



RATTLER TATTLER



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NOTES FROM THE RANGE



By golly what a fun weekend it was. We had everything, shootin', ringing steel, heat, rain, new people & folks we haven't seen for a spell. Shaketail XXI is in the books and what a weekend it was. Nine stages, side matches team shootin' and all manner of good food to eat. Where to begin? Best place for that is to mention all the fine folks that helped to set up and tolerated the fact that Snuffy & I were about 2 hours late getting there. Bloody Lane, Dirty Polecat, Shootin' Hoosier, Silverton, Hondo, K-bar-K and all the rest. Next would be the lovely ladies that fixed all the food, Nina Nickem & Shootin' Miss. Then of course there were the waddies that kept us hydrated & moved steel & helped with all that needed doing, Starshot & Bubba. Also chipping in was Josh Schaule who made up and printed out all of the certificates, Thank you letters & waddie certificates. And to all those that didn't get those I will get them to you soon as I can. They got wet in the club house and all the ink ran. I do appreciate all of the hard work each and every one did to make this a truly memorable shoot. Shootin' Miss got the trophies & put the second place certificates together. Silverton did his usual excellent job of getting folks signed up and pointed in the right direction. There are so many that helped I can't put them all down here 'cause I don't think my computer has that much memory & I dang sure don't. But each and everyone of you is greatly appreciated.

Now to the match and what a good one it was. We started out with three main match stages on Friday. Got right down to ringing steel and kept it up for three days. The weather stayed just right all through the side matches. Pity there I needed a good excuse for my train wreck on the Cannon Ball and I couldn't blame the weather. We tried

something a bit different & I think we'll stay with it. We shot the Side Matches in a posse format this year. Poses gathered up after lunch & headed out again in the afternoon. We got through all the side matches quick as I've ever seen it done. I was a good thing. A quick side note on side matches, I think we meet the next generation shooter coming up. Bubba aka Ashton (Yarrow's Grandson) took fifth overall on the pocket pistol. Way to go young man.

Friday's pot luck was as usual handled mighty fine by the rattled chefs (you had to be there), with hamburgers provided by one of our fine sponsors this year and all the trimmings. We got to set down, eat and talk to everyone. We had 2 new shooters this year. Star man & his lovely wife Iron Horse Babe. Two fine folks from Texas and the creator of our new bane the Texas Star. They were indeed fine & gracious folks and will be welcomed back any time.

The weather stayed fine until after dinner and the rain came down.... for hours. Saturday started a bit soggy for all the stages but as the day wore on they began to dry out and only the Jail House stage was wet come Sunday. Saturday's nine stages moved right along stopped only for a quick lunch & back to throwin' lead. Saturday evening wound down with a relaxing Social Hour and a truly great Banquet. Thanks to the fine folk that caters that for us and has for many years. The evening ended a bit early with everyone going of to bed & getting ready for Sunday's excitement.

That brings us up to the final day of shooting. Sunday started out with our safety briefing and an inspirational prayer by Bob wire Rich. Mighty good pard. Then it was off to the races with Team Matches, Three really good stages that had to be improvised just a tad due to folks not being able to come back on Sunday & because the match director forgot a few things. (Someone

really needs to talk to him he's really starting to lose it. I hear he argues with himself & loses.) Then it was on to the Man on Man shoot. A bit different there too. One of the finalists was a laddie; Iron Horse Babe. She went toe to toe with Maker-Wright. I think she may have taken him in the second round if she hadn't bobbed just a tad. But it was fun and exciting.

And that brings us up to Top Gun. I was a good 'un this year. All the category winners lined up to be the best of Shaketail XXI. Two Texas Stars, Knock downs, poppers and far away small targets. All that and a couple of wrong turns. Remember always go to the prop on the range not the one you used the day before. The eventual winner this year was none other than John Henry who shot a clean stage and came out on top of the competition. Congrats to you sir, you earned it.

Well that pretty well sums up the weekend and when you awake and wipe the drool off your chin from this snoozer I wrote to put you to sleep, we got through another all safe and sound. Now we start working for next years annual and next month's shoot. Snuffy and I won't be there in September, we plan to take some time for us and maybe sneak up on a prairie goat or 2.

Thanks once again to all the folks that helped and all those that sponsored the Shaketails, the door prizes & the hamburgers. You can find these folks a bit further on in this letter and we would appreciate you using the services provided by them.

That does it I'm tired, so I'm going to sign off for now. Until we meet on the range again keep your powder dry and always zip up the fly on your tent when there's a chance of rain.

Midnite Slim

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Aug 8 | Monthly Cowboy Long Range Shoot – arrive about 9:00 AM |
| Sept 4 | Setup for the match at 2:30 PM |
| Sept 5 | Monthly Shaketails Shoot – safety meeting 8:30 AM |

TG's Corner

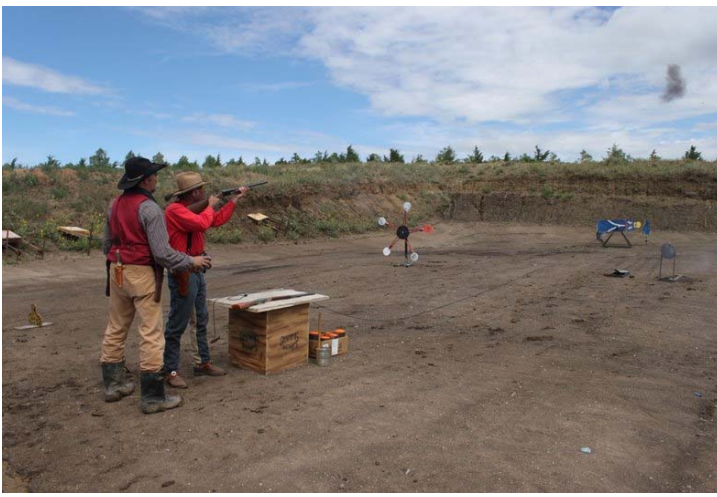
This is my 6th Shaketail Annual and since the 1st one I look forward to it every year, always planning vacation days around it. This year did not disappoint. Thanks go to Midnite Slim for a great shoot!

I want to thank Haywire Snuffy and Dirty Polecat for getting us some great sponsor door prizes and Deer Trail Meat Locker for the generous donation of hamburger.

We did not have an official photographer this year but I got a lot of pic's (mostly of posse 2) and saw some other cameras around. Please get your pictures to me and I will be posting some of them on the web! Here are a few

Shootin Hoosier





☞ Main Match Results ☞

(some classes were combined)

Elder Statesman (ES)

Hondo
Yaro

Senior (S)

Silverton
Dirty Polecat

Senior Duelist (SD)

Senior Tip Grizz
Doc Cuervo

49er (49)

Bobwire Rich
Shootin Hoosier

Wrangler (W)

Maker-Wright

Lady Wrangler (LW)

Haywire Snuffy
Iron Horse Babe

Cowboy (C)

Einerd Fist
Mayhem Matt

Duelist (D)

John Henry
Star Man



👉 Side Matches and Other Awards 👈

Top Gun
John Henry

Man on Man
Maker-Wright

Long Range Pistol
Shootin Hoosier
Iron Horse Babe

Long Range Saddle Gun
Maker-Wright
John Henry

Long Range Big Bore Lever
Shootin Hoosier
Silverton

Long Range Single Shot
Shootin Hoosier
J.W. Dixon

Cannonball
Star Man
Maker-Wright

Poker Shoot
Dirty Polecat
Iron Horse Babe

Derringer
J.W. Dixon
Bobwire Rich

Pocket Pistol
Silverton
J.W. Dixon

1st Place Team Shoot
Bloody Lane, Haywire Snuffy,
Midnite Slim, Silverton, Star Man

2nd Place Team Shoot
Bobwire Rich, Dirty Polecat,
Lost River Bill, Sam Spurs

Workin Duds Ladies
Iron Horse Babe
Haywire Snuffy

Formal Attire Ladies
Haywire Snuffy
Nina Nick-Em

Workin Duds Men
K-K
Dirty Polecat

Formal Attire Men
Shootin Hoosier
Midnite Slim



DATE July 30- Aug 1, 2010											Stage 1					Stage 2					Stage 3				
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Class	Class Final	Posse #	Total Raw Time	Total Time	Total Miss	Total Proc	Total Bon	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time
1	62117	Maker-Wright	W	1	2	381.25	416.25	8	0	1	43.76				43.76	39.70	1			44.70	36.41	2			46.41
2	87712	Bobwire Rich	49	1	2	550.67	645.67	18	1	1	60.68				60.68	53.72	2			63.72	63.93	4	1		93.93
3	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	49	2	2	553.04	653.04	21	0	1	49.03	1			54.03	49.91	1			54.91	50.69	4			70.69
4	20688	Silverton	S	1	1	546.29	656.29	20	1	0	66.57	2	1		86.57	59.74	4			79.74	42.33	3			57.33
5	7317 L	John Henry	D	1	1	544.68	669.68	26	0	1	59.22	7			94.22	51.41	2			61.41	48.82	2			58.82
6	71468	Star Man	D	2	1	583.38	688.38	22	0	1	55.18	4			75.18	60.23	2			70.23	64.27	4			84.27
7	48974	Bloody Lane	49	3	1	634.62	719.62	18	0	1	66.45	1			71.45	65.21				65.21	65.19	5			90.19
8	57060	Dirty Polecat	S	2	2	594.29	724.29	27	0	1	60.82	4			80.82	66.17	3			81.17	53.99	7			88.99
9	21	Hondo	ES	1	1	562.06	737.06	35	0	0	54.92				54.92	57.72	7			92.72	51.20	8			91.20
10	28607 L	Yaro	ES	2	2	627.23	747.23	25	0	1	58.52	1			63.52	82.76	6			112.76	58.74	4			78.74
11	61323	JW Dixon	S	2	2	698.79	758.79	11	1	1	65.33				65.33	70.30	6			100.30	74.52				74.52
12	80160	Silver Tip Grizz	SD	1	1	738.86	768.86	7	0	1	80.53	2			90.53	84.18				84.18	65.23	2			75.23
13	66901	Haywire Snuffy	LW	1	2	679.76	784.76	20	1	1	76.84				76.84	65.10	3			80.10	71.73	5	1		106.73
14	69505	Einerd Fist	C	1	2	613.19	788.19	36	0	1	77.30	2			87.30	60.89	2			70.89	69.17	6			99.17
15	na	Mayhem Matt	C	2	2	696.04	816.04	23	1	1	75.04				75.04	76.82	5			101.82	66.61	4			86.61
16	64401	Midnight Slim	D	3	2	593.85	838.85	48	1	1	61.30	3			76.30	59.14	3			74.14	54.56	13			119.56
17	42774	K-BAR-K	49	4	1	725.50	885.50	32	0	0	83.06	1			88.06	72.28	3			87.28	66.37	6			96.37
18	7773	Doc Cuervo	SD	2	1	747.42	887.42	25	2	1	72.70	1			77.70	75.17	4	1		105.17	79.88	4			99.88
19	71469	Iron Hores Babe	LW	2	1	787.15	922.15	28	0	1	74.62	3			89.62	88.34	2			98.34	86.92	4			106.92
20	67199	Sam Spurs	49	5	2	768.45	958.45	37	1	1	73.20	4			93.20	75.80	5	1		110.80	72.86	6			102.86
21	8347	Lostriver Bill	S	4	1	912.23	1022.23	17	3	1	82.36	3			97.36	95.18				95.18	93.60	3			108.60

Alias Name	Stage 4					Stage 5					Stage 6					Stage 7					Stage 8					Stage 9				
	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time
Maker-Wright	51.61	1		1	51.61	43.08				43.08	38.71				38.71	45.07				45.07	46.30	4			66.30	36.61				36.61
Bobwire Rich	58.59	1		1	58.59	68.10	3			83.10	52.35	1			57.35	78.60	1			83.60	60.51	4			80.51	54.19	2			64.19
Shootin' Hoosier	60.25	3		1	70.25	57.99	2			67.99	43.32	5			68.32	132.21				132.21	63.08	5			88.08	46.56				46.56
Silverton	73.31	1			78.31	60.66	1			65.66	49.19	3			64.19	77.49				77.49	63.38	6			93.38	53.62				53.62
John Henry	64.07			1	59.07	69.73	2			79.73	58.94				58.94	70.49	3			85.49	62.48	10			112.48	59.52				59.52
Star Man	70.67	5		1	90.67	68.54				68.54	59.66				59.66	69.51				69.51	63.99	6			93.99	71.33	1			76.33
Bloody Lane	74.27	1		1	74.27	74.77	1			79.77	64.35	1			69.35	81.26	1			86.26	81.71	8			121.71	61.41				61.41
Dirty Polecat	68.86			1	63.86	72.26	2			82.26	57.90	2			67.90	69.13	2			79.13	82.46	6			112.46	62.70	1			67.70
Hondo	89.59				89.59	65.88	3			80.88	52.33	3			67.33	72.23	2			82.23	65.26	9			110.26	52.93	3			67.93
Yaro	70.91	2		1	75.91	76.02	1			81.02	70.88	2			80.88	79.36	1			84.36	65.95	7			100.95	64.09	1			69.09
JW Dixon	86.30		1	1	91.30	84.16				84.16	63.79				63.79	88.50	2			98.50	85.58	3			100.58	80.31				80.31
Silver Tip Grizz	104.48			1	99.48	85.81				85.81	70.25				70.25	81.17				81.17	88.99	3			103.99	78.22				78.22
Haywire Snuffly	91.34	2		1	96.34	85.26	1			90.26	60.61	1			65.61	84.64				84.64	81.59	7			116.59	62.65	1			67.65
Einerd Fist	79.14	6		1	104.14	79.53				79.53	58.17	2			68.17	57.71	3			72.71	73.54	8			113.54	57.74	7			92.74
Mayhem Matt	73.34	3		1	83.34	101.78	2			111.78	77.75	7	1		122.75	80.86				80.86	68.89				68.89	74.95	2			84.95
Midnight Slim	86.34	7	1	1	126.34	76.64	5			101.64	73.81	4			93.81	61.19	3			76.19	70.85	8			110.85	50.02	2			60.02
K-BAR-K	82.87	3			97.87	91.70	1			96.70	71.81	6			101.81	93.93	2			103.93	87.86	9			132.86	75.62	1			80.62
Doc Cuervo	106.13	1		1	106.13	94.34	1			99.34	82.07	2	1		102.07	85.85	1			90.85	77.09	10			127.09	74.19	1			79.19
Iron Hores Babe	98.34	4		1	113.34	88.77	3			103.77	73.45	1			78.45	124.46	5			149.46	87.78	5			112.78	64.47	1			69.47
Sam Spurs	87.60	3		1	97.60	131.89	3			146.89	61.54	3			76.54	100.00	1			105.00	86.67	9			131.67	78.89	3			93.89
Lostriver Bill	134.61		1	1	139.61	89.84				89.84	85.95	3	1		110.95	118.78				118.78	116.06	7			151.06	95.85	1	1		110.85

DATE July 30, 2010		Colorado Cannonball					
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj. Time
1	71468	Star Man	122.94				122.94
2	62117	Maker-Wright	100.41	3	1		125.41
3	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	133.47	0			133.47
4	21	Hondo	118.79	3			133.79
5	87712	Bobwire Rich	133.40	3			148.40
6	7317 L	John Henry	135.45	3			150.45
7	48974	Bloody Lane	148.03	2			158.03
8	na	Mayhem Matt	163.67	0			163.67
9	20688	Silverton	154.70	2			164.70
10	57060	Dirty Polecat	147.48	4			167.48
11	28607 L	Yaro	148.03	4			168.03
12	66901	Haywire Snuffy	164.28	2			174.28
13	64401	Midnight Slim	151.68	3	1		176.68
14	61323	JW Dixon	176.12	1			181.12
15	42774	K-BAR-K	162.40	4			182.40
16	7773	Doc Cuervo	172.49	3			187.49
17	8347	Lostriver Bill	163.01	3	1		188.01
18	71469	Iron Hores Babe	187.47	2			197.47
19	80160	Silver Tip Grizz	209.73	1			214.73

DATE July 30, 2010		Long Range Pistol		
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Hits	Time
1	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	3	27.05
2	71469	Iron Hores Babe	2	22.98
3	61323	JW Dixon	2	29.80
4	71468	Star Man	1	15.16
5		Bubba	1	15.77
6	na	Mayhem Matt	1	16.05
7	66901	Haywire Snuffy	1	18.45
8	62117	Maker-Wright	1	19.91
9	57060	Dirty Polecat	1	21.94
10	87712	Bobwire Rich	1	24.24
11	64401	Midnight Slim	1	30.14
12	21	Hondo	0	12.56
13	28607 L	Yaro	0	15.77
14	20688	Silverton	0	18.04
15	69505	Einerd Fist	0	18.82
16	7317 L	John Henry	0	19.03
17	42774	K-BAR-K	0	20.49
18	48974	Bloody Lane	0	21.06
19	67199	Sam Spurs	0	24.29

DATE July 30, 2010		Long Range Saddle Gun		
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Hits	Time
1	62117	Maker-Wright	3	34.34
2	7317 L	John Henry	2	23.33
3	28607 L	Yaro	2	24.40
4	67199	Sam Spurs	2	32.24
5	71469	Iron Hores Babe	2	32.48
6	87712	Bobwire Rich	2	34.90
7	64401	Midnight Slim	2	39.90
8	69505	Einerd Fist	1	16.07
9	42774	K-BAR-K	1	23.00
10	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	1	23.85
11	na	Mayhem Matt	1	24.03
12	48974	Bloody Lane	1	25.09
13	61323	JW Dixon	1	32.63
14		Bubba	1	95.37
15	71468	Star Man	0	12.93
16	21	Hondo	0	17.78
17	20688	Silverton	0	20.02
18	57060	Dirty Polecat	0	21.37
19	66901	Haywire Snuffy	0	22.35

DATE July 30, 2010		Long Range Big Bore Lever		
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Hits	Time
1	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	5	24.35
2	20688	Silverton	5	41.42
3	48974	Bloody Lane	5	43.93
4	42774	K-BAR-K	3	41.18
5	na	Mayhem Matt	2	28.29
6	28607 L	Yaro	2	37.75
7	87712	Bobwire Rich	2	154.23
8	7317 L	John Henry	1	31.06
9	21	Hondo	1	36.80
10	61323	JW Dixon	1	56.60

DATE July 30, 2010		Long Range Big Bore Single Shot		
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Hits	Time
1	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	4	101.94
2	61323	JW Dixon	4	110.72
3	na	Mayhem Matt	4	138.61
4	42774	K-BAR-K	3	72.30
5	28607 L	Yaro	3	77.12
6	7317 L	John Henry	3	83.95
7	71469	Iron Hores Babe	3	92.45
8	48974	Bloody Lane	3	135.32
9	71468	Star Man	2	73.36
10	20688	Silverton	1	78.34
11	64401	Midnight Slim	1	93.76
12	66901	Haywire Snuffy	1	165.87
13	57060	Dirty Polecat	0	89.60
14	87712	Bobwire Rich	0	119.35

DATE July 30, 2010		Derringer		
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Score	Time
1	61323	JW Dixon	19	12.68
2	87712	Bobwire Rich	18	8.02
3	7317 L	John Henry	16	2.93
4	28607 L	Yaro	16	12.12
5	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	14	8.93
6	69505	Einerd Fist	14	9.91
7	64401	Midnight Slim	14	18.07
8	21	Hondo	13	2.51
9	na	Mayhem Matt	13	8.61
10	42774	K-BAR-K	12	3.91
11	66901	Haywire Snuffy	8	13.62
12	67199	Sam Spurs	5	33.21
13	71468	Star Man	0	1.76
14	71469	Iron Hores Babe	0	2.32

DATE July 30, 2010		Pocket Pistol			
Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Score	X's	Time
1	20688	Silverton	37	1	13.94
2	61323	JW Dixon	37		22.72
3	21	Hondo	36	1	4.30
4	64296 L	Shootin' Hoosier	34		18.09
5		Bubba	33	2	41.71
6	71469	Iron Hores Babe	32		3.33
7	71468	Star Man	28		1.68
8	7317 L	John Henry	28		4.34
9	42774	K-BAR-K	24	1	7.44
10	na	Mayhem Matt	21		14.14
11	28607 L	Yaro	18		15.71

DATE Aug 1, 2010			Top Gun					
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Match Final	SASS #	Alias Name	Class	Raw Time	M	P	B	Adj Time
1	7317 L	John Henry	D	60.23				60.23
2	62117	Maker-Wright	W	52.48	2			62.48
3	87712	Bobwire Rich	49	62.15	4			82.15
4	20688	Silverton	S	60.46	6			90.46
5	21	Hondo	ES	64.16	6	1		104.16
6	69505	Einerd Fist	C	71.07	7			106.07
7	66901	Haywire Snuffy	LW	90.53	9			135.53



COLORADO SHAKETAAILS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Membership gives you the opportunity to run for office, vote for officials and generally be a valuable part of the oldest SASS club in the State.

Family members have one vote per family. Individual members have one vote as well.

Officers of the SHAKETAAILS are President, Vice President, Secretary, At-Large-Board Member, Treasurer, Territorial Governor, and Match Director

Member Information			
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SASS Alias		SASS Number	
Mailing Address			
City		State	Zip Code
Phone Number	Fax Number		Email
Family Members			
Signature			Date
Paid By <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Check – Check #		Paid Amount \$	Amount Received (office use only)

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SHAKETAILE XXII

August 5-7, 2010

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Some Nearby Clubs Along The Front Range

Club Name & City	Shoot Dates	Contact Alias
<u>The Colorado Cowboys</u> Lake George, CO	1st Saturday	el Gato Gordo 719-683-6713
<u>Coyote Gulch Cowboys</u> Boulder, CO	2nd Saturday	T.J. Walker 303-494-5229
<u>Pawnee Station</u> Wellington, CO	3rd Saturday	Red Creek Dick Martin 303-857-0520
<u>Rockvale Bunch</u> Rockvale, CO	3rd Saturday	<u>Nevada Steel</u> 719-784-6683
<u>Pawnee Sportmens Center</u> Briggsdale, CO	4th Saturday	Governor General 970-484-3789
<u>Sand Creek Raiders</u> Byers, CO	4th Sunday	<u>Sweetwater Bill</u> 303-366-8827