

KINGS RIVER GAZETTE

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The Monthly Rag of the Kings River Regulators

Stogie Johnson, Editor

The Halloween Shoot was Downright Spooky!

Poison Oakley sure knows how to go over the top when putting on a match! There was a pumpkin patch stage, a ghost stage, a witch's stage, Skeletons and a cemetery – and all of them were decorated like crazy! We loved using the tombstone rack & the Texas Star (well, except Pokey Okey – she hates the star...) among other fun targets. And knowing that a couple of the stages were a little tricky Poison Oakley provided prizes for anyone who got a “P” (procedural) to make them feel better: A can of Peas!! (get it, a “P”, Peas...). To top it all off she provided lunch for everyone. What a great match and good time for the KRR. There were two clean shooters Sunday, Big Bad Blaine and Sawyer Wood (and by the way that is saying something!! Don't know how they did it!) and Coyote Carson earned top honors for the day. Thanks Poison Oakley!!

Two Fingers said “When I practice –“ High Cotton cut him off with “You practice? Huh! I couldn't tell...”



Regulators lined up for a great chili-dog lunch provided by Poison Oakley. I know that others contributed to the lunch as well – Thank you!!

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The Witch target and the dreaded Snake Ring of Doom!!

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And speaking of the Snake Ring of Doom, One-Eyed Smith must really hate snakes – he shot em' clean into the berm!

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In the Noose

It's about time that we put Two Fingers Slim In the Noose – I mean I think this curmudgeon's been strung up once or twice before...



So how did the KRR Blacksmith for the last 8 years get his start in Cowboy Action Shooting? I'm glad you asked... Two Fingers was shooting ISPC for about 30 years and he got a little burnt out on it. One day he went to the range, saw some of the regulators practicing, and was intrigued. He then came out to watch a monthly match and he was

shooting the next month! He been shooting with us for about 15 years now.

Two Fingers has competed in several categories including 49er (that must have been a really long time ago... 😊), Duelist, & Sr. Duelist. He also has travelled to 5 Dogs in Bakersfield and to the Western Regionals at Chorro. He is now retired but back in the day he was an engineering inspector and fabricator for Madera.

About Cowboy Action Shooting, Two Fingers says, "It's fun, unlike some other shooting disciplines, it's just fun". Well, our friend, part of the reason it's fun is because of people like you. Thanks for all of your service to the club and for chatting with us!

Town Council Elections are Coming!

We will be holding elections for Town Council positions in **December**. Any member in good standing can run for any office, but we will be electing a new Mayor, Territorial Governor, Banker, and Blacksmith. We will have the vote Sunday morning at the December shoot. You must be a current member and present to vote. Anyone interested in running for an office needs to contact Mayor High Cotton at hammer15026@gmail.com

Alright members, it's time to step up and walk the walk! Don't miss the December monthly shoot so that you can vote.

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As Lefty Who approached the stage to shoot he commented, "Here comes the next Lucky A**hole", Justice Loving replied, "Well you're half right..." 😂

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Who Ya Gonna Call?

At the ghost's stage Bull Calahan became a real Ghostbuster after he shot the undead crap out of one of the poor ghosts. They were decorations Bull, not targets!!

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NOTICE:

We will begin collecting KRR dues for 2022 in November. Don't wait! Take care of it now!



These happy cowboys & cowgirls are happy with their prizes – a can of peas- even though they "P'd" on a stage!

And speaking of getting a "P" on a stage, Liberty Outrider exclaimed that he got a "P" – a P for Perfect, that is! He cleaned the stage.



So a certain member of the KRR acquired a slicked-up shotgun and commented that it should help his scores, to which Bull Calahan replied, " Sure it will. I mean, I'm sure it will..."

I get no respect!



Great Speckled Body has the Halloween spirit!!!