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Slick Rock Shines

By: Cole Chance

The April shoot was brought to us by the effort and hard work of Match Director Slick Rock Rooster. From the very first day of joining the club, Slick Rock has jumped in and given his all. Though he's a fairly new member, a harder working Kings River Regulator is not to be found. Slick Rock Rooster, thank you for your hard work, and thanks for a good match. Good job Cowboy!

The Saturday before this month's shoot was the annual 4-H Youth Shooting event at FRPC. This year, as in past years, the KRR put on a shooting stage for the young people. Buckskin ramroded this event, with the able assistance of Michigan Bob, Geo Kid, Slick Rock Rooster, Rot Gut Charlie, Hawkeye O'Riley, and Jessie Montana. A great big thank you to these club members for representing the KRR in such a positive manner. As a group, we saw nothing but good attitude and a keen interest in shooting from these fine young people. ♪

Coming up at the end of May is the High Sierra Shoot held at Railroad Flats, California. This shoot is like no other one you will ever attend. It's all shot in natural terrain, targets set out in the trees and bushes and it always draws a large crowd of KRR shooters. Great camping, good shooting, really a nice event to spend a few days at. If you haven't been there, I would recommend that you give

it a try.

If anyone has any ideas or suggestions for this year's Fort Miller, including ideas for stages, let me know. Remember we can't continue to grow and improve if we don't have new ideas. No matter how wild you might think your idea is, let's talk about it. And remember you don't have to have an entire stage laid out, just an idea for a stage will help.

Thought for the day:
A good fence has got to be pig tight, horse high, and bull strong.



A Word From the Blacksmith

Our April 14th work-party saw 16 members who thought the improvement of our range important enough to come out and

make a difference and what a difference we made. Thanks to the effort, Fort Miller is finally starting to look like a fort. While Terrible Ted kept his new fangled bucksaw hot, other cowhands took to their guns, screw guns that is, and now the front wall is standing.

All was not rosy however, as one cowboy, who shall remain mercifully nameless, was thrown by a black stallion saw horse.

Thanks to the efforts of Hank and J. L. Hank, our range now has considerably fewer weeds. Much obliged cowboys.

With the onset of warmer weather, we'll probably throttle back the schedule of workdays for a while, but there is still plenty of work to do, so don't be surprised if you get a call asking for help on a project.

Thanks to all,
Fargo

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SHOOTING TIME
Winter hours

SHOOTERS
MEETING
AT 8:30
SHOOTING STARTS
AT
9:00 am

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D ROUND THE CORRAL

Had a real nice pair of shooters on our posse from Hollister. They said they were here visiting, but we all know a cowboy will go to great lengths to shoot on a Sunday. Ramrod and Fannie Mostly both shoot black powder. Fannie says she has just been shooting since January of this year and had some equipment problems, cylinder on a pistol didn't want to rotate, but she's a good shot. She managed to get that bird at Rose's Cantina, and we figure it was going to be a long ride home for Ramrod, cause he missed it. Nice people, fun shooting with them.

Beanpot said he felt underappreciated, cause no one at the work party in April asked him to sign their belly after he cooked up all those hamburgers. *The boy's been watching too much TV.*

Shiloh cleaned Hell Town. Got every one of those bell shots and finished 2nd overall on the stage. Good shootin'.

Buckskin, assisted by a bunch of KRR members helped the FRPC Range with their 4H youth shooting program on Saturday, April 20th. They had 80 or 90 shooters signed up and a good many of them came over to the Cowboy Range, where they got to shoot shotguns, pistols and do a little archery. Buckskin says they were the best behaved most polite group of young people he has ever had the privilege of working with. Seems they just couldn't get enough of the shotgun shooting. Who knows maybe some of them will be cowboy shooting with us someday.

Ruthless Ruth



Places to Shoot

Monthly Matches

1 ST Sat. Sun. of Month
FRPC
Silhouette Range
Long Range
Shooting starts around 9:00 am and goes all day. Let's support these people, they really helped us on our Long Range at the Annual

1st Sunday of Month
5 Dogs Creek
Bakersfield
Ten Bears
(661) 589-6838

2nd Sunday of Month
Chorro Valley Regulators
San Luis Obispo
Need Directions? Call
Riley @ 805-489-4989

3rd Saturday of Month
Kings River Regulators
Setup day for Sunday match
Start time 8:00 a.m.
New Shooters Orientation starts around 9:00 a.m.

3 rd Sunday of the Month
Kings River Regulators
FRPC Range
15687 Auberry Rd
Clovis, CA
Shooters Meeting 9:30
Shooting starts at 10:00

Contact
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Annals

Fort Miller "02"
Sept. 27—29, 2002
F.R.P.C Range
Friday
Long Range

Saturday
8 stage Main Match

Sunday
Side Matches
Team Match
Plainsman
Awards

1st Shooter \$70
Spouse or S/O \$50
Jr's Free
Contact: Cole Chance
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Calif. State Championship
At 5 Dogs Creek
Oct. 10-13, 2002

10 Stage Main Match
Plainsman, Long Range, Pocket-Derringer side matches

1st Shooter \$100
Spouse \$90
Juniors \$25
Camping \$10

Entry forms available at KRR Range house.

Welcome New Members

Bama Hombre
Alias: Chuck Norred

Memphis Queen
Alias: Marcia Norred

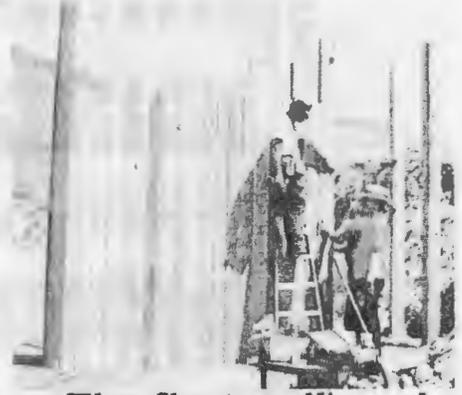
These fine people actually joined in March, but I missed them in last months Newsletter. Hang me with a new rope.



The Sawman

Building Fort Miller

After years of talking and planning, the work on Fort Miller really took off at the April work party. All the poles were set in March and the facing went on this month. Beanpot did lunch, as usual, (the boy does a mean burger), and Hank and J L Hank took weed-eaters to everything in sight, including a little rattlesnake. There's still some finish work and a sign to be made, but we finally have a..... **Fort Miller**



The first walls up!



Longbranch always gets the high jobs



Dueling Weed-Eaters



First Shots Down Range



The Crew

KINGS RIVER REGULATORS

OVERALL MATCH RESULTS

April 21, 2002

MATCH	FINAL ALIAS	#	CLASS	STAGE 1		STAGE 2		STAGE 3		STAGE 4		STAGE 5		MATCH TOTALS	
				TIME	RNK	TIME	PNTS								
1	LONGBRANCH	#12433	T	46.22	1	39.43	1	39.47	3	48.71	4	61.72	3	235.55	12
2	T-BONE	#23708	T	51.27	3	53.30	6	33.00	1	53.03	7	53.47	1	244.07	18
3	TEN BEARS	#18407	D	52.43	4	44.09	3	44.65	5	55.13	10	64.97	4	261.27	26
4	NINE LIVES	#38211	T	60.16	11	49.59	4	51.88	11	50.03	6	67.38	6	279.04	38
5	COLE CHANCE	# 8243	T	61.51	12	60.89	15	47.21	7	41.49	2	66.75	5	277.85	41
6	SHILOH	#17505	T	63.61	16	59.59	12	55.14	17	47.03	3	55.62	2	280.99	50
7	RILEY	***053	T	50.92	2	53.77	7	36.84	2	61.63	20	89.10	24	292.26	55
8	COARSEGOLD KID	#29263	T	55.84	6	53.99	8	47.44	8	61.16	19	87.97	22	306.40	63
9	GEO KID	#27051	OT	61.55	13	67.17	26	49.03	9	57.23	12	75.91	12	310.89	72
10	LEADFOOT	# 5535	T	64.57	17	56.40	9	57.85	20	62.18	24	72.20	8	313.20	78
11	TWO-TOE BILL QUICKSHOT	#25358	D	71.63	23	58.77	11	52.18	13	60.25	18	80.89	15	323.72	80
12	RUTHLESS RUTH	# 9015	W	54.86	5	57.40	10	51.99	12	71.70	30	92.46	26	328.41	83
13	LEVI LONGNECK	#29531	D	65.04	18	60.31	14	55.82	19	59.94	16	83.81	17	324.92	84
14	J L HANK	# 7370	J	87.38	39	40.66	2	41.33	4	39.11	1	110.11	40	318.59	86
15	HAWKEYE O'RILEY	# 6443	OT	64.57	17	62.76	20	52.49	14	61.93	22	78.93	13	320.68	86
16	ROOSTER R BOYCE	#29268	T	69.51	20	61.38	17	58.07	21	54.05	9	87.72	21	330.73	88
17	SLO HANK DAVIDSON	***055	T	59.99	9	69.27	30	63.74	30	56.71	11	72.69	9	322.40	89
18	RATTLESNAKE RIP	***052	M	57.94	7	73.24	33	51.16	10	65.23	26	80.17	14	327.74	90
19	HANK	# 7369	D	75.36	26	61.67	18	59.53	23	59.66	15	73.91	11	330.13	93
20	JOAQUIN RIVERS	#11912	D	61.79	14	65.06	23	66.30	31	61.82	21	70.67	7	325.64	96
21	SLICK ROCK ROOSTER	#41875	T	66.00	19	69.87	31	59.33	22	61.82	21	73.32	10	330.34	103
22	MUSTANG BUTCH	#36647	D	58.76	8	95.08	50	54.77	16	58.89	13	81.96	16	349.46	103
23	MADERA DAVE	# 5929	D	70.84	22	51.18	5	59.87	24	62.09	23	101.27	33	345.25	107
24	REMEDY JACK	#29729	D	60.06	10	67.74	28	45.82	6	92.29	43	92.01	25	357.92	112
25	TERRIBLE TED	# 9014	OT	74.84	25	63.32	21	74.53	37	59.39	14	86.59	19	358.67	116
26	PORTUGEE PHILLIPS	#17510	D	80.81	31	68.30	29	54.74	15	50.02	5	104.59	37	358.46	117
27	BAD BOYCE	***036	T	78.75	28	62.39	19	74.04	35	53.19	8	98.11	30	366.48	120
28	HOSS	# 9565	D	83.07	34	67.20	27	55.69	18	66.71	28	87.00	20	359.67	127
29	BEANPOT	# 6964	T	73.21	24	79.66	37	72.29	34	60.10	17	88.57	23	373.83	135
30	LITTLE ELK	#18408	W	63.22	15	59.79	13	69.16	33	66.47	27	129.28	49	387.92	137
31	MARSHAL CHANCE	***050	T	77.93	27	61.09	16	81.01	41	67.39	29	97.38	29	384.80	142
32	BRONCO BROCK	#43567	T	86.14	36	78.11	36	74.13	36	64.55	25	85.30	18	388.23	151
33	SQUARE SHOOTER	# 9417	OT	86.97	38	75.23	34	61.71	28	78.62	31	101.31	34	403.84	165
34	MICHIGAN BOB	***031	T	88.86	41	71.34	32	60.47	25	86.16	41	99.27	31	406.10	170
35	BUCKSKIN	#12434	OT	69.96	21	93.64	49	66.83	32	79.88	34	101.60	36	411.91	172

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36	HONDO SMOKIN UP	#33799	T	95.34	45	66.20	24	61.10	26	94.31	45	99.72	32	416.67	172
37	ROT GUT CHARLIE	#13304	T	82.87	33	85.45	43	88.68	46	81.49	36	94.36	27	432.85	185
38	MISS KITTY	#32140	W	80.10	30	76.79	35	82.33	42	104.12	49	109.76	39	453.10	195
39	ROGAN STEELE	#42754	J	89.20	42	67.11	25	78.58	39	83.04	38	137.03	51	454.96	195
40	NEEDA TAILOR	#8141	W	91.95	43	91.11	46	77.54	38	88.92	42	96.03	28	445.55	197
41	GUNSIGHTS	#33764	T	84.69	35	95.18	51	61.68	27	114.69	51	108.11	38	464.35	202
42	WOLF ANGEL	#34302	D	86.31	37	64.40	22	101.19	54	100.62	47	114.37	43	466.89	203
43	DEWEY D MENTED	##*056	T	103.72	49	82.26	38	86.36	44	84.69	40	101.53	35	458.56	206
44	JUDGE JEREMIAH STEELE	#42753	T	79.21	29	83.50	40	99.64	53	94.11	44	112.02	41	468.48	207
45	LIKE LEADBETTER	##*045	T	115.13	52	83.38	39	78.88	40	79.45	32	128.72	48	485.56	211
46	FINEGOLD FLOOZY	##*047	W	81.63	32	83.98	42	94.76	50	79.70	33	152.11	55	492.18	212
47	LU BELL	##*049	W	129.19	56	91.97	47	62.24	29	82.24	37	115.74	44	481.38	213
48	TAW JACKSON	##*035	W	97.32	47	83.54	41	88.30	45	80.08	35	150.04	54	499.28	222
49	BLACK KNIGHT	#18944	OT	96.88	46	92.20	48	85.47	43	102.38	48	119.85	45	496.78	230
50	RAMROD	##*054	BP	87.80	40	98.53	53	89.13	47	104.80	50	112.85	42	493.11	232
51	SOAPY DEAL	#5615	OT	107.04	50	96.92	52	91.51	49	84.27	39	141.77	52	521.51	242
52	T COLEMAN ELDER	#20004	T	101.06	48	86.12	45	105.07	55	119.89	54	120.21	46	532.35	248
53	SASPARILLA BOB	#38618	D	115.26	53	85.88	44	90.47	48	797.48	58	121.17	47	1210.26	250
54	LITTLE FAWN	##*046	J	93.44	44	105.29	55	123.90	59	121.90	55	136.07	50	580.60	263
55	STELLA STAR	#43035	W	112.90	51	102.23	54	97.48	52	133.40	56	145.60	53	591.61	266
56	MISS LEFTY O'BRIEN	##*051	W	154.48	58	154.61	59	97.08	51	99.65	46	195.51	59	701.33	273
57	CRIP JOHN	##*041	T	128.90	55	114.82	57	106.08	57	117.11	52	171.59	56	638.50	277
58	FANNIE MOSTLY	##*048	BP	119.73	54	112.69	56	105.21	56	141.33	57	182.49	57	661.45	280
59	BEARPAW	#7559	OT	143.96	57	127.36	58	122.84	58	119.29	53	191.31	58	704.76	284