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FATHER'S DAY

By: Cole Chance

The Father's Day match was one of the most fun matches I've ever shot at our range. This month's Match Director was Leadfoot. As always, this cowboy puts a lot of thought and work into his matches. I still remember the last match he put on as being one of our best, but he kicked it up a notch this time. Giving everyone a chance to shoot a team match was a good idea, since lots of folks had never done it before. For all those that enjoyed this team match, don't forget Leadfoot is doing our team match at Fort Miller. You know that one will be a real hoot. The can shoot in Bay 4 was super. I would never have imagined those big coffee cans would fly so well. Leadfoot - nobody does it any better! Good job Cowboy!

And thanks to Cindy (Mrs. Leadfoot) for the great chocolate Father's Day cake. Everyone really liked it. You know the way to a cowboy's heart is through his stomach. So Leadfoot, you better look out - there's always cowboys looking for someone who can bake a cake like Cindy!

Beanpot, our good friend, shooting buddy, and founding member of KRR is still under the weather. I'd like to say a big get well to this fine cowboy. Beanpot - get better

soon and come back and play with us. We all miss you pard.

Fort Miller Shootout '03 will be held September 18-21. It's coming soon, so don't be left out on the fun. Sign up now. We mailed out the flyers to all the non-members who shot last year, and the entries are already starting to come in, so sign up early. Also, Jessie is looking for prize donations for the shooter's prize pool. Please help your club out by donating something that you would like to win. If you know of any businesses who would be interested in donating something, they will be recognized in our shooter's booklet, so contact Jessie if you know of anyone.

Several KRR members were absent at this month's match



(boy, did they miss a good one!). Seems they were in Fernley, Nevada at the Western States Championship. Our folks did KRR proud, as they always do at the big out of town matches. Placing well were: SnakeBite - 1st Black Powder and 1st Plainsman, Sudden - 1st Senior, Little Fawn - 1st Junior Girl, Little Gunner - 2nd Junior Girl, Lady Gunner - 4th Senior Ladies, and Pizmo Pete - 5th Traditional. Little Fawn also won Best Dressed Junior in the Costume Contest, and Little Gunner was 2nd. Does anyone see any pattern there in those Fawns and Gunners? Good show ladies, good show gentlemen - and you too SnakeBite. Heard an interesting story about Tucson Smith having to make a special trip to town to get a Snickers bar for Little Fawn. Really worth asking about next time you see him.

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SHOOTING TIME
SHOOTERS
MEETING
8:30
SHOOTING
STARTS
9:00

FOR SALE

**Browning 1885 High-wall
Traditional Hunter
45-70
Long range tang sights**

\$900

**Terrible Ted
(559) 251-9507**

**Winchester 1886
45-70 New Model
Excellent Condition**

\$800

**Shiloh
(559) 734-7500**

Shade

One of the most valuable commodities at the range, besides all the great people, is shade.

Thanks to Sierra and his crew. Fargo, Longbranch, Michigan Bob, Rooster, Rooster Jr. and Terrible Ted, there's a little more shade along the new fence line near HQ.

Doc James, Frisco Frankie and Toby were seen taking good advantage of the new area Sunday. I've heard rumors there are plans to add to the project in the near future.

Thanks guys, it really looks good and will be put to good use during the summer months. Heck it'll make a good place to get in out of the rain next winter too.

Ten Commandments Cowboy Style

1. Just one God.
2. Honor yer Ma & Pa
3. No telling tales or gossipin'
4. Git yourself to Sunday Meeting
5. Put nothin' before God.
6. No follin' around with an other fellow's gal
7. No killin'.
8. Watch ver mouth.
9. Don't take what ain't yers.
10. Don't be hankerin' for yer buddy's stuff.

Poppa Willie gave me this. It's from a USA Today article in March of 2003. These are the Ten Commandments as posted on the wall at Cross Trails Church in Fairlie, Texas

Guess cowboys just kinda tell it like it is!!

THINGS TO WONDER ABOUT.....

- Why is it that rain drops but snow falls?
- What was the best thing before sliced bread?
- Do one legged ducks swim in circles?
- Why do they call it "getting your dog fixed" if afterwards it doesn't work anymore?
- Why do fat chance and slim chance mean the same thing?
- Why is it that when a person tells you there's over a million stars in the universe you believe them, but if someone tells you there's wet paint somewhere, you have to touch it to make sure?
- Who was the first person to look at a cow and say, "I think I'll squeeze these dangly things here, and drink what ever comes out?"



"Well, the sloth nailed him. ... Y'know, ol' Hank never was exactly a 'quick draw.'"

We can thank
Sutter Lawman for
this little bit
of humor.

Hank may not be a
quick draw, but
he's pretty
Accurate once he
gets that hog leg
out of the holster.

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D**ROUND THE CORRAL***By Ruthless Ruth*

One of our Pards is under the weather. Everyone keep a good thought and a prayer in you heart for Beanpot. We miss you guy.

What did Terrible Ted think he was going to do with 2 97's on Bay 1. Seems he went to the loading table with 2 shotguns and no rifle. Those rifle target were a little too far out to get with a shotgun.

Mariposa Slim was sporting a fancy new holster set Sunday. Bootjack Belle said he had a new hat too, seems his other one got crushed when they rolled their truck. Glad the hat was the only part of him that got hurt.

It's been many moons (and suns) since J L Hank shot. Guess the layoff didn't hurt him too much, he finished 12th overall.

Uno Bandito shot his first match with the KRR this month. Caught up with him in the parking lot after the shoot and ask him how his first match went. He said "I'll be back, I can't believe you don't have to pay more to have this much fun".

Terrible Ted is still flying around the ceiling. Finishing 3rd overall really jazzed him up. Hopefully the swelling in his head will go down before next month, he'll never get his hat back on.

**Places
To
Shoot****1st Sat. Sun. of Month
FRPC****Silhouette Range
Long Range****Shooting starts around 9:00 am
And goes all day.****1st Sunday of Month
5 Dogs Creek****Bakersfield****Contact: Ten Bears
(661) 589-6838****2nd Sunday of Month
Chorro Valley Regulators****San Luis Obispo****Contact: Riley
(805) 489-4989****3rd Saturday of Month
Kings River Regulators
Setup day for Sunday match****Start time 8:00 am****New shooters orientation
Starts around 8:30 am****3rd 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****4th Sunday of Month
Two Rivers Posse****Manteca, CA****Contact****Cherokee Knight
(209) 477-8883****ANNUAL MATCHES****Durham Ferry Crossing
Two Rivers Posse
July 3-6, 2003****Manteca Sportsmen Club
Entry forms, etc. available at KRR
Range house
Or contact
Cherokee Knight
(209) 477-8883****Fort Miller 2003"
Sept. 18-21
Kings River Regulators****Long Range-Buffalo shoot
Cowboy silhouette shoot
Cowboy trap shoot
8 stage main match
Side matches
First Shooter \$70
Spouse or S/O \$50
Juniors...FREE****Start thinking what you can do to
help make it a success, and con-
tact Cole Chance to volunteer in
some way.
Cole Chance
673-7416****Calif. State Championship
Shoot-Out at 5 Dogs Creek
Oct. 9-12, 2003****5 Dogs Range, Bakersfield
Entry forms at KRR range
\$100 match fee
\$90 Spouse
\$25 Juniors
Includes dinner Thur Fri and Sat
For info
www.cedarshadows.com**

KINGS RIVER REGULATORS

Overall Match Results

June 15, 2003

MATCH			STAGE 1		STAGE 2		STAGE 3		STAGE 4		MATCH TOTALS		
FINAL	ALIAS		CLASS	TIME	RNK	TIME	RNK	TIME	RNK	TIME	RNK	TIME	PNTS
1	COAL TRAIN	# 8146	49	55.29	1	27.09	1	34.18	2	30.97	1	147.53	5
2	EL MAESTRO	#37731	T	56.95	2	39.35	5	44.19	18	31.90	2	172.39	27
3	TERRIBLE TED	# 9014	OT	61.21	4	44.89	12	38.50	7	39.60	7	184.20	30
4	RATTLESNAKE RIP	# 2547	49	61.46	5	40.07	6	45.03	21	35.00	3	181.56	35
5	COLE CHANCE	# 8243	49	73.70	19	38.77	4	35.54	4	40.40	8	188.41	35
6	JESSIE MONTANA	# 8244	W	65.35	9	37.09	2	40.49	9	47.07	16	190.00	36
7	SIERRA RIDER	# 3101	T	57.78	3	38.47	3	41.16	12	53.75	26	191.16	44
8	MICHIGAN BOB	#40417	T	73.50	18	45.98	13	35.49	3	41.14	10	196.11	44
9	RAMROD	#40599	BP	77.54	25	40.51	7	39.25	8	39.33	6	196.63	46
10	SHILOH	#17515	49	69.82	15	42.99	9	40.81	11	43.26	12	196.88	47
11	MAJOR GREGOR	#42582	T	63.23	6	43.89	10	46.29	24	42.20	11	195.61	51
12	J L HANK	# 7370	J	63.32	8	53.55	25	30.20	1	49.05	17	196.12	51
13	WILDCAT JOHN	#37182	D	69.92	16	43.97	11	41.91	16	41.02	9	196.82	52
14	SMOKUM JOE	#41866	OT	63.30	7	47.72	16	41.87	15	46.69	14	199.58	52
15	PORTUGEE PHILLIPS	#17510	49	65.62	10	48.94	17	37.26	6	49.57	19	201.39	52
16	LEVI LONGNECK	#29531	T	66.30	13	41.36	8	41.54	14	54.58	29	203.78	64
17	TINHORN TUCK	***010	49	75.48	22	68.79	38	36.92	5	38.93	4	220.12	69
18	TALON HAWKE	#41641	OT	67.88	14	55.04	28	48.33	29	39.04	5	210.29	76
19	RUTHLESS RUTH	# 9015	W	66.29	12	54.51	27	46.35	25	51.64	23	218.79	87
20	MUSTANG BUTCH	#36647	T	92.09	34	49.30	18	40.76	10	53.39	25	235.54	87
21	FARGO	#18631	49	66.18	11	47.49	15	47.74	28	67.30	40	228.71	94
22	LIL' ANNIE	***002	J	80.60	27	49.96	19	46.88	26	51.59	22	229.03	94
23	BUCK HANDLER	***006	T	107.35	40	52.98	22	41.33	13	50.39	20	252.05	95
24	HANK	# 7369	D	95.84	35	54.29	26	45.37	22	46.96	15	242.46	98
25	LEADFOOT	# 5535	D	76.46	23	53.50	24	44.42	19	57.42	34	231.80	100
26	FANNIE MOSTLY	#41799	W	80.46	26	53.40	23	45.81	23	54.39	28	234.06	100
27	SHORT THUMB	#45730	T	74.58	21	47.09	14	52.33	31	57.46	35	231.46	101
28	JOAQUIN RIVERS	#11912	D	72.82	17	61.05	35	47.16	27	53.83	27	234.86	106
29	BUCKSKIN	#12434	M	91.00	33	50.82	20	55.02	33	50.59	21	247.43	107
30	CHOCTAW WILLIE	#43063	T	77.49	24	69.71	39	44.49	20	55.97	32	247.66	115
31	HAWKEYE O'RILEY	# 6443	OT	82.79	29	60.04	34	42.04	17	65.31	39	250.18	119
32	DOC JONES	***003	J	88.46	31	52.35	21	60.18	36	55.62	31	256.61	119

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33	JUDGE JEREMIAH STEELE	#42753	49	89.26	32	57.84	32	50.84	30	55.54	30	253.48	124
34	TIPPECANOE SLEW	***004	OT	96.93	37	58.64	33	71.20	41	49.49	18	276.26	129
35	POPPA WILLIE	#47161	M	80.79	28	64.90	36	55.91	34	63.35	37	264.95	135
36	GUNSIGHTS	#33764	T	104.03	39	73.22	40	100.44	43	46.62	13	324.31	135
37	THROWN OFF	***008	BP	96.29	36	57.49	31	63.13	38	55.99	33	272.90	138
38	FEARLESS FLOYD	***001	OT	74.54	20	90.43	44	68.75	40	62.72	36	296.44	140
39	ROGAN STEELE	#42754	J	84.22	30	56.52	29	63.87	39	72.63	43	277.24	141
40	TOELESS JOE	# 8608	OT	99.55	38	57.40	30	56.22	35	64.63	38	277.80	141
41	T.O. SLOW	***007	M	111.69	42	87.61	43	53.93	32	52.00	24	305.23	141
42	JIMMY CANTOO	#48180	49	111.28	41	78.32	41	60.94	37	68.08	41	318.62	160
43	TOMBSTONE BUBBA	#47162	J	120.81	43	67.36	37	105.61	44	108.23	44	402.01	168
44	MARIPOSA SLIM	#45708	OT	141.25	44	87.25	42	99.60	42	71.44	42	399.54	170
45	UNO BANDITO	***009	OT	203.93	45	163.47	45	205.14	45	124.82	45	697.36	180