

Hear Yee Hear Yee! Winter Range 2012

Howdy Renegades and a mea culpa (it's Lent after all) for being a wee bit tardy in letting you all know about how your Renegade pards did at the BigBigBig National Annual Match aka Winter Range. There were 'pert near 800 shooters and the Renegades were well represented by twelve brave souls forever and hereafter to be known as the NMRGR Dirty Dozen o "*la Docena Sucia de Nuevo Mexico.*"

The sun shone, the wind howled, the dust blew and skirts and hats and small kids and cats were seen flying in the breeze. Guns were bought and guns were dropped, secret recipes for magic reloads were exchanged and the vendors made a nice penny off of some folks! Well, I was just trying to help out the economy!

So how did your RGR pards do you ask? Well what do you think? They did you proud! Buckles Galore!

WILD BUNCH

Traditional

9th Tex

10th Garrison Joe

Lady Traditional

1st Texas Tiger and First Lady WB Overall

Men's Modern

4th Boggus Deal

And you know what? Six of the "*Docena Sucia*" competed in WB! All together 11/107 WB competitors actually hailed from NM! It was great to see our fellow

New Mexicans show up and shoot it up! Next year there is bound to be even more from our neck of the woods I'll betcha'! You know NM was admitted to the U.S. of A before AZ but we didn't get a flag Star till they came along. I suppose 'cause they was closer to that Hollywood place...

ACTION MATCH

Lady B-Western

9th EzGz (and it wasn't easy!)

Senior

6th English Lyn

Cowboy

8th Mica McGuire

Cowgirl

8th Amber Ale

Wrangler

7th Boggus Deal

Lady Wrangler

1st Texas Tiger

Frontier Cartridge Duelist

10th Wild Horse John

Grand Dame

4th Lawless Lori Sue

SIDE MATCHES

Fast Draw Cowgirl

1st Amber Ale

2nd Texas Tiger

What fun it was to shoot away from our Hayes City Home on the Range. Cat Ballou and Tex were their usual lovebirds, Garrison Joe was as classically cowboy dashing as ever, Tijeras Pete was wondering where his sweetheart was and it sure was great to have a Captain Baylor sighting even though he was incognito as Gen. Robert E. Lee, (coming in second in the Military Costume category I might add)!

But for all the fun that was had, You were missed! There is still time enough to save those pennies, clip those coupons, eat those TV dinners to grubsteak yourself for next years' Winter Range 2013 Feb 18th-24th , Phoenix,AZ.

See You Down Range!

EzGz, Town Crier Hayes City

P.S.

Dear Reader the NM State Match will be my next installment. I am working myself backwards 'cause I see myself comin' and a goin'!