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Newsletter of the **Valdosta Vigilance Committee**

November 2017

Big Country wins the November 2017 Shootout

What a beautiful November day for a shootout! We had partly cloudy skies, with temperatures starting in the upper 50s and climbing to about 89 degrees. The camaraderie and the weather made for a near perfect day. After the match some of the cowboys enjoyed lunch together under the pavilion. The barbecue from Sam was great, as usual.

Fourteen cowboys made it to the shootout, including **Southern Slim**, who was here at the Valdosta shootout for the first time. Several of the cowboys were shooting on our new action pistol arrange for the first time. All the shelters on that range are now complete, and we anticipate this being a great venue for our monthly matches as well as our annual match.

Southern Slim managed to shoot the match clean, in spite of the rifle problems he had to work through. Congratulations!

Big Country was Top Gun, with **Christian Mortician** and **Little Dear Drewzter** coming in Second and Third, respectively.

We had a hard working posse, which made the match run very smoothly. Everyone took a job when not loading, shooting, or unloading, so that we all shared the load. We were able to finish all six stages before 1:00pm and had all the steel picked up and put away shortly thereafter.

Goliath's trip and face plant was not nearly as spectacular as **Wabash's** famous Slip-and-Slide performances. [He did look around

to see if there was a little David with his sling!] Nothing injured except his pride.

Thanks to **Big Country** and **Goliath** for setting up the steel on Friday afternoon. It seemed too hot for a November afternoon! But it sure beats shoveling snow!

Thanks to **Macinaw** for taking some videos of the match and posting them on **Facebook**. This gives us some positive exposure!

Thanks to all the cowboys who helped with getting the steel picked up and put away after the match. Thanks to **Ranger John Paxton** who volunteered his truck to pull the trailer to get it loaded and back in the target shed after the match.

Category Winners:

49er – Pappy Lafitte
Senior – Papa Wombat
Lady Senior – Lady Ace
Silver Senior – Southern Slim
Elder Statesman – Light Load
Cattle Baron – Ranger John Paxton
Gunfighter – Cody Witt
Senior Duelist – Goliath
Josie Wales - Macinaw

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December Shootout

December 2, 2017
6 stages
\$10 entry fee
Gates open at 7:30, registration at 8:00, shooting starts at 9:00

2018 Shootout on the Little River

The 11th Annual *Shootout on the Little River* is scheduled for

January 6, 2018. The application is attached.

Shootout on the Santa Fe

Congratulations to **Wabash Valley Slim** and **Big Country** who were the top two shooters respectively at the *Shootout on the Santa Fe* in Fort White in October. They represented the *Valdosta Vigilance Committee* very well at that match

Rendezvous at Red Hills

The Red Hills Rangers will hold their first Annual Match, **Rendezvous at Red Hills**, on Saturday, November 18, 2017. Application is on the website: <https://redhillsrangers.wordpress.com/>

Other Monthly Matches

- **November 11, 2016** – Fort White monthly match
<http://www.fwcc.net/>
- **November 18, 2016** – Red Hills Rangers in Midway, FL – Annual Match
<https://redhillsrangers.wordpress.com/>
- **November 25, 2016** – Panhandle Cattle Company match in Chipley, FL
<http://www.panhandlecattleco.com/>
- **November 25, 2016** – Cowford Regulators in Jacksonville
<http://cowfordregulators.com/>
- **November 26, 2016** – Roughshod Raiders in Gainesville, FL
www.roughshodraiders.com/

Happy Trails

11/4/2017

November 2017 Shootout

Valdosta Vigilance Committee

Over All	Alias	Category	Cat Fin	St	Total Raw	TM	TP	TS	TB	Total Time	Stage 1				Stage 2				Stage 3				Stage 4				Stage 5				Stage 6									
											Raw	M	P	B	S	Raw	M	P	B	S	Raw	M	P	B	S	Raw	M	P	B	S	Raw	M	P	B	S	Raw	M	P	B	S
											1	Big Country	Top Gun	1	GA	112.89	1	0	0	0	117.89	19.1	1	0	0	0	18.99	0	0	0	0	17.65	0	0	0	0	17.77	0	0	0
2	Christian Mortician	Top Gun	2	GA	115.25	3	0	0	0	130.25	17.38	0	0	0	0	23.39	0	0	0	0	14.76	0	0	0	0	18.98	0	0	0	0	19.55	2	0	0	0	21.19	1	0	0	0
3	Little Dead Drewzter	Top Gun	3	FL	144.49	2	0	0	0	154.49	25.53	0	0	0	0	26.23	0	0	0	0	22.38	0	0	0	0	23.13	1	0	0	0	20.88	1	0	0	0	26.34	0	0	0	0
4	Light Load	Elder Statesmen	1	FL	177.75	1	0	0	0	182.75	32.56	0	0	0	0	29.77	1	0	0	0	26.93	0	0	0	0	28.67	0	0	0	0	25.61	0	0	0	0	34.21	0	0	0	0
5	Ranger John Paxton	Cattle Baron	1	FL	172.08	2	1	0	0	192.08	30.17	0	0	0	0	28.72	0	1	0	0	26.19	0	0	0	0	26.86	0	0	0	0	28.68	1	0	0	0	31.46	1	0	0	0
6	Pappy Lafitte	49er	1	GA	146.75	10	0	0	0	196.75	29.09	3	0	0	0	23.72	0	0	0	0	23.12	0	0	0	0	19.14	3	0	0	0	25.24	3	0	0	0	26.44	1	0	0	0
7	Cody Witt	Gunfighter	1	FL	181.9	4	0	0	0	201.9	37.26	0	0	0	0	30.87	1	0	0	0	22.88	0	0	0	0	31.26	1	0	0	0	30.73	2	0	0	0	28.9	0	0	0	0
8	Papa Wombat	Senior	1	GA	230.94	3	0	0	0	245.94	37.7	2	0	0	0	37.25	0	0	0	0	40.64	0	0	0	0	38.42	0	0	0	0	38.28	1	0	0	0	38.65	0	0	0	0
9	J Bird Blue	Gunfighter	2	FL	230.44	5	1	0	0	265.44	39.35	2	0	0	0	40.86	0	1	0	0	36.71	1	0	0	0	36.64	1	0	0	0	34.18	1	0	0	0	42.7	0	0	0	0
9	Goliath	Senior Duelist	1	GA	245.44	4	0	0	0	265.44	37.29	1	0	0	0	34.08	0	0	0	0	33.71	1	0	0	0	34.48	0	0	0	0	61.2	2	0	0	0	44.68	0	0	0	0
10	Macinaw	Josie Wales	1	FL	254.83	6	1	0	0	294.83	43.58	2	0	0	0	50.83	2	0	0	0	36.06	0	0	0	0	40.36	0	0	0	0	39.24	0	0	0	0	44.76	2	1	0	0
11	Shawnee Kid	Elder Statesmen	2	GA	266.43	7	1	0	0	311.43	40.19	0	0	0	0	37.94	1	0	0	0	44.04	2	0	0	0	31.58	1	0	0	0	58.24	2	1	0	0	54.44	1	0	0	0
12	Lady Ace	Ladies Senior	1		301.99	7	0	0	0	336.99	48.45	0	0	0	0	51.18	2	0	0	0	61.82	0	0	0	0	39.05	0	0	0	0	50.36	3	0	0	0	51.13	2	0	0	0
13	Southern Slim	Silver Senior	1		518.92	0	0	0	0	518.92	91.18	0	0	0	0	81.08	0	0	0	0	79.64	0	0	0	0	74.83	0	0	0	0	99.35	0	0	0	0	92.84	0	0	0	0



THE VALDOSTA VIGILANCE COMMITTEE
Presents 11th Annual
SHOOTOUT ON THE LITTLE RIVER 2018



A TRIBUTE TO JOEL MCCREA
JANUARY 6, 2018

Name:		SASS #:
Alias:		Phone #:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Email:		
Posse with (not guaranteed):		
<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Silver Senior
<input type="checkbox"/> Buckaroo/Buckarett (Under 14)	<input type="checkbox"/> Elder Statesman / Grand Dame	<input type="checkbox"/> Gunfighter
<input type="checkbox"/> Young Guns (14-16)	<input type="checkbox"/> Cattle Baron	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Gunfighter
<input type="checkbox"/> Cowboy/Cowgirl	<input type="checkbox"/> Duelist	<input type="checkbox"/> Classic Cowboy/Cowgirl
<input type="checkbox"/> Wrangler/Lady Wrangler (36+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Duelist	<input type="checkbox"/> B-Western
<input type="checkbox"/> Forty-Niners	<input type="checkbox"/> Silver Senior Duelist	<input type="checkbox"/> Frontier Cartridge
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior	<input type="checkbox"/> Elder Statesman Duelist	<input type="checkbox"/> Frontier Cartridge Duelist
		<input type="checkbox"/> Frontiersman

			Make checks payable to:
First Entry (BBQ lunch included)	\$45.00	\$	LRSA
All other Family Members (BBQ lunch Included)	\$35.00	\$	
Junior (age 16 & under) (BBQ lunch Included)	\$20.00	\$	Mail to:
Extra BBQ lunches (BBQ for shooters included in Entry Fee)	\$15.00	\$	
TOTAL		\$	David Boyd 4017 N Oak St Ext Valdosta, GA 31605
<p align="center">Please use ONE APPLICATION PER SHOOTER. Send all family entries with main entry. You must pre-register for this match. All applications must be postmarked before 12/16/2017.</p>			

All SASS Categories will be recognized and awarded.

- Eight stages
- This is **not** a lost brass match
- Lots of awards and giveaways
- Best BBQ (Ribs, Pork & Chicken) in south Georgia
- Watch the website for updated match info.

Please fill out and send in with your application the release that is attached to this application.

A separate release should be included with each entry and guest attending.

Confirmation will be sent via email. If written confirmation is requested please include a self addressed envelope. No refunds after December 29, 2017.

If you have any questions please call Goliath at 229-244-3161 or email at bigboyd@gmail.com

Little River Sportsman's Association Range – 19925 Valdosta Highway, Valdosta, GA 31602

All LRSA, SASS and VVC rules apply.

LRSA and VVC reserve the right to refuse any application.

LITTLE RIVER SPORTSMAN’S ASSOC., INC. - RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER, AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

Assumption of Risk. In consideration of being allowed to participate as a guest at the LRSA range, I understand, accept and agree that the risks involved at a gun range are significant and may include personal injury, risk of death and damage of personal property. I choose to participate despite knowing the inherent risks involved, and I personally hereby assume all inherent risks to my person or property.

Waiver and Release. In consideration of the LRSA, Inc.’s agreement to allow me to use its range, I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin voluntarily agree to HEREBY RELEASE, WAIVE, DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS AND FOREVER DISCHARGE, the LRSA, Inc. and its employees, officers, agents, members, contractors, other participants, and any other persons or entities (“Releasees”), from any and all claims, WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, loss of services, or loss or damage to person or property, or otherwise, associated with my presence or participation, whether arising from the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

- **I understand that it is my obligation to read and abide by the range rules and the general rules of the LRSA, and that I will be held responsible for understanding and abiding by such rules.**
- **By signing this release, I am also certifying that I am not prohibited by Federal, State or local laws from possessing firearms, and that I am not under the influence of drugs or alcohol**

I have carefully read this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement. I fully understand its terms, and understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it. I therefore sign it freely and voluntarily without any inducement or prejudice.

This release is valid for the date of January 6, 2018 (Shootout on the Little River)

Date: _____

Guest - Signature

Valdosta Vigilance Committee
Member - Signature

Print Name

Address

City/State/Zip