

I recently updated the mailing list, so some of you may be getting my emails for the first time.

We are already planning for the 2024 Wild Bunch and SUMS events! It takes a tremendous amount of effort to make the matches a success. We are seeking volunteers to spread the load out.

Volunteers are encouraged to attend as many major match meetings as they can, especially the later ones closer to the events so that we have good communication.

Wild Bunch - May 11 and 12

SUMS - July 5, 6, and 7

Please review the following task list and let me know 1) which task you are willing to perform and 2) which match you are willing to assist with, Wild Bunch or SUMS, or BOTH. In the event that multiple people volunteer for the same task, the option goes to the first response.

1) Raffle: For larger donated items (such as firearms or quilts, etc.).

- Take possession of the prize(s)
- Help solicit for prize(s)
- Display the prize(s) at match near registration table
- Sell tickets
- Collect funds
- Organize the drawing during the awards ceremony

2) Side Match Setup - SUMS:

- Assist Scout Brown with moving targets and prepping the range for side matches Friday July 5

3) Memorial - in the event that a member passes away before SUMS (heaven forbid!)

- Obtain photos of the member(s)
- Set up a display table
- Arrange shooter(s) for the blast
- Coordinate the bell ringing at the SUMS banquet

Hopefully, we won't need one this year!

4) Chili Cook-off - Assistant to Ginger Snap:

- This position is to assist Ginger Snap with setup for the cook-off
- Assist with arranging crock pots
- Assist with passing out chili samples
- Assist with clean up after

5) Range Set Up - Three (3) Volunteers needed for EACH MATCH:

- Set out table rugs
- Set up unloading table: bags, pans
- Set out picking tools
- Set out buckets
- Set out brass-picker tip boxes
- Staple shooter lines to props
- Place first aid kit and eye and ear protection boxes under the overhead
- Tidy up the place and ensure all props are straight and secure
- Set up canopies

6) Name Badges: The club has a button-making machine.

- Assist with button design
- Obtain participant name list
- Make the buttons (we have enough materials for both matches already)
- Deliver buttons to registration table day of match

7) Food - Chuck Wagon

- Gunleather, Lizzie Mae, and Lanky Jane have volunteered to manage meals. If you are willing to help prepare a dish, set up, or cleanup afterwards, please speak up!

If you volunteer for one of these task, you will be responsible for seeing it through, but those of us who have done it before will gladly give guidance. Your help is appreciated!

Yee-haw! I'm already excited for the 2024 shooting season!

Flaco Joe
Trail Boss