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ANOTHER ONE DONE!!!!

Memorial Day - - - Profit made

Territorial Matches

June 15-17; Ft. Lupton

NO club primitive shoot June 17

July 4th Monument Parade

Line-up by 9:30 a.m.

NO club meeting July 5;

Celebrate with family & friends

Primitive Grainger July 14-15

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UPCOMING EVENTS: CSML & Statewide

WHAT	WHERE	WHEN	INFORMATION
NMLRA Territorial Matches	SPVHS Range Ft. Lupton	June 15-17	www.buckhornskinnners.com or (970) 692-4658
Club Primitive Shoot	CANCELLED	June 17	CANCELLED
Club Paper Shoot	Ft. Melchert	July 1	pistols at noon; rifles at 1:00 pm
Regular Club Meeting	CANCELLED FOR	JULY..... HAPPY	4TH OF JULY.....
High Country Hideaway Muzzle Loading Shotgun	Blue Valley Club near Kremmling, CO	July 11-15	Tom Hart (719) 289-1840 or tkhart25@gmail.com
Grainger Primitive Camp Out and Shoot	Grainger Ranch Victor, CO	July 14-15	chili cook-off, potluck Saturday night & Sunday morning
Rocky Mountain National Rendezvous	Soward Ranch near Creede, CO	July 14-21	info at www.RMNR.org or Facebook
Regular Club Meeting	American Legion	August 2; 7:00 p.m.	come and see.....
Club Primitive Shoot	Ft. Melchert	August 5	pistols at noon; rifles at 1:00 pm
Grainger Paper Camp Out and Shoot	Grainger Ranch Victor, CO	Aug. 18-19	paper target shooting, potluck Saturday night & Sunday morning; election of officers
CSMLA 2018 State Shoot	Ft. Lupton	August 31 - September 3	Camp fee \$20; www.csmla.net; patched round ball only
Club Paper Shoot	CANCELLED	Sept. 2	CANCELLED
Regular Club Meeting	American Legion	Sept. 6	Come and check this out!
Club Primitive Shoot	Ft. Melchert	Sept. 16	pistols at noon; rifles at 1:00 pm
Regular Club Meeting	American Legion	Oct. 4	Planning for bird & buffalo
Club Paper Shoot	Ft. Melchert	Oct. 7	pistols at noon; rifles at 1:00 pm
Bird & Buffalo Shoot	Ft. Melchert	Oct. 20-21	camping after noon Oct. 19, potluck Saturday night, auction
Regular Club Meeting	American Legion	Nov. 1; 7:00 p.m.	club craft fair, FREE tables
DAYLIGHT SAVINGS	TIME ENDS - - - -	NOV. 4 - - - -	CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR
Club Paper Shoot	Ft. Melchert	Nov. 4	pistols at noon; rifles at 1:00 pm
Club Primitive Shoot	Ft. Melchert	Nov. 18	pistols at noon; rifles at 1:00 pm

For CSML scheduled shoots; CALL SHOOT HOT LINE (719) 442-0150 after 9:00 a.m. on shoot day to be sure shoot is on!!!
Schedule is subject to change at any time and is based on information available at time of publication. On-line check csmlinc.org

PAST THINGS

Well, another shoot has come and gone and..... we survived! Not as many shooters as we would have liked to see, but those who shot had a good time. The Adventure Camp group had a really good time and were some of the best young help we have had in a very long time. Our most sincere THANKS to this group.

Prizes were awarded, camp was struck, and the majority of the bills have been paid, and Gwen says we made a profit. Not bad for a bunch of hivernants, gray-beards, and handicapped old timers!!!!

Thanks to all of you who worked so diligently to make this happen.

Memorial Day Shoot

By: Ted “Dances with Deer” Beaupre

The shoot went well and the new target configuration worked by cutting the backboards in half and putting the ribs north and south. The wind could blow to its heart’s content but the lines still held up.....except for the occasional wire cut by an errant shot.

Shooter numbers were down but a good time was had by all. I would like to thank all those who helped with the range, scoring, and in the registration tent. Without their help the shoot would not be possible.

A BIG THANKS TO ONE AND ALL!!!!!!!

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THANK YOU NOTES

By: Dee Beaupre

The children’s games were Saturday and Sunday. I would like to thank Ashlyn, Isabel, Emma, and Tele for joining in on the kid’s games. If you missed out on the fun, come next year and join us. Some of the fun included the scavenger hunt, Junior Mountain Man run, sack race, and water balloon toss.

See you next year!!!

I would also like to thank Carol Gloyd for helping in my trader tent. I could not have done everything without your help.

JUNE PAPER SHOOT

By: Ted “Dances with Deer” Beaupre

Nice day to shoot; cool and overcast. I had a total of 5 shooters. Two of which were new, first time shooters. Thomas joined the club and had brought his friend Kahn to see what it was all about. Delores, Doug, and Tony practiced for the upcoming Territorial Matches. Tom Gabor was on hand and assisted Thomas with shooting the new rifle he had built. Kahn shot the different rifles and had a great time.

Thanks guys for coming out and participating.

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MONUMENT 4TH OF JULY PARADE

By: Don Stoner

Once again we will try to march in the 4th of July parade in Monument. We are really in need of a good turnout this year. We get the chance to show ourselves to the general public by allowing the kids of all ages to pull the trigger on blank loads from our rifles. The parade officials WANT us there so much that we do not have to pay the entrance fee!

As most of you know, we use parade loads in PERCUSSION rifles only. Bring your caps and 40-50 parade loads and maybe some tools. NO LEAD BALLS, BULLETS, ETC. Eye and ear protection, water, and good walking shoes are a must. Please wear something that looks like mountain man attire.

DO NOT use the Baptist Road exit from I-25 as it will be closed to traffic other than parade line-up. Parking in town is limited.

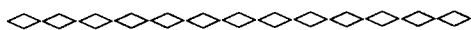
Come early and have breakfast at St. Peter’s

Catholic Church for a small donation. They are located right at the parade start location and their parking lot is used for the Kid's Parade line-up.

We will open the parade and start immediately after the Kid's Parade that starts at 9:30 sharp.

The starting point is the intersection of Jefferson and Lincoln and we MUST be lined up not later than 9:30 a.m.

Parade packet has not been received at this writing so watch your e-mail for any changes. Please RSVP to Don Stoner (719-640-0935) if you have even a slight possibility that you will participate. Thank you all for your help and participation in this major event.



6th Annual Colorado State Pistol Shoot

By: Ken West

Five of us represented the Colorado Springs Muzzle Loaders at the 6th Annual state pistol shoot in Ft. Lupton on May 5; Al Bartok, Jim Murray, Steve Sterner, Jay Rathman, and me. The shooting was not great - - - which I attribute to the almost perfect weather, not the increasing age of the participants. I neglected to warn our crew that the shoot is conducted per the NMLRA rules; i.e, one-handed.

We relaxed the pistol shooter rules for the CSMLA years ago to permit shooting with one or two hands - - some of the members were having trouble shooting with one hand. The NMLRA has added a separate aggregate for those 65 years old or older, which permits using both hands (remember when 65 was old?). I plan on admitting my age and entering this match at Friendship this year. Shooting with one hand threw Al off for his first three shots; but in a 10 shot match, 3 shots is forever!

The match was three aggregates, 25 and 50 yards for percussion, revolver, and flint for a total grand aggregate of 600 points. The winners were:

Caplock

Ken West 146

Jimmie Jeffries 143
Peter tho Sieth 142x

Flint

Ron Durmeyer 93
Estill Ator 85
Jim Murray 83

Revolver

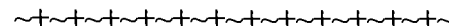
Ron Durmeyer 147x
Estill Ator 126x
Jim Murray 126

Grand Aggregate

Ron Durmeyer 359
Jim Murray 340
Estill Ator 323

Only four people completed the grand aggregate. I made a comment to Ron Ring about shooting with two hands. He said that if the shooters keep getting older (we do that deliberately) we may have to permit bench-rests in the pistol match!

We all enjoyed the shoot - - - the mysteriously light traffic through Denver may have helped - - - and look forward to doing it again - - - when we are not all having an off day.



CSML 2018 MEMORIAL DAY SHOOT RESULTS

Men's Percussion

Match 1 - 100 yd. Off-Hand
 20 Ron Mann 38
 25 Tyler Artichoker 22
 29 Kasey Artichoker 17
 Match 2 - 100 yd. Any Position
 85 erome Goecker 33x
 9 Steven French 24
 5 Steve Sells 24
 Match 3 - 50 yd. Off-Hand
 5 Steve Sells 46x
 25 Tyler Artichoker 45-2x
 85 Jerome Goecker 41

Match 4 - 25 yd. Off-Hand		
20	Ron Mann	46
4	Ron Abbott	40
38	Trevor Artichoker	38
Men's Percussion Aggregate		
20	Ron Mann	140
Men's Flint		
Match 5 - 100 yd. Off-Hand		
10	Stewart Leach	37
4	Ron Abbott	15
92	Charlie Altvater	
Match 6 - 100 yd. Any Position		
4	Ron Abbott	21
10	Stewart Leach	12
92	Charlie Altvater	5
Match 7 - 50 yd. Off-Hand		
10	Stewart Leach	43
4	Ron Abbott	17
92	Charlie Altvater	9
Match 8 - 25 yd. Off-Hand		
4	Ron Abbott	41x
10	Stewart Leach	30
92	Charlie Altvater	23
Men's Flint Aggregate		
10	Stewart Leach	122
Hawken		
Match 9 - 130 yd. Off-Hand/Rest		
4	Ron Abbott	32
16	Randy Preston	29
17	Gordon Serpa	28
Men's Pistol		
Match 10 - 50 yd.		
8	Ron Durmyer	62
12	David Johnson	52
17	Gordon Serpa	50
Match 11 - 25 yd.		
56	Al Bartok	91-2x
8	Ron Durmyer	86x
17	Gordon Serpa	84x
Men's Revolver		
Match 12 - 50 yd.		
8	Ron Durmyer	67
7	Mark Williams	67
Match 13 - 25 yd.		
8	Ron Durmyer	80

7	Mark Williams	78
56	Al Bartok	61
Men's Pistol Aggregate		
8	Ron Durmyer	295x
Ladies Percussion		
Match 14 - 50 yd. Off-Hand		
15	Linda Preston	30
49	Amy Neal	26
37	Daphney Artichoker	15
Match 15 - 25 yd. Off-Hand		
15	Linda Preston	27
37	Daphne Artichoker	27
49	Amy Neal	26x
Match 16 - 25 yd. Off-Hand		
15	Linda Preston	42
37	Daphne Artichoker	36
49	Amy Neal	28
Match 17 - 100 yd. Any Position		
15	Linda Preston	21
Ladies Percussion Aggregate		
15	Linda Preston	120
Ladies Flint		
Match 18 - 50 yd. Off-Hand		
15	Linda Preston	17
Match 19 - 25 yd. Off-Hand		
15	Linda Preston	32
Match 20 - 25 yd. Off-Hand		
15	Linda Preston	9
Match 21 - 100 yd. Any Position		
15	Linda Preston	7
Ladies Flint Aggregate		
15	Linda Preston	65
Ladies Pistol		
Match 23 - 25 yd.		
37	Daphne Artichoker	79
Jr. 12 and Under		
Match 26 - 50 yd. X-Stick/100 yd. Bull		
26	Jayden Artichoker	26
Match 27 - 50 yd. X-Stick/100 yd. X-Bull		
26	Jayden Artichoker	26
58	Isabel Morris	18x
Match 28 - 25 yd. X-Stick/6- Bull		
26	Jayden Artichoker	37
19	Benjamin Artichoker	14

Match 29 - 25 yd. X-Stick/5-Bull Buffalo

26	Jayden Artichoker	26
19	Benjamin Artichoker	23
58	Isabel Morris	5

Jr. 12 and Under Aggregate

26	Jayden Artichoker	115
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Jr. 13-16

Match 30 - 50 yd. X-Stick/100 yd. Bull

28	Jackson Artichoker	40
50	Allyson Neal	29x
70	Rebecca Solomon	28

Match 31 - 50 yd. Off-Hand/100 yd. X-Bull

50	Allyson Neal	42
71	Connor Bass	16
28	Jackson Artichoker	7

Match 32 - 25 yd. X-Stick/6-Bull

28	Jackson Artichoker	41
50	Allyson Neal	35
70	Rebecca Solomon	32

Match 33 - 25 yd. Off-Hand/5-Bull Buffalo

71	Connor Bass	31
50	Allyson Neal	29
68	Brian Bass	27x

Jr. 13-13 Aggregate

50	Allyson Neal	135x
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Old Timers

Match 34 - 25 yd. Off-Hand/6-Bull

20	Ron Mann	40
4	Ron Abbott	36
16	Randy Preston	33

Match 35 - 25 yd. Off-Hand/5-Bull Buffalo

4	Ron Abbott	44x
20	Ron Mann	41
5	Steve Sells	40

Match 36 - 50 yd. Off-Hand/100 yd. Buffalo

4	Ron Abbott	37
16	Randy Preston	36 2-x
20	Ron Mann	32

Match 37 - 50 yd. Off-Hand/100 yd. X-Bull

20	Ron Mann	45
4	Ron Abbott	43
5	Steve Sells	40

Old Timers Aggregate

4	Ron Abbott	160x
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Super Senior

Match 38 - 25 yd. Off-Hand/6-Bull

8	Ron Durmyer	41
17	Gordon Serpa	39
14	James Hegy	35

Match 39 - 25 yd. Off-Hand/5-Bull Buffalo

8	Ron Durmyer	45
17	Gordon Serpa	44
7	Mark Williams	35

Match 40 - 50 yd. Off-Hand/100 yd. Buffalo

8	Ron Durmyer	43
17	Gordon Serpa	41
7	Mark Williams	40

Match 41 - 50 yd. Off-Hand/100 yd. X-Bull

8	Ron Durmyer	43
7	Mark Williams	43
17	Gordon Serpa	39

Super Senior Aggregate

8	Ron Durmyer	172
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Match 42 - 5 Person Team

16	Randy Preston
17	Gordon Serpa
12	David Johnson
20	Ron Mann
15	Linda Preston

Match 44 - Husband and Wife Team

15	Linda Preston	62
17	Randy Preston	

Match 45 - Mixed Doubles

10	Stewart Leach	22
80	Gwen Blanchard	
58	Isabel Morris	22
2	Ted Beaupre	

Shotgun

Match 46 - Open Class/10 yd.

31	Ton Hart	19/18
22	Kim Davis	17/11
23	Ken Hawkenson	14/5

Match 47 - Open Class/16 yd.

31	Ton Hart	17/8
23	Ken Hawkenson	14/6
22	Kim Davis	12/5

Match 48 - Open Class/20 yd.

31	Ton Hart	13/5
23	Ken Hawkenson	11/5
22	Kim Davis	7/2

Match 49 - Traditional/Original Gun

31	Ton Hart	12/7
5	Steve Sells	10/3
41	Estill Ator	7/4

Match 50 - Novice

50	Allyson Neal	10/4
8	Ron Durmyer	8/4

Match 52 - Jr. 12 and Under

45	Emma Dwyer	
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Match 53 - Women

36	Sharon Dyer	9/4
49	Amy Neal	7/5
50	Allyson Neal	5/2

Match 54 - 2-Man Team Protection

5	Steve Sells	18
35	Rady Dyer	

31	Tom Hart	
60	Peter Lucas	

22	Kim Davis	
23	Ken Hawkenson	

Match 66 - Open 30/20 yd.

35	Rady Dyer	25/12
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Match 68 - Flintlock

41	Estill Ator	10/6 (3)
31	Tom Hart	10/6 (2)

Match 69 - Jr. 16 and Under Prize Match

67	Wyatt Sandell	
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Match 70 - Open 30

22	Kim Davis	29/27
60	Peter Lucas	25/7
23	Ken Hawkenson	21/8

Cannon

Match 56 - Large Bore

67	Wyatt Sandell	12
76	Clint Sandell	11
65	Levi Leonard	10-1/4

Match 57 - Medium Bore

87	Connie Condi	11.75
53	Timothy Allred	11.25
51	Shannon Rheame	6.5

Match 58 - Small Bore

54	James Dennis	8
53	Timothy Allred	6.5
52	Bennet Sherry-Allred	1.5

Match 59 - Rifled Bore

54	James Dennis	22.75
52	Bennett Sherry-Allred	19.5
53	Timothy Allred	17

Traveling Team Trophy

76	Clint Sandell	25-1/4
	Mary	
	Brittany	

Match 60 - **Tomahawk**

Men

18	Trent Artichoker	10
44	William Cash	10
25	Tyler Artichoker	8

Women

30	Mikaella Wolf	2-1
43	Emilie Cash	2-0
37	Daphne Artichoker	2-0

Match 61 - **Knife**

Men

18	Trent Artichoker	12-0
40	Kody Artichoker	7-1
91	Ray Sutherland	5-3

Women

30	Mikaella Wolf	
37	Daphne Artichoker	

Match 62 - **Jr. Tomahawk**

50	Allyson Neal	
26	Jaydon Artichoker	
46	Christopher Dwyer	

Match 63 - **Jr. Knife**

46	Christopher Dwyer	
26	Jaydon Artichoker	
28	Jackson Artichoker	

Match 64 - **Mountain Man Run**

92	Charlie Altvater	
8	Ron Durmyer	
20	Ron Mann	

Match 65 - **Jr. Mountain Man Run**

70	Rebecca Solomon	
71	Connor Bass	

Match 67 - Gong Shoot

Men

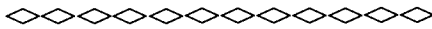
12	Dave Johnson	18
17	Gordon Serpa	17
16	Randy Preston	

Women

82	Brenda Juarez	17
49	Amy Neal	13
15	Linda Preston	

Junior

50	Allyson Neal	19
68	Brian Bass	14
70	Rebecca Solomon	12



DON'T FORGET.....

NO regular monthly meeting in July.

Call Don Stoner if you can march in the 4th of July parade in Monument. Bring parade loads and water to drink. Wear mountain man clothes and comfortable walking shoes.

Primitive Grainger camp out July 14-15. Chili cool-off and potluck Saturday night.

Next club meeting August 2 at 7:00 p.m.

Elections in August at the Grainger Paper Camp out. Ted needs help with a range officer for this one. Potluck Saturday night.

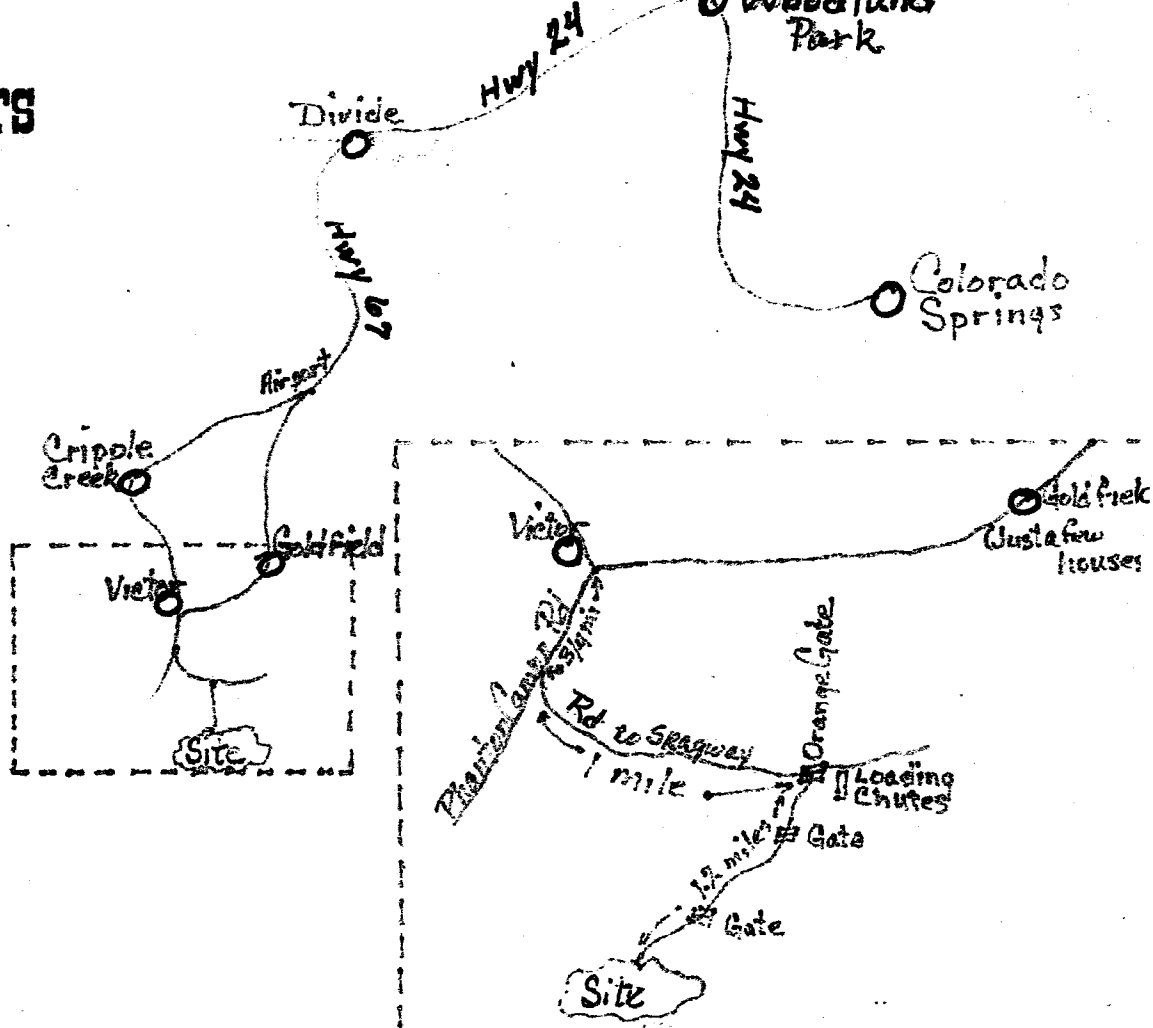
Map to Graingers

(Save for August)

Be Prepared for
FIRE BAN
Bring Extra Water

LEAVE GATES AS
YOU FIND THEM

DONT LET STOCK THROUGH
THE GATES!



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