

♦Kings River Gazette♦

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WORK PARTY OCTOBER 15, 2000

*(I know I changed the date, but a lot of guys like the Civil War Reenactment)
(Just chalk it up as a senior moment for me OK)*

Start at 8:00

Last work party before the annual match.

Need to clean up the grounds, paint props, knock down some weeds,
last minute repairs to props, if needed.

Bring your paint brushes, weed whackers, hula hoes, wheelbarrows
etc. and come prepared to help out.

The KRR needs you!!

The Blacksmith

Terrible Ted

251-9507



T-Bone Shines

The September match was put on by Match Director T-Bone. To my knowledge, this was T-Bone's first time to do a match by himself. This cowboy hit gold first time out! 55 shooters turned out and shot 5 stages on a **Hot! Hot!** day and I never heard one single complaint. To me this says that in spite of the hot weather, everyone had a good time. That's what we are there for. T-Bone — good job cowboy!

Hardpan has stepped up to take charge of the Goat Roper program. Sure glad to see our younguns' are going to get a chance to enjoy shooting just like us big

kids do.

On October 15 we will have a work-day to clean up, paint up, and get our range ready for Fort Miller 2000. All club members are needed to make this a successful workday. Everyone's help is required to make this event a success. Please help out.

The Mayor has a question — why wouldn't every shooter in our club shoot our annual Fort Miller Shoot?

This is something I have never been able to understand. If you as a shooter enjoy shooting our monthly matches, why wouldn't you want to come to the event that's put on for you to enjoy and that's without a doubt the biggest, most fun event of the year? I would like to encourage everyone — don't worry about the out of towners, don't worry about the scores, come out and have fun and enjoy the sport of cowboy action shooting. Enjoy your club. Don't be left out. Fort Miller 2000 is what it's all about. It's every member's chance to shine and be proud of the KRR. That's the point.

I would like to encourage every shooter, every member of our club, to support FRPC. This is our host range. Without them, we disappear. By supporting FRPC, you are supporting the KRR. If you want a place to continue to shoot, then consider supporting FRPC in every way that you can. This is important to all of us, not just KRR, but all shooters in the valley.

**Proud Member of FRPC
Mayor of KRR
Cole Chance**



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SHOOTING TIME

**APRIL—NOVEMBER
SHOOTERS MEETING**

AT 8:30

SHOOTING STARTS

AT 9:00 AM

Raffle Tickets

Be sure to get your raffle ticket stubs and money to Jessie Montana prior to the Fort Miller shoot. Don't want to cheat anyone out of their chance to win those fine prizes.



Places to Shoot

<<<<Monthly Matches>>>>

1 st Sunday of Month FRPC

Silhouette Range
Long Range

Shooting starts around 9:00 am and goes all day.

1 st Sunday of Month 5 Dogs Creek

Bakersfield, Calif.

2 nd Sunday of Month Chorro Valley Regulators

San Luis Obispo

Need Directions? Call
Riley @ 805-489-4989

3 rd Sunday of Month Kings River Regulators

FRPC Range

15687 Auberry Rd
Clovis, CA

Shooters Meeting 8:30
Shooting starts at 9:00

Contact

Mayor Cole Chance
559-673-7416

====Annuals=====

Fort Miller "2000"
Kings River Regulators
October 27, 28, 29th

Buffalo Shoot and
Cowboy Silhouette-Friday
8 Main Stages Saturday
Side Matches Sunday
Hot showers available
Potluck and entertainment
Saturday night
1st shooter \$65—second shooter \$45
Jr's shoot free
Dry camping available
Contact—Cole Chance
559-673-741

5 Dogs Creek Shootout Nov. 10, 11, 12, 2000

5 Dogs Creek Range

\$75 per shooter

Contact:

Almost Dangerous 760-376-4493

Or Ten Bears 661-589-6838

Camping info contact

5 Dogs Range 661-399-7296

FORT MILLER "2000"

We're planning to set out all the props in the bays on the work party
October 15th.

The steel will be set out on the Thursday
before the match,
October 26th

Come on out and help get things ready for the big day.



Terrible Ted and Lefty Wright prepare to go head-to-head in the speed shotgun event at John Wayne Shoot.

**DON'T FORGETTHE
WORK PARTY
SUNDAY
OCTOBER 15, 2000
STARTS AT 8:00 a.m.
GETTING' READY FOR
THE BIG SHOOT**

Food for Thought

Number of doctors in US-700,000.

Accidental Deaths caused by doctors per year 120,000.

Deaths per doctor per year 0.171
US Dept of Health & Human Services

Number of gun owners in the US
80,000,000.

Number of accidental gun deaths per year (all age groups) 1,500.

Accidental deaths per gun owner
0.0000188.

US Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco & Firearms.

Therefore, doctors are approximately 9,000 times more dangerous than gun owners,

The things you find on the internet!!

New Members

Ben Sitze
Alias: Gunsights
Shoots Traditional

Welcome to the KRR.
Good Shootin'

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ROUND THE CORRAL

Well what a month. If you missed John Wayne, you missed a fun shoot. Those coast cowboys always have some different fun twists to their shoots. We shot off a swinging bridge, pulled arrows out of wounded cowboys, started one stage in a shower and one in an outhouse, shot through the War Wagon and shot at a clay pigeon that was set off by a bowling ball. There was plenty of shooting, with 7 stages on Saturday, 3 on Sunday and lots of side matches. If you didn't get enough shootin' or have any fun, you just wasn't trying.

There was a Plainsman event on Friday and seems like Long Feather had a little trouble. Rumor has it he had bad balls (his new handle Bad Balls Bill), but Wind Dancer said that wasn't so. Seems his cylinder was just messed up.

Beanpot had a small problem too, tried to load two different calibers of ammo in his rifle. Does that work??

Cole Chance cleaned two stages, but he got procedural on both of them. Some days it just don't pay to get out of bed.

Some of the KRR members did real well:

- Jessie Montana—3rd Ladies Traditional
- Ten Bears—3rd in frontier
- Sudden—1st in Seniors
- Tom Dudley Squat—1st in Duelist
- Shiloh-tied with Elrod for 1st in 600 yd. Long-range

There were about 20 shooters from the KRR and everyone seemed to be having a good time.

Closer to home, good to see that Toeless Joe finally got his safe unlocked so he could shoot with us again.

Cole Chance was having a senior moment on Sunday, seems he left the handles to his gun carts and the bags for his used brass at home. Looking at the results, he was shootin' better than he was remembering.

Now as long as we're talking about mishaps, ask Terrible Ted about loadin' blanks in his pistol.

U S Marshall Harden Steele did a little work on Cody Zamora's pistols and it looks like it helped. Cody cleaned her first stage Sunday.



Pitchfork Hayes getting loaded up and ready to shoot

Had a brand new shooter on our posse this month, Pitchfork Hayes. Seems his kids bought him a SASS membership and some gear for Fathers Day. He came out and watched last month and shot his first match with us this month. He's a pretty good shot and was a real willing helper.

What got into Little Elk this month!! That woman was on fire. She finished 17th overall. **Really Good Shootin'.**

I could have given her a run for her money, but seems I had my RO pin on upside down until the 5th stage, couldn't hit the broad side of a barn at 5 feet. That's one excuse no-one has used yet.

Two other new members shot their first match with the KRR this month. Gunsights and El Dorado Cole. I saw



El Dorado Cole

El Dorado Cole after the match and asked if he'd had enough fun to come back again. His reply "sure did".

Good to see Coal Train out shootin' again. We missed you and Cody Coyote.

Congratulations to Michigan Bob, he's been hired by FRPC as the new Range Master. If he works as hard for them as he does for the club, they'll get their moneys worth. Just keep in mind he's a FRPC employee first and KRR member second, he's there to work for all the clubs at the range.

Speaking of the range, if you don't belong, consider it. We need to support FRPC, because if they close down so do we. It's a great place to shoot, and a bargain at only \$90 a year. If you belong to the Range and KRR you can check out the key to the corral and use the cowboy targets on our range to practice. Heck of a deal, how can anyone pass it up??



Shiloh and Elrod tied for 1st place in 600 yd long range at the John Wayne Shoot, and Shiloh did it with a borrowed gun and ammo.



Longbranch, Miss Kitty and Leadfoot enjoying their morning coffee at John Wayne Shoot

**DID I MENTION THERE WAS
GOIN' TO BE A WORK PARTY
OCTOBER 15, 2000
STARTING AT 8:00 A.M.
TERRIBLE TED
251-9507**

KINGS RIVER REGULATORS
OVERALL MATCH RESULTS
September 17, 2000

FIN	ALIAS	NUM	CLASS	STAGE 1		STAGE 2		STAGE 3		STAGE 4		STAGE 5		MATCH TOTAL	
				TIME	RNK	TIME	RNK	TIME	RNK	TIME	RNK	TIME	RNK	TIME	RANK
1	SNAKEBITE	4767	T	33.58	2	50.46	2	36.94	2	40.45	3	31.92	1	193.35	10
2	TOM DOODLEY SQUAT	5035	D	38.38	3	46.27	1	43.34	4	37.18	1	44.85	4	210.02	13
3	LONGBRANCH	12433	T	48.02	5	58.58	6	34.03	1	39.41	2	38.63	3	218.67	17
4	SUDDEN	12166	T	30.34	1	66.06	10	40.21	3	45.30	5	34.74	2	216.65	21
5	SAM LUIS	12788	T	55.32	8	53.82	4	44.84	5	46.59	6	59.16	13	259.73	36
6	PIZMO PETE	**104	T	50.38	7	53.78	3	59.93	21	50.72	10	54.88	9	269.69	50
7	COAL TRAIN	8146	T	68.44	16	59.26	8	51.27	10	53.89	13	46.91	5	279.77	52
8	SHILOH	17515	T	49.47	6	81.97	23	52.37	12	50.24	8	49.98	6	284.03	55
9	T-BONE	**074	T	40.62	4	84.88	29	48.16	6	52.83	12	57.06	10	283.55	61
10	GEO KID	**026	OT	66.34	13	79.99	20	49.75	7	49.09	7	64.35	18	309.52	65
11	JOAQUIN RIVERS	11912	T	64.84	11	55.47	5	62.56	26	44.95	4	67.83	24	295.65	70
12	COLE CHANCE	8243	BP	60.71	10	99.19	37	50.19	8	51.34	11	50.23	7	311.66	73
13	JESSIE MONTANA	8244	W	60.13	9	68.40	13	58.40	18	60.59	21	61.30	14	308.82	75
14	MADERA DAVE	5929	D	66.26	12	66.41	11	60.43	23	59.56	18	66.97	23	319.63	87
15	HOSS	9565	D	67.70	14	68.31	12	50.79	9	63.53	24	74.98	32	325.31	91
16	HANK	7369	D	73.69	22	76.32	17	61.48	25	60.11	20	53.74	8	325.34	92
17	LITTLE ELK	18408	W	102.39	39	79.89	19	58.06	17	50.26	9	57.79	12	348.39	96
18	FLATIRON	7983	T	74.90	25	84.82	28	57.24	14	54.68	14	66.26	20	337.90	101
19	FARGO	18631	T	72.40	20	72.02	16	59.60	19	68.92	31	64.33	17	337.27	103
20	TWO-TOE BILL QUICKSHOT	25358	D	74.08	24	80.16	21	65.17	28	58.26	16	63.47	15	341.14	104
21	JL HANK	7370	J	73.90	23	65.39	9	59.63	20	65.08	28	69.18	25	333.18	105
22	TUCSON SMITH	**075	OT	70.07	17	82.63	25	52.22	11	59.74	19	75.28	33	339.94	105
23	LIL' ANNIE	**113	J	71.75	18	95.90	36	57.50	15	66.49	29	57.75	11	349.39	109
24	TOELESS JOE	8608	OT	82.29	32	58.75	7	61.04	24	68.72	30	65.66	19	336.46	112
25	HAWKEYE O'RILEY	6443	T	85.48	34	69.37	14	57.68	16	61.84	22	74.01	29	348.38	115
26	JUSTICE LOVING	22874	T	76.58	26	69.46	15	60.39	22	69.55	32	73.58	28	349.56	123
27	BEAN POT	6964	T	77.30	28	93.70	35	63.85	27	58.50	17	63.54	16	356.89	123
28	LEADFOOT	5535	T	68.09	15	84.88	29	77.82	36	62.55	23	66.50	21	359.84	124
29	BUCKSKIN	12434	OT	76.66	27	85.43	31	86.08	38	57.52	15	69.52	26	375.21	137
30	TEN BEARS	18407	D	81.09	30	109.19	43	54.49	13	80.85	40	66.85	22	392.47	148
31	HARDPAN CURMUDGEON	8967	M	88.94	35	84.20	27	75.29	32	64.49	26	85.94	40	398.86	160
32	COARSEGOLD KID	**088	T	84.63	33	91.04	33	75.98	34	68.92	31	74.90	31	395.47	162

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33	RUTHLESS RUTH	9015	W	73.10	21	84.91	30	94.28	44	64.23	25	86.47	42	402.99	162
34	MICHIGAN BOB	**114	T	72.23	19	82.45	24	78.21	37	92.40	47	79.17	37	404.46	164
35	TERRIBLE TED	9014	OT	92.24	37	78.80	18	75.37	33	70.32	33	88.61	43	405.34	164
36	RUSTY BUTTERFIELD	18193	T	131.52	48	83.92	26	74.86	31	71.61	36	75.70	34	437.61	175
37	3 FINGERS RED LABEL	9219	D	81.48	31	106.83	41	92.86	42	64.59	27	75.71	35	421.47	176
38	NEEDA TAILOR	8141	W	78.75	29	80.93	22	124.04	53	72.43	37	79.53	38	435.68	179
39	US MARSHAL HARDEN STEELE	28301	T	106.72	41	99.25	38	74.26	30	70.73	35	89.20	44	440.16	188
40	PITCHFORK HAYES	**115	M	109.70	43	90.43	32	68.24	29	70.66	34	120.60	50	459.63	188
41	SIERRA	3229	D	91.76	36	106.99	42	90.91	41	87.64	43	71.67	27	448.97	189
42	ROT GUT CHARLIE	13303	T	97.59	38	100.56	39	93.45	43	79.02	39	76.84	36	447.46	195
43	EL DORADO COLE	**111	T	107.71	42	92.28	34	110.02	49	88.19	44	91.93	46	490.13	215
44	TUOLUMNE LAWMAN	6127	BP	104.10	40	182.28	52	97.69	46	76.56	38	85.00	39	545.63	215
45	DOUBLE FLUSH	**110	T	124.52	46	112.16	44	77.70	35	90.67	46	122.52	51	527.57	222
46	MISS KITTY	**103	W	113.82	44	133.16	50	88.87	40	90.61	45	107.40	48	533.86	227
47	LADY GUNNER	**082	W	147.71	50	121.15	46	119.03	51	122.54	52	74.31	30	584.74	229
48	BEARPAW	7559	OT	122.20	45	122.83	47	87.62	39	103.64	50	114.51	49	550.80	230
49	T COLEMAN ELDER	**090	T	137.57	49	115.42	45	114.21	50	83.43	41	125.21	52	575.84	237
50	DASTARDLY DEVIN	**109	T	175.35	53	131.55	49	96.92	45	100.33	49	86.05	41	590.20	237
51	GUNSIGHTS	**112	T	191.67	54	127.42	48	107.83	48	83.46	42	91.48	45	601.86	237
52	CODY ZAMORA	**087	W	127.95	47	145.49	51	104.04	47	98.32	48	106.89	47	582.69	240
53	SOAPY DEAL	**091	OT	151.23	51	106.16	40	120.08	52	113.67	51	131.11	53	622.25	247
54	CODY COYOTE	**108	J	163.29	52	183.99	53	137.02	54	173.78	53	132.31	54	790.39	266
55	SIOUX CITY SAM	**116	T	204.32	55	240.79	54	226.02	55	192.74	54	222.86	55	1086.73	273

LONG RANGE

Single Shot

1 st Terrible Ted
2 nd Fargo
3 rd Two-Toed Bill Quickshot