## BUCKHORN SKINNERS NEWSLETTER



Notes from the Scribe: Smilin' Brother (Rob D.)

Buckhorn Skinners February Monthly Shoot February 17, 2019

This was a rifle shoot only Period Dress Required Shoot was held by the Hay Field 15 paid competitors 2 Guest Shooters Skinners transportation lined up on the lower range for the shoot

This shoot was co-lead by Darrell (Gutshot) and Chris (Lil John). All hands pitched in and helped set up target stands, a shooting flag, and set the shooting line. Thank you everybody for all the help in making the shoot successful!

The course of fire for the day included 4 targets at 25 yards and 2 targets set at 50 yards. Shooters took 5 shots at each of the 4 targets at 25 yards, 5 shots at each 50-yard target, and 1 shot at a tie-breaker target set at 25 yards. Despite the cold, breezy weather and the bundled up shooters, some fine shooting was done. Congratulations, everybody.

The match started around 10am and was over by 1pm. As per usual, the weather was changing throughout the shoot. When we started shooting, it was sunny and a brisk 21 degrees, with a Southerly breeze blowing. The clouds started building during the shoot and when the sun went behind a cloud, there were lots of cold fingers. There was an abundance of great-looking, colorful capotes at this shoot. along with a nice variety of warm headgear and gloves with the finger tips cut off. Everybody was bundled up except Jerry (Many Trails) who looked plumb comfy shooting in shirt sleeves and without gloves. Oofdah!



When asked about his capote, Carl (Standing Moose) told the story about how his capote was more expensive than expected. Seems that when he was trying it on and dickering on the price, he got so excited about his new capote that he didn't notice that he had lost a

Griz & Smokin'
Toes enjoying a
fine cold
weather shoot

Hunters look for the new updates to the Colorado Regulations for Muzzle Loaders

hearing aid during the negotiations. So, if Standing Moose only seems to be listening with half an ear when he is wearing his capote, now you know why...

Rob (Smiling Brother) interrupted the shoot when he accidentally hit the panic button on his key fob, causing his truck's horn to start honking in a most irritating manner. Of course, with heavy gloves on, Smiling Brother couldn't get in to his pocket to grab the key fob and shut the dang alarm off. Oops. Sorry, guys.

When the shoot ended, it was cloudy, breezy and a balmy 26 degrees. Everybody helped put the shooting stands away and after a short business meeting was held, everybody jumped into warm vehicles and headed home.

The results from the February shoot can be viewed in the Score Sheet below.

February Business Meeting after the Shoot February 17, 2019

Meeting called to order at 1:10pm by our Captain, Erin (Griz)

Treasurer Report No treasurer report was given.

## **Old Business**

March Shoot on March 17 will be lead by Annie and Jerry (Stitches and Many Trails). This shoot may be held at the upper shooting range.

The annual squirrel shoot is coming up on April 27 and 28. Signup sheets for working the squirrel shoot will be coming soon. If people can show up around noon on the Friday before the squirrel shoot (April 26) to help set up, that would be greatly appreciated.

Work days before the Squirrel shoot will be on April 13, 14, and 20.

An Easter Shoot will be held on April 21. Darrell (Gutshot) will lead this shoot. If anybody is interested in helping Darrell this day, please let him know.

## **New Business**

Pat came to the meeting and asked for some help loading 9 bales of hay. That was accomplished.

If you have items for the Squirrel Shoot prize table, please get those to Annie and Jerry (Stitches and Many Trails) as soon as possible.

Rob (Smiling Brother) reported that the bridge at the Fort Lupton shooting range is useable again. The Fort Lupton club has shoots on the second, third, and fourth Saturdays of each month, depending on weather. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday is the paper shoot, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday is the fun shoot, and the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday is a bench-rest shoot. These shoots are open to everybody, you don't need to be a member to participate.

Meeting was adjourned about 1:20 pm.







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Buckhorn Skinners Score Sheet						Date: 2/17/19						Page 1
Shoot Sponsor: Da	Mary and	1 Chris Little			Target #/Name:							
Shooter Name	Member	Shooter	Beer	Bear	Buffalo	Segment	Diamond	Atom			МАТСН	Tie
Please Print	Affiliation	#	1-50yd	2-50yd	3-25yd	4-25yd	5-25yd	6-25yd	7	TOTAL	PLACE	Breaker
Griz	Member	1			12	12	30	22		76		
Standing Moose	Member	2	31	8	6	16	38	18		117		
Bushwacker	Member	3	32	0	16	21	40	14		123	4	
Deacon	Member	4	41	14	29	15	38	12		149	3	
Henry Bielinski	Member	5	35	0	9	24	31	12		111		
Rob Davis	Member	6	34	15	17	26	42	20		154	2	
Dancing Bear	Member	7	25	18	8	19	29	22		121	5	
Stitches	Member	8	8	8	13	7	7	6		49		
Many Trails	Member	9	18	7	11	21	37	0		94		
Mary W.	Member	10		0	3	0	20	6		29		
Michael Tillotson	Proby	11								0		
Dan Spoon	Guest	12	15	25	14	21	20	24		119		
Smokin Toes	Member	13	34	24	18	21	43	20		160	1	
Charlie Altvater	Proby	14			9	15	31			55		
David K.	Guest	15	8							8		
Target Place		1st	4	12	4	6	13	12				
		2nd	5	13	13	5	6	7				
		3rd	6	7	6	13	3	1				

March 17th shoot hosts are Stitches (Annie E.) & Many Trails (Jerry H.)

April 21st shoot host is Gutshot (Darrell K.)

April 26th. 27th & 28th Squirrel Rifle Championship Shoot.

May 4th annual Pistol & Revolver Shoot in Fort Lupton Hosted by Bloody Muzzle (Ron R.)

May 19th shoot hosts are Captain Griz, Michael T. And Brad