

KINGS RIVER GAZETTE

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Upcoming 2012 Annual Shoots

- Shootout at Fort Miller
April 12-15
- Dry Gulch at Arroyo Cantua
April 25-26
- SASS California State Championship
May 3-6
- High Sierra Shootout
May 23-27
- Chorro Valley Shoot Out
Aug 9-12



SPRING HAS SPRUNG...SIGN UP FOR OUR KRR ANNUAL SHOOTOUT AT FORT MILLER!

On another note, it's time to renew your dues and sign up for the Shootout at Fort Miller.

Your dues help keep the club in targets, props and help put on the best kept secret in SASS, the Shootout at Fort Miller.

KRR shooters show up in the top ten at the State Match, Western Regionals, National and World Champi-

onships each year. So pay your dues, sign up for the annual and show the Cowboy Shooting World what being a Kings River Regulator means.

NEW & IMPROVED.....

To all KRR members and anyone who has ever been here to shoot or is thinking about it.....

We have an AWESOME new shooting stage at Bay 6..... known as HELLTOWN.....

More than 20 shooting positions, a new church bell to shoot at, targets up on the hill..pics to come soon!

FROM THE MAYOR - SIERRA RIDER

We had scheduled a work day on the 17th of March to prepare for Fort Miller but the rain forced us to cancel it and we rescheduled the work day for the next Saturday, March 24th.

We were also pre-

pared to cancel the monthly match on March 18th, but the weather cleared and 16 of us shot the match in relatively good weather.

Pocket Change was snowed in (it's not often we can say that

about anyone). **Ram-rod** volunteered to run the scoring program, and did a wonderful job (I understand there was some help over the phone from **Fannie Mostly**).

We had a good turnout at (cont page 3)

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March Birthdays

Bellestar Shooter
Big Bad Blaine
Coolwater Mike
Pocket Change
Slickcreek Seth
Talon Hawke

Monthly Matches

1st Weekend
 FRPC Silhouette and Long Range
 5 Dogs Creek

2nd Weekend
 Chorro Valley

3rd Weekend
 Kings River Regulators

4th Weekend
 Two Rivers Posse Mantca
 Faultline Shootists
 Gonzales

5th Weekend
 Chorro Valley



Special Request.....

Please keep Manny's Granny in your prayers...she had a portion of her trigger finger cut off in an accident and doesn't know yet if it will heal properly or not.

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 TO
INSPIRE
 BEFORE YOU
EXPIRE



Tahoe Tattler

RAMROD'S MUSINGS

From the Pokey

Breaking the 170 at the loading table.

Are you aware that the rule covering sweeping with a loaded or unloaded gun starts at the beginning of the loading table and runs to the end of the unloading table?

Did you know that when you grab your revolver by the barrel and hold it barrel down to show you don't have a round under the hammer, you may be breaking the 170.

Next time you try this, look and you'll see the muzzle is pointing straight down, 180 degrees.

If that revolver has rounds in it, that is a Match Disqualification. Learn to show the revolver to the loading table officer another way.

When showing unloaded also remember the 170.

Stay Safe, Stay in the Game.

Cowboy Logic

KIT CARSON—1809-1868

Christopher Houston "Kit" Carson became a legend in his own time, living long enough to see his frontier adventures reinvented in dime novels. Raised in Missouri, he was apprenticed as a teenager to a saddle maker. Feeling restless, he defiantly left home in 1826 and was hired on as a herder with a caravan bound for Santa Fe. The saddlers offered a reward of one penny for his return. From Santa Fe he ventured to Taos where he fell in love with the locale and made it his home base for the rest of his life.

For the next several years, Carson ranged throughout the Rockies working as a fur trapper, learning the Native American customs and languages, but he also fought on numerous occasions against hostile warriors. From 1829-1864 he engaged in approximately 30 skirmishes and battles against warriors from various tribes.

The rendezvous of 1835 proved unusually eventful for Carson. He

shot a bullying trapper named Shunar in a mounted duel. He also traded for his first wife, a beautiful Arapaho maiden named Waanike, who gave birth to two children. Sadly, Waanike died of illness around 1838.

In 1842 Carson has hired as a guide for \$100/mo. by Lt. John C. Fremont. Over the next four years Carson accompanied Fremont on three explorations across much of the west.

Assigned to carry dispatches to Washington DC, Carson reach the nation's capital to find that he had become famous. Back in New Mexico, he was appointed an American Indian agent, and served for a decade. During the Civil War he became Lt. Col. of the First New Mexico Volunteer Infantry. By 1864 Carson was a Brig. Genl. and commanded a punitive expedition to the Texas panhandle. During the ensuing Battle of Adobe Walls, Col. Carson dueled 2,000 warriors—more than any other commander until Custer in 1876.

From the Mayor - Sierra Rider

the rescheduled work day.

Thank you all for showing up and working so hard to get things done.

We got a lot of general clean-up done and moved some of the target stands and large target structures to the bays where they will be used for Fort Miller. It was a very productive day.

You can still enter Fort Miller and I would encourage you to do so.

Don't think that this is a shoot for just the "good" shooters. Even if you are a novice shooter, you will

have fun and meet a lot of good people that normally don't shoot our monthly matches.

Remember that we still have a free shoot for End of Trail in New Mexico. It is a buy one and get one free type of deal. Let us know if you want to go See you at the range.

Sierra Rider

WANTED
MATCH DIRECTORS
CONTACT
RUTHLESS RAY



Next Month's
Match Director



RUTHLESS RAY

ROAD APPLES



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