

## *Stoney Bottom Gazette*

*August 8, 2015*

*Boy I just can't say enough about our shoot today. The weather was amazing. We had a great turnout of 60 shooters. Woody wrote some great stages once again and best of all we got to welcome back some cowboy friends we haven't seen since last season. Doesn't get much better than that!!*

*Our 3 day is right around the corner... if you haven't signed up yet...what are you waiting for? Just kidding... We have spent many hours planning a great shoot for you so we hope you mark it on your calendar to attend. Please get your registration forms turned in by September 7<sup>th</sup>. If for some reason you can't do it by this date please give us a call or send us an email. It makes the preparation much easier so we can plan for door prizes, awards and dinners. Our registration forms are available online. If you receive this newsletter by mail and need a form, give us a call and we will be happy to get you registered.*

*If you are not a club member and plan to camp at our 3 day event there will be access to the club starting on Thursday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:00a.m. This should give you plenty of time to get set up and settled in. We will also be having a small work party that day so if anyone is interested in lending a helping hand we would greatly appreciate it. Want to make sure our little town looks pretty for our 15<sup>th</sup> annual big event!*

*Well back to business... we had 12 clean shooters for our August match. Congratulations to: **AMOS STRAIGHT, BADFINGER BODENE, BARTENDER, COUNT EM CODY, FAYGO KID , HORSEKEEPER, MARSHALL BIXLER, OLE SADDLEBAGS, STEEL RIDER, THUNDER CREEK KID AND CAMP CREEK SKINNER.** I'm told **CURTICE CLAY** also made this list but if you've see him shoot you know than clean would be an exaggeration!!*

*Our top ten shooters for August are listed below! Congratulations!!*

1. FAYGO KID	123.68	6. DEWEY SHOOTEM	159.97
2. APACHE WOLF	125.84	7. KENTUCKY DRIFTER	160.17
3. BADFINGER BODENE	129.27	8. YEE HAW	160.83
4. MOE GUNNS	158.73	9. NEVADA GAMBLER	163.84
5. BOBBY TOO SMOOTH	159.81	10. HERSHEY BARR	164.01



*This handsome cowboy family is Moe Gunns, Eleanor Jewel, and Faygo Kid. Hey when you going to get Mike Fink to retire so he can come shoot with us too? Faygo was our #1 shooter and Moe was our #4.*

*Boy sure was good see this cowboy couple again!! This is Kentucky Drifter and Buslin' Belle. Drifter was our #7 shooter today. Always great having our Michigan Cowboys and Cowgirls back home!*



*Boy, look what being an outlaw can do. Pictured here is No Name who went from being a wanted man last month to a ladies' man this month!! Not bad for a Cattle Barron!*



*This handsome cowboy is Amos Straight. Amos is a veteran shooter to Stoney Bottom and was one of our clean shooters today! Amos has to miss our 3 day next month because he's going to be a Grandpa right around the time of our shoot! Congratulations in advance!!*



*This is Little Mama smiling pretty for the camera. Her and her other half YeeHaw took a road trip to come shoot with us today! Always great seeing the both of you and hope you come back again real soon!*



*What can I say.. This is Lefty Lobo Lee being Lefty Lobo Lee. So much fun to shoot with him and his beautiful wife Ivory Kay! So glad you guys made it out today! By the way thanks for stealing my photo!! For the record I shot this stage amazing!*



*This is Hank Williams clowning around with Curtice Clay. Hank owns CenterFire Bullet Casting with his wife Leah. They are here month after month supplying our cowboys with bullets. One request Hank, Can you make those bullets hit the targets a little better please?*

*Pictured here is Marshall Bixler taking a bow for his clean shoot. Actually when I took this picture he said "This one's for my wife Dorothy!"*

*How sweet is that! Great shooting once again Bix!!!*



*You can tell from the photo's I took how much fun this shoot was! Thanks to all who came out and traveled so far to join us today. Thanks to Luscious Liza and Ole Saddlebags who made one heck of a road trip and to Nevada Gambler and his crew who made quite a journey as well! You Cowboys and Cowgirls are the greatest! Hope to see you at the 3 day next month!*

*Your Cowboy Friends - Curtice & Cate*