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June, 2003

4th of July Special Shoots Announced

A special 3-day shoot has been scheduled for the 3 day July 4th weekend. Here are the details:

FRIDAY, JULY 4TH MORNING MATCH—Mandatory shooter's meeting at 7:30 AM, match begins at 8:00 AM. Cost will be \$7.00 for members and \$10.00 for non-members.

SATURDAY, JULY 5TH MORNING MATCH—Mandatory shooter's meeting at 7:30 AM, match begins at 8:00 AM. Cost is \$7.00 for members and \$10.00 for non-members.

SUNDAY, JULY 6TH—REGULAR MONTHLY MATCH—Mandatory shooter's meeting at 8:30 AM, match begins at 9:00 am. Cost is \$12.00 for members and \$17.00 for non-members.

Almost Dangerous will be cooking dinner on Friday and Saturday evenings. Cost is \$8.00 per meal.

Please let Miss Becky know if you would like to shoot for 3 days and/or have dinner Friday and/or Saturday. We would like an idea of how many will be shooting on Friday or Saturday (or both). Remember that you must RSVP for either or both dinners! No later than July 1st.

One more item about the July 4th weekend. The range is very dry this time of year. Fire is a constant concern.

NO FIREWORKS OR FIRECRACKERS ARE ALLOWED ON THE RANGE—NO EXCEPTIONS

Letter From the Sheriff

The heat is upon us so don't forget to bring plenty of water and your snacks for the shoot day. Just a reminder - we do not stop for lunch on match day. If we did none of us would leave before 3:00 or 4:00 PM.

Don't forget that if all runs smooth and everyone helps out on your posse we all will get done sooner, therefore we will get out of the heat. Also we will have a chance to sit around in the shade and visit with those who we have not seen after the match.

Notes on housekeeping--the State Match is just around the corner and some of the bays still need some final cleaning. Also we need lots of volunteers to help out with the State Match, so let one of us know if we can count on you. We still have lots of work to do before the State Match so lets get out early on Saturday while it is cool and get as much done as we can before it gets hot. July is a 3 day match, which we will not have a clean up day. So show up for the fun. Remember to RSVP to Becky so we can be prepared for how many.

Just a tidbit on safety, last month I notice that we are getting a little lax on muzzle control. Remember it does not matter if that gun is unloaded or not, it is not proper gun safety, to not control the muzzle. Keep it pointed in a safe direction, this means at all times. Even after the match when we are all sitting around and looking at each other's guns. Don't forget you are the best safety there is.

Cathouse Clark

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COMING EVENTS

Friday and Saturday July 4th and 5th—5 Dogs Special Holiday Shoots—MANDATORY SHOOTER'S MEETING AT 7:30 EACH DAY--MATCH BEGINS AT 8:00.—Dinner Friday and Saturday evenings (RSVP FOR EITHER OR BOTH DINNERS BY TUESDAY JULY 1ST!).

SUNDAY July 6th—5 Dogs Monthly Match. MANDATORY SHOOTERS MEETING AT 8:30—MATCH at 9:00 (Summer hours)

SATURDAY BEFORE THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH—The California Desperadoes mounted shooters practice/pot shoot. Contact Pasqual Benito, a.k.a. Mickey Michel (661)323-0497.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH—Chorro Valley Regulators at San Luis Obispo/Morrow Bay. Call Riley (805)489-4989 for directions and times.

THIRD SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH—Kings River Regulators at Fresno Rifle & Pistol Club Range. Mandatory shooters' meeting at 8:30 AM. Match at 9:00 AM. Call Leon Chisum (559)673-7416 for more information
