

# 5 DOGS CREEK

## MONTHLY MATCH CHECKLIST

### 60 Days in Advance

- Determine theme, if any
- Notify Newsletter Editor of any special preparations shooters should plan for at your match (i.e. B-Western dress, extra shot-gun ammunition, etc.)
- Determine what bays you plan to use so other will know which bays are available for other activities; let the sheriff (or deputy) know your plans
- Announce at shooters' meeting any special preparations so shooters can plan WELL in advance and make their arrangements.

### 30 Days in Advance

- Write the first draft of your scenarios
  - Consider compatibility for cap-n-ball shooters, gunfighters, juniors, seniors etc.
  - Check for balance of stages in terms of timing
- Line up volunteers to serve as posse leaders

### 15 Days in Advance

- Walk through stage design with Sheriff (or designee) and finalize
- Schedule walk-through with posse leaders
- If needed, schedule time and volunteers to help you setup targets
- Assemble any special props

### **Day of the Match**

- Do a final review of your stages to be sure everything is in place
- Put out loading tables and rugs (can be done the day prior); put away after match
- Conduct posse leader walk through before the shooters' meeting (can also do walk through the day prior if everyone is available). Provide written copy of stage descriptions.
- Be prepared to assist the Sheriff if any questions arise about *intent* of stage instructions.
- Accept the heartfelt appreciation of your fellow shooters!!*

***Don't hesitate to call the Sheriff anytime with  
questions or ideas.***