.
- Entertainment – Paula:
 - Swing sounds is ready to go for Saturday, January 6th.
- Auction – Ed:
 - This year Ed will have bid sheets available for people to bid on auction items before the live auction begins. Those bid sheets will then be used to start the live auction bidding.
 - Ed also would like to ensure that every bidder has a number before the auction begins to avoid confusion and help the process go faster.
 - He can always use more volunteers such as spotters.
- Photo Contest – Magic:
 - Magic said next year there will be a 3 year old restriction on pictures entered into the contest. Pictures entered must have been taken within the last 3 years. Everyone agreed this was a good idea.
- Newsletter – Sandy:
 - Sandy will be collecting flyers to ensure she has current/upcoming shoot information to include in the next newsletter.
 - The main issue Sandy is facing is the fact that people send her information in all different programs/formats. It was suggested that she request everything be sent to her in PDF format.
- Hats and T-Shirts – Paula:
 - There is a new company out of Glenrock that is doing the printing of our shirts now. She said so far they are fast and good to work with and it helps us support a local business.
 - Discussion ensued on prices for merchandise. It was brought up that we had decided last year to add just \$5 to the cost of the merchandise so the club could make some profit while still providing affordable merchandise.
- Traveling Trophy and State Trophies – Melissa:
 - Awards can be confusing because State Awards go from Convention to Convention, whereas the Traveling Trophy goes from State Shoot to State Shoot. In order to circumvent confusion Melissa proposed a procedural change be implemented for the Traveling Trophy. Melissa created a form for each club to use when they have a Traveling Trophy shoot.

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Wyoming State Muzzle Loading Association State Convention – Casper, Wyoming Friday, January 5, 2018

- Clubs will fill out this form and send the form with the qualifier/winners name, and the money from the Traveling Trophy targets, to Crystal. Crystal moved to accept this procedural change. Paula seconded the motion; it was voted upon and passed.
- Crystal asked for clarification on the cost of the Traveling Trophy target. Clubs may set their own price for the Traveling Trophy target but \$1 of that must be sent in to the State.
 - Discussion ensued about the cost of awards.
 - Historian – Vacant:
 - It was discussed that we need to get the information that was collected and find someone to fill this position.
 - Website – Bill:
 - The website is not very user friendly but he's working with it.
 - **Old Business:**
 - Insurance:
 - This discussion was covered when the treasure's report was read. Our insurance is valid from December 20, 2017 to December 20, 2018.
 - Hotel Issues:
 - The hotel issue has been solved. Our date was changed but room rates were dropped to compensate for this. Trish has already worked with the hotel for the 2019 convention.
 - Increasing Income/Participation:
 - It was discussed that State Membership and participation was down from previous years. While this seems to be a national issue as well it was discussed what could be done at a local level. Suggestions included increasing recruitment and outreach efforts both internally with our own club members as well as externally with other groups. It was noted in the meantime that the State should be very fiscally minded until income/participation increases.
 - Bill spoke with gun builders about making guns to raffle for a fundraiser. However, parts alone would be around \$750 and would require people to commit to sell raffle tickets.
 - Magic made a motion to adjourn, Paula seconded the motion; we adjourned at 8:49 p.m.



Some folks aren't camera shy at all.



And some folks won't look at the camera at all.

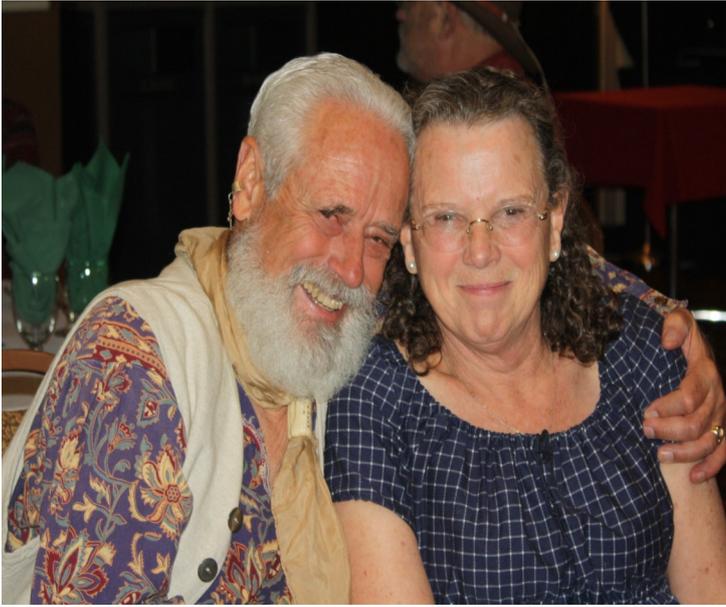


And some folks don't know a camera is in the room.

Hope everyone had a great time at the 2018 Convention and Trader's Fair.



Great Smiles that last miles.



And frowns get turned upside down.



State Board Meeting Minutes

January 6, 2018

WSMLA
State Convention – Casper, Wyoming
Saturday, January 6, 2018

- The meeting was called to order by President Bill Morrison at 1:13 p.m.

- **Roll Call:**

- Present:

- Bill Morrison
 - Paula Sorter
 - Katie Vaporis
 - Ed Kern
 - Trish Miller
 - Crystal Gillen
 - Magic Johnson
 - Sandy Ladwig
 - Melissa Connely
 - Frank Elzay

- Not Present:

- Gary Millhouse
 - Bruce Schwindt



- **Minutes:**

- Katie read the minutes from the meeting held yesterday Friday, January 5th.
 - Magic motioned to accept the minutes as read, Ed seconded the motion, it was voted upon and passed.

- **Treasure's Report:**

- Crystal read the treasure's report.
 - There was a correction that insurance is actually \$1,018.34.
 - Crystal let everyone know that we only have 110 members registered in the state.
 - Brian Connely made a motion to accept the report with the correction of the cost of insurance, Frank Elzay seconded the motion. It was voted upon and passed.

- **Committee Reports:**

- Convention – Trish:
 - We are down a few traders this year due to illness in some of the traders. The floor is fairly full of traders.
 - Entertainment – Paula:
 - ❖ Swing Sounds will be present. They will only charge \$500 which is a good price. Paula asked if anybody had anybody else in mind to play just to let her know.

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State Convention – Casper, Wyoming
Saturday, January 6, 2018

- Auction – Ed:
 - ❖ Donations for the auction are very good this year, very high quality.
- Photo Contest – Magic:
 - ❖ The photo contest this year will be the same as the previous years. Pictures seem to be focusing on one category.
 - ❖ Next year there will a 3 year limit on how old pictures can be.
 - ❖ Voting will be shut down at 3:30 p.m. today.
- Newsletter – Sandy:
 - ❖ First year doing this and she has put out 4 so far. She will collect flyers for shoots. Please let her know if you want them hard copy or via email.
- Hat and T-Shirt – Paula:
 - ❖ A new company is being used and they are printing vinyl designs, which should last longer.
- Traveling Trophy and State Trophies – Melissa Connely:
 - ❖ Melissa explained how the form for the Traveling Trophy would work. Melissa reminded everyone that in order to qualify for the traveling trophy the person must be a paid state member. This procedural change is nothing new; it just helps organize what is already being done. Melissa brought copies for every club.
 - ❖ Plaques for state winners will be mailed out.
- **New Business:**
 - Nominations/Election of Board Members:
 - Brain Connely nominated Melissa Connely.
 - Trish Miller nominated Ed Kern.
 - Kathy Morrison nominated Rich Wormington.
 - Anthony Larvie nominated Two Cups, Two Cups declined.
 - Brian Speicher nominated himself.
 - Brian Connely motioned to close nominations, JR Molina seconded; it was voted upon and passed.
 - State Shoot: Rothmeyer
 - Shawn Ladwig, with DCML, offered to host the State Shoot on the 15-17th of June
 - Shoot Dates:
 - **January:**
 - 14th – Riverton Meat Shoot and Winter Camp
 - **February:**
 - 16th -18th DCML Winter Challenge

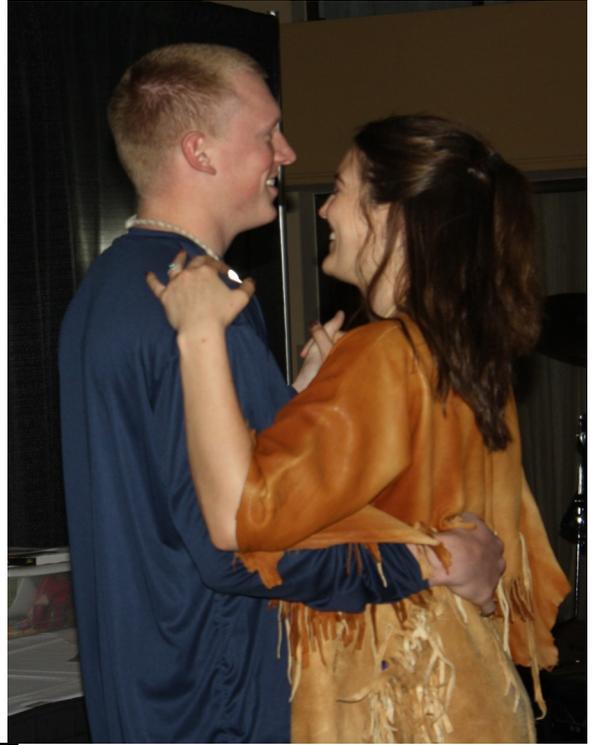
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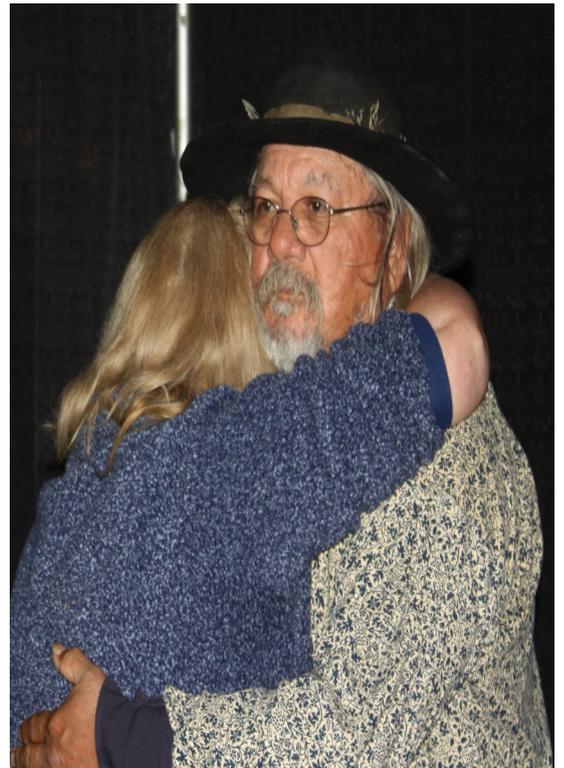
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Saturday, January 6, 2018

- **March:** None so far.
- **April:**
 - 27-29th – Worland Shotgun Shoot
- **May:**
 - 25th -28th Riverton Memorial Day Shoot
- **June:**
 - 15-17th DCML State Shoot
 - June 29th –July 3rd Riverton 1838
- **July:**
 - 12th -21st Creed, Colorado - *Rocky mtn. Nationals*
 - 20th – 22nd Sierra Madre Shoot
- **August:**
 - 10th -12th Tensleep
 - 18th -19th Powell Bench Shoot
- **September:**
 - 8th Sheridan Pie Shoot
- **October:** None so far.
- **November:**
 - 4th Big Horn Basin Turkey Shoot
 - 4th DCML Turkey Shoot
 - 11th Riverton Turkey Shoot
 - 11th Sierra Madre Mike Underwood Memorial Shoot/Turkey Shoot
 - 18th Lander Turkey Shoot
 - 18th Sheridan Turkey Shoot
- **December:**
 - 9th Sierra Madre Christmas Shoot/Christmas Party
- Melissa asked everyone present at the meeting to go back and talk to their members about becoming state members.
- Joel Eldred asked if the state organization were able to be tax deductible, we are not.
- **Door Prizes**
 - Brian won a bottle of Wyoming Whiskey.
 - JR Molina won the box of sausage and cheese.
 - Kathy Morrison won a Vintage Popcorn Popper.
- **Meeting adjourned:**
 - Magic Johnson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Brian Speicher seconded. We adjourned at 2:03 p.m.



Hope to see all of you next year for the 2019 Convention and Traders Fair. For more information contact Trish Miller at (307) 234-6591.



State Board Meeting Minutes

January 7, 2018

WSMLA

State Convention Minutes

Sunday, January 7th, 2018

Meeting was called to order at 8:04

Roll Call: President, Bill Morrison (2019)

Paula Sorter (2019)

Treasurer, Crystal Gillen (2019)

Frank Elzay (2019) absent

Gary Millhouse (2020) absent

Melissa Connely(2021)

Trish Miller(2020)

Ed Kern (2021)

Sandy Ladwig (2020)

Mike "Magic" Johnson (2020)

Rich Wormington (2021)

Brian Speicher (2021)



Minutes:

-Bill Morrison read minutes, corrections were made on Shawn Ladwigs name, and last name is Rothmeyer. Also correction on Date for the Powell Bench Shoot to August 25 & 26 instead of 18th and 19th. Added RMNR to the Creede Shoot.....Rocky Mountain National Rendezvous.

Minutes were accepted by Melissa and 2nd by Mike Johnson, voted on and passed.

Treasures report:

Crystal read treasures report. Corrections were made from the general meeting. meal tickets, 74 tickets total 29 traders tables and dues paid....More money to count and audit. Paula motioned to accept report, Trish seconded it and motion passed.

Committee Reports

*Convention—Trish

3 or 4 traders want certain spots. They are all happy with the convention. Traders were given forms to fill out and make comments. Table costs were discussed and compared with other organizations. Convention is going well.

State Board Meeting Minutes

January 7, 2018

*Auction-Ed

\$2061 was made at auction, \$500 up from last year. Pre-opening bids went well. Will be easier for next year. Some disappointment on how low some of the selling bids was.....Questions about the lighting.

Entertainment-Paula

There were suggestions for a DJ for next year's entertainment...there are CD's with Prickly Pear and more current music to keep up with the times and hopefully entice the younger generations. We will look into it and follow up on it. Another suggestion was Sundowners, a group that plays in Casper. Brian will get info on them.

*Photo Contest-Mike Johnson

Would like more categories. Implementing pictures within 3 years old was a good success. Will have a permanent add in the newsletter and copy of new rules added.

*Newsletter-Sandy

There are a few members not getting newsletter. This will be fixed with a new member list. Any thoughts about selling ads? Also thoughts on cost of newsletters with flyers any thoughts and suggestions welcome.

*Hats and T-shirts-Paula

Have a new vendor. People seem to like the new the new design. New company does not do embroidery so will have to find a new one. Will update at next meeting. Will have new shirts at State Shoot.

*Traveling Trophy-Melissa

The plaques will be sent out in a couple weeks.

*Historian-

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!

Old Business:

*Procedure change for Traveling Trophy....The form will be in the news letter and sent to individual clubs that host a traveling trophy shoot.

State Board Meeting Minutes

January 7, 2018

New Business:

*We are locked in on the Hotel and contract is signed for 2019, Convention will be later in January....NOT FEB!

*Welcome to the New Board Members...Brian Speicher and Rich Wormington

New Officers: Voted

President-Gary Millhouse

Vice President –Rich Wormington

Treasurer-Crystal Gillin

Secretary-Paula Sorter

Motioned to accept by Mike Johnson, seconded by Melissa all in favor and passed



Committees:

Convention-Trish Miller

Auction-Ed Kern

Entertainment- Brian Speicher

Photo Contest-Mike Johnson

Shirts and Hats-Paula Sorter

Traveling Trophy- Melissa Connelly

News Letter- Sandy Ladwig

Website- Bill Morrison

Motion to adjourn by Mike Johnson, seconded by Melissa at 9:05

Next Meeting May 27th at 12:00



The George Walker Winter Challenge



Winter challenge was fun for all of those who competed. There were four men's teams, and one ladies' team.



The real challenge was the morning of the shoot, when everyone who helped set the tents up, thought they had done a great job setting the first tent up when the wind decided to parachute the tent. So great pains were taken to stake the tents down extra good, after moving the tent behind the great Curly Bago camp trailer. Friday brought wind, and Sunday brought snow.



Congrats to Shawn Rothmeyer for qualifying for the Men's Traveling trophy with a score of a 46, and to Melissa Connely for qualifying for the Women's Traveling trophy with a 42X. Congrats to Gary Millhouse for having the highest men's score, of a 314XXX and to Trish Miller for having the highest women's score, of a 181X.



Deer Creek Muzzle Loaders Team #1, placed 1st.



Sierra Madre Team placed 2nd.



Deer Creek Muzzle Loaders Team # 3 placed 3rd.



The Deer Creek Muzzle Loaders Women's Team



Deer Creek Muzzler Loaders Team #2. who worked hard to shoot and had fun messing around.

Can you guess who is under the moose bag face? Correctly answer the question and pat yourself on the back. Answer in the next newsletter. Yes it was taken at Winter Challenge.



Upcoming Events:

WSMLA SHOOT DATES 2018

January: - 14th Riverton Meat Shoot and Winter Camp

February - 16th-18th DCML-George Walker Winter Challenge

March:

April - 27-29th Worland Shotgun shoot

May -25-28 Riverton Memorial Day shoot

June -15-17th DCML State Shoot

-June 29th-July 3rd Riverton 1838

July: -12th-21st Rocky Mtn Nationals, Creede CO

-20th -22nd Sierra Madre Shoot

August -10th -12th Tensleep

-25-26th Powell Bench shoot

September: -8th Sheridan Pie Shoot

October:

November:

-4th-BigHorn Basin Turkey Shoot

-4th-DCML Turkey Shoo

-11th Riverton Turkey Shoot

-11th Sierra Madre/Mike Underwood Shoot

-18th Lander Turkey Shoot

-18th Sheridan Turkey Shoot

December:

- 9th Sierra Madre Christmas Shoot and Party

7th Annual Wild's of Wyoming Muzzleloader Skeet and Trap Shoot April 27-29, 2018



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

Where: Worland, Wyoming, Shooting Complex

3 miles Northwest of Worland on County Rd 15 mile Signs will be posted.

When: April 27-29, 2018. Range will be open at 9:00 am to 5:00 pm on Friday and Saturday. Sunday range will open from 9:00 till noon for shoot offs and awards.

Cost: Entry fees \$20.00 plus \$3.00 per match shot.

If you do not have a smoothbore or shotgun, show up, someone will have one for you to shoot and try out. Powder, shot and caps will be available. We will accept donations to help cover the cost of the powder, shot and caps. This is a family event; we want to encourage more women and youth to participate.

Currently there are 20 scheduled matches. Women: Skeet and Trap, Men's: Skeet and Trap; and Youth; Skeet and Trap. Additional matches for Flintlock and traditional shotguns will be offered. All but one match will be re-entry. You can shoot as many matches as you want. Cost is \$3.00 per round.

Trap Rounds: shoot 10-16 birds per match from 10-16 yards.

Skeet Rounds: will shoot 16 birds regular or 14 bird report doubles.

New for 2018 will be a 5 stand shoot if time and weather allows no awards for 5 stand shoot just fun!

Quick lunch and drinks will be provided on Friday and Saturday. Other meals are on your own.

Prizes: Gold, Silver and Bronze Metals will be awarded to the top 3 of each match. We will also accept donations for additional prizes.

NMLRA Rules:

Worland Shotgun Shoot continued:

Questions Contact:

LZ -307-332-4665

Bill Morrison 307-347-4002 or 307-431-5614

Dry camp is available at the Worland Shooting Complex.

Camping with or without full hookups: Worland Campground 2313 Big Horn Ave, Worland

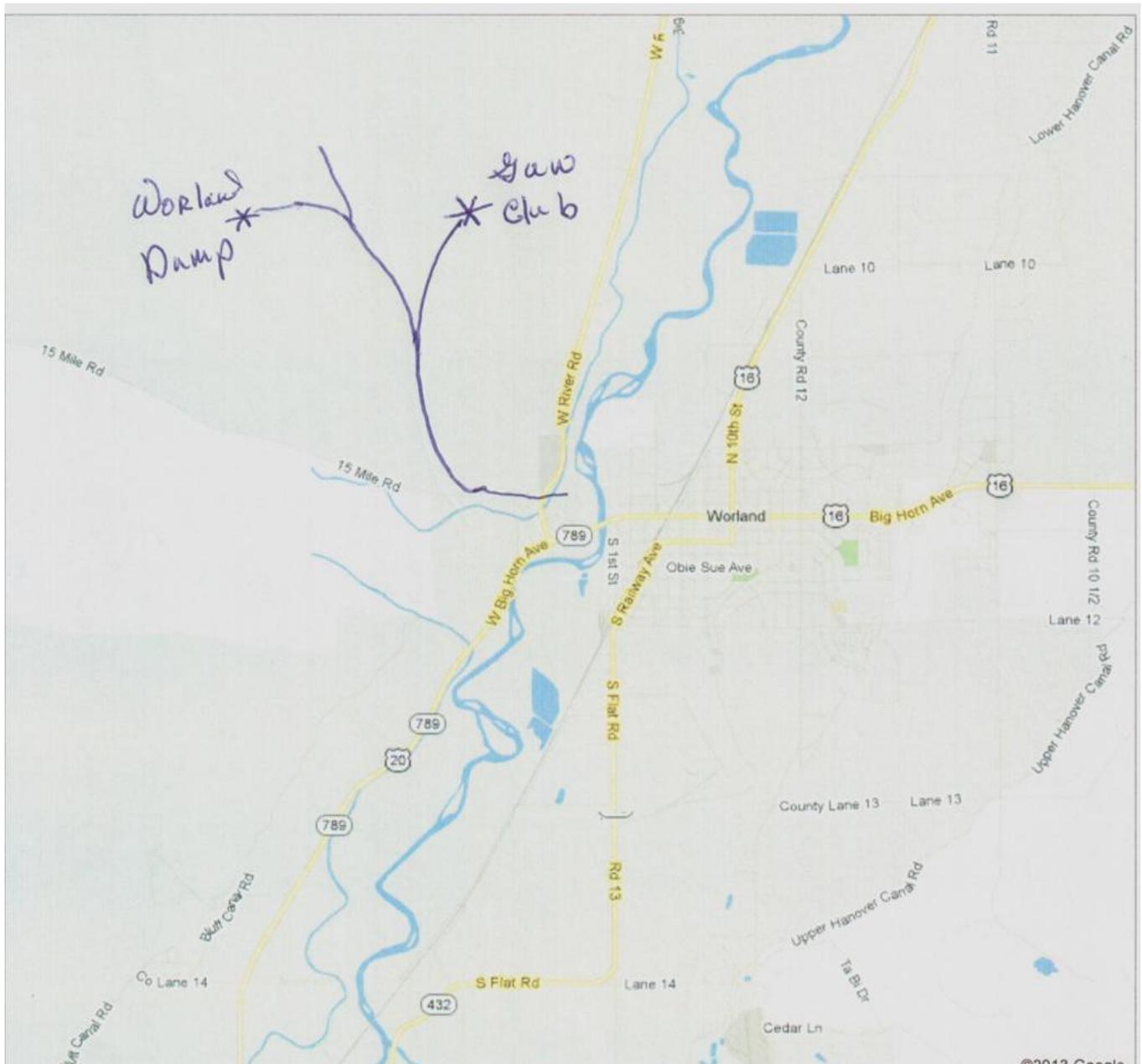
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Hotels:

Town House Motor Inn, 119 N 10th St, Worland, WY 307-347-2426. Regular rate is \$70.00 per night.

Day's Inn, 500 N 10th, Worland, WY 307.347.4251.

Other hotels available.



Wind River Muzzle Loaders MEMORIAL DAY SHOOT

May 25-28, 2018

RIVERTON, WY



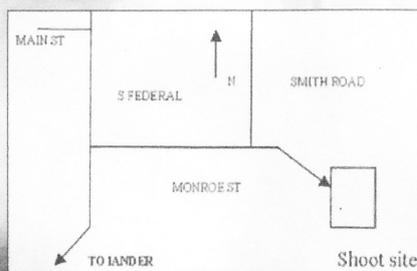
- ★ Evening Council Fire & Activities
- ★ Paper & Primitive Shoots
- ★ Men, Women, Jr & Sub Jr
- ★ Charles Hanson Trade Gun Match
- ★ Hawk & Knife Throw
- ★ Pistol & Revolver
- ★ Kids Games



- ★ Return of the Mountain Man Run
- ★ Calcutta Match
10am on Mon, May 28. Calcutta starts at 9am
- ★ Travis Bennett Memorial Match

Tin Teepee & Primitive Camp
Wood Available - Bring your own water & ice

Information: 307-851-5968



No spotting scopes or loading benches on firing line-
loading from pouch or bag only - range officer is the law.
Traditional rifle and pistol-patched round ball only.
Prizes will be awarded on May 28 following the knife shoot.



Renegade Gun
GAIL H. CASH • 2

WYOMING STATE MUZZLE LOADERS STATE SHOOT GLENROCK, WYOMING

SHOOT DATE JUNE 15 THRU JUNE 17, 2018

SHOOTING TIMES

FRIDAY THE 15TH - NOON TIL 5 PM

SATURDAY THE 16TH - 8:00 AM TIL 5 PM

DINNER SATURDAY NIGHT WILL BE 5:30ISH

SUNDAY THE 17TH - 8:00 AM TIL NOON

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED (IF YOU LEFT ANY)

AWARDS WILL BE AFTER LUNCH

\$5.00 registration fee per person/\$20.00 per family

All targets \$2.00 including aggregate

All re-entries \$2.00

Camping is free (tin teepee & primitive)

Some firewood

No Water

Dogs welcome & must be on leash

Please, NO horses

Our range is still in the same GREAT place!!

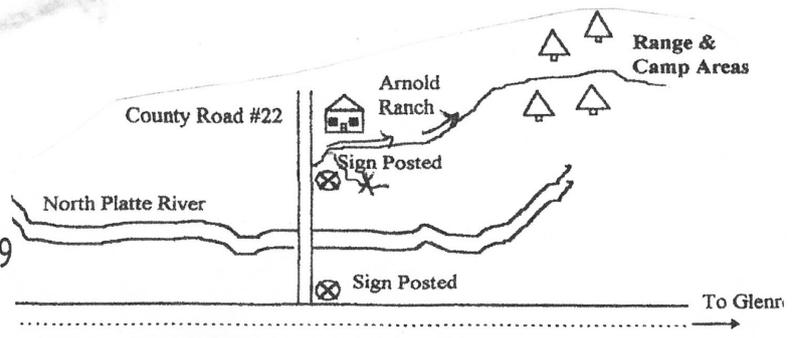
EARLY CAMPER COOK-OFF - info: JANE BLACK
(307) 673-1376

WE HAVE
A RAFFLE!

For information:

Shawn Rothmeyer (307) 267-4879

Trisha Miller (307) 234-6591



1838 Rendezvous!

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.

Closed to public on July 2 - 3

Parade and Opening Ceremony: July 4

Camp Activities: July 4 - July 7, 2018

2019 Rendezvous: July 1 - July 6, 2019

Period Seminars

Primitive Black Powder Shooting Matches, Hawk & Knife throwing, training & competitions, Nightly Council Fire, Pre-1840 Trade Goods, Water available

For more information, news, discussions & updates:

www.1838rendezvous.com

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ljclark@yahoo.com

Phone: (435) 724-0098

Segundo: Josh "Silent Scout" Lehto

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JULY 20, 21, 22, 2018

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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 Saturday Night – Bring a side dish to share
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

KIDS GAMES FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

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

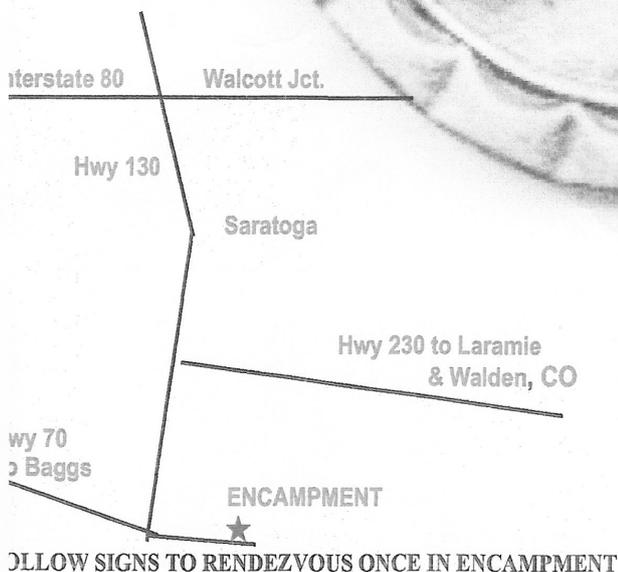
Single - \$20.00

Family - \$30.00

Hawk & Knife only - \$5.00

Frying Pan Throw - \$5.00

PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ALL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES



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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 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 \$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.

1. 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. 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**

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

BIG HORN MUZZLELOADER BENCH SHOOT



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

TARGETS

Yrds.

- | | |
|-----|---------------------|
| 50 | 6 Bull |
| 75 | Buffalo Double Bull |
| 100 | Buffalo (100) |
| 150 | 50 yrd Pistol |
| 200 | 200 yrd ML |

RULES:

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.

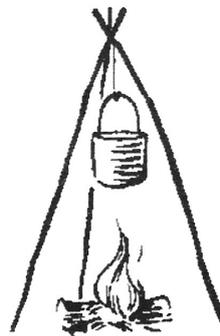
Pistol & Rifle Matches

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

ENTRY FEE: \$25

For More Information Call:

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Dinner
will be provided
Saturday after the shoot
along with scores and
awards.



The Buckhorn Skinners

Sponsor The Annual

Colorado Squirrel Rifle Championships

April 28 & 29, 2018

SNOW DATE: May 19 & 20, 2018

.40 caliber or smaller -open iron sights - no shades -patched round ball -spotting aids OK
Scoring Posted & Aggregate Re-entry on the Hill
Men Flint & Percussion, Ladies, Juniors & Hunters
Hunters Aggregate -Any Caliber - Cash Pay Back
Mountain Man Walk - Show off your skills

CSMLA Members \$12.00/Aggregate -- Non-Members \$15.00/Aggregate
In- Lines Welcome // Ladies Aggregate -Any Caliber

Juniors (16 & Younger) & Sub-Juniors - \$5.00 - 5 Targets-Any Caliber
Mountain Man Walk -\$5.00 Camping - \$5.00 Registration - \$5.00
Early Setup Fri PM Range Hours : Sat 8 am - 5 pm -- Sun 8 am - 1 pm

LARGEST PRIZE TABLE IN THE REGION

Open to the Public -Spectators FREE & Appreciated
Held at the Most Primitive Range Setting in Colorado
Prize Table Donations Appreciated

Potluck --- 6:30pm Saturday Night at Registration Tent -- Council Fire to Follow

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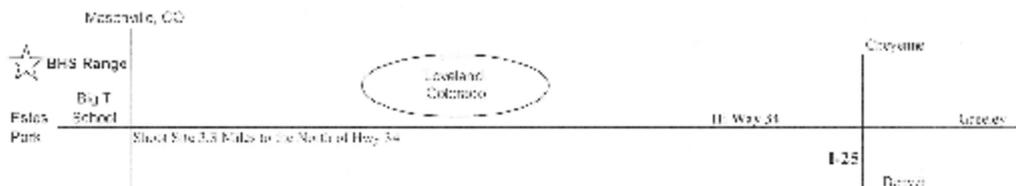
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Don't forget our upcoming events:

March:

April: 27-29th: Worland Shotgun Shoot

May: 25-28th: Riverton Memorial Day Shoot

June: 15-17th: DCML State Shoot

29th –July 3rd: Riverton 1838 Shoot

July: 12-21st: Rocky Mountain Nationals, Creed Co.

20-22: Sierre Madre Muzzleloader Mountain Man Rendezvous

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.

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