

# The Sentinel

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Newsletter of the **Valdosta Vigilance Committee**

March 2009

## Dapper Dave wins the March Shootout

The March 2009 shootout was held on a warm, sunny Spring-like day in South Georgia. We had twelve shooters for this shootout. We were able to run through the five scenarios fairly quickly, and had everything picked up and stored by about 1:30pm.

**Dapper Dave** must have spent some time practicing! **Wabash Valley Slim** (aka **Rainman**) placed second while **Doc Carter** finished in third.

It was good to see **Whiskey Red** and **Christian Mortician** back for their second shoot. Young Gun **Half-Cocked Caleb** (Red's son) shot his first match, and performed very well.

It was good to have **Doc Carter** and **Satilla Slim** and their family with us the first time this year, as **Bank Floyd**.

Top shooters in by category were:  
Young Gun – **Satilla Slim**  
Cowboy – **Whiskey Red**  
49er – **G B Smokey**  
Senior – **Big Boyd**  
Elder – **Dynomite Don**

We had a few spectators who seemed to enjoy watching the match as well. Some of them pitched in helping reset, spot and pick up brass. We appreciate the help and they will join us in the shooting activities soon.

Everybody seemed to have a good time at this match with a variety of scenarios. Some of the ideas for these scenarios came from those at the match in February at Ft. White. Only one of the five scenarios was stand-and-shoot,

and that was due to the wet conditions in the bay in the woods.

As always, thanks to all those who helped – the RO-II certified folks who took turns running the timer, those who did a very legible job in recording scores, those who picked up brass and reset targets all day, and those spotted, watched loading and unloading tables, and those who helped clean up the range after the match. The match ran very smoothly because everybody pitched in.

Thanks also to **Dynomite Don**, **Papa Jake**, **Wabash Valley Slim**, **High Ransom**, **Whiskey Red**, **Half-Cocked Caleb** and **Big Boyd** who all helped set up the match on Friday afternoon.

## Annual Membership - Dues

It is time to pay dues for 2009. Thanks to all who have already paid. The dues schedule is as follows:

- ? Regular - \$20.00
- ? Junior - \$10.00
- ? Family - \$30.00

Please fill out a membership application (available on the website – <http://vvc.5u.com>). and mail it in.

## Annual Match

The **Shootout on the Little River** annual match will be on April 4, 2009, so mark you calendars.

The application form can be found on the website at this link:  
<http://vvc.5u.com/Documents/AnnualMatchApp.pdf>

We will recognize all the SASS categories as specified in the 2009 SASS® Shooter's Handbook. (Check out the handbooks on the SASS website at this link:

<http://sassnet.com/Shooters-Handbook-001A.php> ) Those who register on match day will be classified as Cowboy or Cowgirl. We need to have a fairly accurate count early for the caterer.

## Georgia State Match

2009 Georgia State SASS Match and Georgia State Black Powder Championship April 16 thru 19, 2009 at Doc Hollidays in Griffin Georgia. Info and application materials available on their website:  
<http://www.gacowboy.com/State.htm>

## Upcoming Matches

- ? March 21, 2009 - Rimfire Steel Plate match 9:00am, at the LRSA range. Shoot up to 3 weapons – you will need about 100 rounds per weapon \$10 match fee.
- ? March 28, 2009 - IPSC match 9:30am, on the Cowboy range, run by **High Plains Shifter** - \$15 fee.
- ? March 28, 2009 - 2700 Bullseye match 9:00am, on the pistol range - \$15 fee
- ? April 4, 2009 – **Shootout on the Little River** annual match
- ? April 16-19, 2009 **Georgia State SASS Match** in Griffin Georgia

Happy Trails!



# The Valdosta Vigilance Committee Annual Match Application



**April 4, 2009**  
**8:00 am signup**  
**9:00 am mandatory safety meeting**  
**5 scenarios**  
**2 Wild Bunch Scenarios (optional)**  
**side matches (speed rifle, speed pistol, cowboy clays, buffalo shoot, man-on-man)**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Alias \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

SASS# \_\_\_\_\_

Category (circle one)

- |                |                     |                    |                     |                    |              |
|----------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Cowboy         | Cowgirl             | Gunfighter         | Lady GF             | Duelist            | Lady Duelist |
| Wrangler       | Lady Wrangler       | Double Duelist     | Lady Double Duelist | 49er               |              |
| Lady 49er      | Senior              | Lady Senior        | Silver Senior       | Lady Silver Senior | Senior       |
| Duelist        | Lady Senior Duelist | Elder              | Grand Dame          | B-Western          |              |
| Lady B-Western | Young Gun           | Lady Young Gun     |                     | Buckaroo           | Buckarette   |
| Classic Cowboy | Classic Cowgirl     | Frontier Cartridge |                     | Frontiersman       |              |

**Fee: \$30.00 includes lunch and all side matches**  
**\$20.00 for youngsters (Young Guns & Buckaroos)**  
**\$15.00 for lunch (nonshooters)**

**Make Checks payable to: The Valdosta Vigilance Committee**  
**Mail to:**

**C/O David Boyd aka Big Boyd**  
**4017 N Oak St Ext**  
**Valdosta, GA 31605-1173**

	Alias	Cls	Scenario 1				Scenario 2				Scenario 3				Scenario 4				Scenario 5				Total		
			Raw	M	Time	R	Raw	M	Time	R	Raw	M	Time	R	Raw	M	P	Time	R	Raw	M	Time	R	Time	Rank
1	Dapper Dave	C	49.49	1	54.49	4	40.94	1	45.94	1	49.26		49.26	2	66.14			66.14	2	42.24		42.24	2	258.07	11
2	Wabash Valley Slim	C	46.49	1	51.49	2	72.37		72.37	10	39.92	1	44.92	1	53.98	1		58.98	1	39.20		39.20	1	266.96	15
3	Doc Carter	49r	49.32		49.32	1	49.34		49.34	3	56.08	1	61.08	7	71.52	1		76.52	5	42.95	1	47.95	6	284.21	22
4	Satilla Slim	Jr	54.29	2	64.29	7	51.52	1	56.52	5	40.50	3	55.50	4	59.33	2	1	79.33	6	39.66	1	44.66	3	300.30	25
5	Whiskey Red	C	56.48		56.48	5	69.88		69.88	9	53.98		53.98	3	65.10	2		75.10	4	40.55	1	45.55	4	300.99	25
6	Big Boyd	Sr	65.18	1	70.18	8	53.09		53.09	4	55.74		55.74	5	70.75			70.75	3	51.54	1	56.54	7	306.30	27
7	G B Smokey	49r	52.49		52.49	3	67.60		67.60	8	53.84	1	58.84	6	90.97	8		130.97	12	40.99	1	45.99	5	355.89	34
8	Dynamite Don	ES	80.35	1	85.35	10	46.15		46.15	2	66.04	2	76.04	10	75.13	1		80.13	7	46.91	2	56.91	8	344.58	37
9	Papa Jake	Sr	52.30	1	57.30	6	60.70		60.70	6	59.99	1	64.99	8	81.35	2		91.35	9	55.09	1	60.09	9	334.43	38
10	Bank Floyd	C	77.52	1	82.52	9	64.89		64.89	7	68.40		68.40	9	88.87			88.87	8	62.54		62.54	10	367.22	43
11	Christian Mortician	C	84.59	1	89.59	11	71.42	1	76.42	11	81.18	3	96.18	11	105.82	5		130.82	11	64.71	2	74.71	11	467.72	55
12	Half Cocked Caleb	Jr	106.81	1	111.81	12	89.17	3	104.17	12	81.05	5	106.05	12	103.53	4		123.53	10	65.89	5	90.89	12	536.45	58