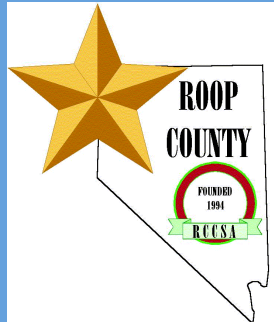




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Howdy all,

There is lots going on and Roop County Days is right around the corner. With Sept 1st falling on the first Sunday of the month our match is in the first week in September. I'd better get my butt in gear!! CC is busy gathering up the information for awards, Denio is putting the finishing touches on the stages and I'm getting ready to make some plaques for CC. I'll be asking for some help with them real soon. ***BeeBads raffle is on and we are looking for interesting stuff to put in it. If you have something that you have made or something cool you have bought bring it out and put it in the auction. Last year we made quite a bit of money from your generosity and hope to do the same this year.*** We think we have devised a way to put the **BB Gun Match** under the pavilion this year and we will be able to shoot it as much as we like!! We added single action pocket pistol to the side matches and I have to choose between a number of cool guns in my safe that have never been competitive before. We also added a long-range aggregate to the long-range side match. The best shooter with a single shot rifle, caliber repeater, pistol caliber repeater and military rifle will go home with a nice plaque. With most military rifles being smokeless we will only offer one award for the Aggregate We are looking for some fresh blood to take over some of the behind the scenes work. We have been doing it long enough and want to bring in some people to take over some of the work. It really is a blast and very satisfying See me or CC if you are interested.



We had a number of folks who came out and camped with us over the weekend. We had a great dinner in town at the Chinese buffet on Friday. Deadeye Dick and Dutch Dalton put on a very fine Cowboy action Shooting school with the help of a few of our better shooters. I seem to remember 23 attendees. I was the chief cook and while I was out after lunch a good fairy came along and cleaned up my mess. My heart felt thanks goes out to Hot Babe for taking care of that for me!!!! We had another fine potluck that evening with the icing on the cake (so to speak) was Evil Elly's wonderful dessert, man was that ever good!!!

A large group of us are going down to the Western Regional in Morro Bay and won't be attending the August match. Drifter John will be running things. If you are around make sure to make his job an easy one by offering your help before he asks for it! Ogalala will be writing the stages and will need your help as well. This is the last monthly match before our very own Roop County Days. If you want to sign up for our annual that would be a good time!!



Our July match was well attended with 37 shooters we had a few new faces as well. I would like to welcome Modesto and Sally Mudd to our family. They live in Fernley, but work in the Bay Area of Calif. With that long of a commute cowboy time has to be quite relaxing!! Hunter or as we like to call him Slash Trouble came all the way from Maine to shoot with us. He is Flannigan Flats and Evil Elly's nephew. Thanks for all your help Slash and we hope to see you again next year!!!! Onya Case shot with us for the first time and was doing well until a hot piece of brass went down her top. She made the cutest squeak and dug it out quickly. I'll bet she rethinks her wardrobe next time she shoots!! I didn't get a chance to shoot with Wiley Fox's brother in law Lead Farmer, but he attended Dick and Dutch's cowboy class the day before and he had a big smile on his face when I asked him how his day was going on Sunday. CC wrote the stages and announced before the match that it would be a zero tolerance match and that bit a number of shooters including the stage writer!! It's good to do a few things that we don't do on a regular basis.



I spoke to Dan Simpson the gentleman who is buying the whole property and asked if we were going to get a renewal on our lease and he said that he didn't see why not. That took a load off my mind and got me motivated to start the long process of putting together our annual match again this year. He does want to sit down with Washoe and myself to work up a lead abatement program. This is a piece of cake because in the long run we create very little lead and should be able to accomplish this task fairly easily. More on this after we have a new lease in hand.

Mark your calendars for Deadeye Dicks next class. It's going to be held on Saturday Aug 3rd before the HPD match on Sunday. I've taken this class and it is very informative and I would highly recommend it!!!

I keep forgetting to tell you all that Blackjack Slim has stepped up and taken the job as Secretary for the club. Welcome aboard and **thank you** my friend!!!

Lots to do before we leave for the regional, see you on the range,
Jasper