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Newsletter of the [Valdosta Vigilance Committee](#)

November 2020

Sneaky Dickens wins the November 2020 Shootout

November 21, 2020, was a near-perfect day for a shootout. It was cool and partly cloudy – there was an occasional breeze, and the humidity was low. We began the day with temperatures in the mid 50s and by noon, the mercury had climbed into the mid 60s.

While many of our cowboy friends were at the Florida State match (*Ides of March in November*), seven brave cowboys rode in for this shootout. Several of them traveled a couple of hours to shoot with us, from the East. We have six cadets from the *Arnold Air Society* at Valdosta State University, who took care of most of the duties in making the match run smoothly. They reset targets, picked up brass, spotted, and kept score for us. **Light Load**, **J Bird Blue**, and **GB Smokey** shared the TO responsibilities.

After the match each of the cadets was given the opportunity to try out some of our cowboy guns. For some, this was their first experience with single action pistols, lever action rifles, and double barrel shotguns.

These cadets provided most of the muscle in tearing down and getting the steel targets put back in their proper places. They also policed the range. Thanks to them for making this match enjoyable for everyone involved.

We had no clean shooters at this match. **Sneaky Dickens** and **Goliath** had only one miss each.

Sneaky Dickens was Top Gun, with **Light Load** and **Papa**

Wombat coming in Second and Third, respectively.

Thanks to the cowboys who helped with final setup on Saturday morning, and to all those who helped with the tear-down and getting the steel picked up and put away, and with the policing of the range and all the small details that have to be taken care of at the end of the match.

Category Winners:

Cowboy – Blackfoot Jack
Elder Statesman – GB Smokey
Josie Wales – J Bird Blue
Elder Statesman Duelist – Goliath

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December Shootout

The December Shootout will be held on December 19. We will have six exciting stages for you as you make final preparations for Christmas

Congratulations

Special Congratulations to **Bucky Buckskin** who is the Southeast Region Champion and now the Florida State Champion as well.

Wabash Valley Slim, **Christian Mortician**, **Little Dead Drewzter**, and **Big Country** all represented our club well at both the Southeast Regional and the Florida State matches.

Other major matches in the region

- **Darkness Falls – SE Territorial BP Championship**, January 28,

2021 <http://fwcc.net/black-powder/se-territorial-bp-championship/>

- **A Dark Day on the Santa Fe - International BP Championship** January 29-30, 2021
<http://fwcc.net/black-powder/>

Other Monthly Matches

- **November 28, 2020** – *Panhandle Cattle Company* match in Chipley, FL
<http://www.panhandlecattleco.com/>
- **November 28, 2020** – *Cowford Regulators* in Jacksonville
<http://cowfordregulators.com/>
- **December 5, 2020** – *Roughshod Raiders* in Gainesville, FL
www.roughshodraiders.com/
- **December 12, 2020** – *Fort White Cowboy Cavalry*
<http://www.fwcc.net/>
- **December 12, 2020** – *Red Hills Rangers* in Midway, FL
<https://redhillsrangers.wordpress.com/>
- **December 19, 2020** – *Valdosta Vigilance Committee* monthly Shootout - <http://vvc.lrsa.info/>

Be sure to visit some of these clubs for their monthly matches
Happy Trails

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November 2020 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	Sneaky Dickens	Top Gun	1	GA	174.48	1	0	0	0	179.48	31.23	0	0	0	0	23.62	0	0	0	0	32.57	1	0	0	0	21.7	0	0	0
2	Light Load	Top Gun	2	FL	193.9	13	1	0	0	268.9	29.44	1	0	0	0	29.47	0	1	0	0	24.76	0	0	0	0	35.65	1	0	0	0	40.12	11	0	0	0	34.46	0	0	0	0
3	Papa Wombat	Top Gun	3	GA	266.65	3	0	0	0	281.65	68.97	0	0	0	0	36.6	1	0	0	0	37.89	0	0	0	0	34.09	1	0	0	0	43.92	1	0	0	0	45.18	0	0	0	0
4	GB Smokey	Elder Statesmen	1	GA	273.79	2	0	0	0	283.79	61.72	1	0	0	0	45	0	0	0	0	38.34	1	0	0	0	42.28	0	0	0	0	39.94	0	0	0	0	46.51	0	0	0	0
5	Blackfoot Jack	Cowboy	1	GA	277.43	4	0	0	0	297.43	67.93	1	0	0	0	49.09	1	0	0	0	35.49	1	0	0	0	38.59	0	0	0	0	40.96	0	0	0	0	45.37	1	0	0	0
6	Goliath	Elder Statesman Duelist	1	GA	290.46	3	0	0	0	305.46	68.13	0	0	0	0	40.18	0	0	0	0	36.65	0	0	0	0	52.94	1	0	0	0	51.71	0	0	0	0	40.85	2	0	0	0
7	J Bird Blue	Josie Wales	1	FL	305.4	15	0	0	0	380.4	50.99	2	0	0	0	46.37	1	0	0	0	45.56	2	0	0	0	46.15	0	0	0	0	53.8	6	0	0	0	62.53	4	0	0	0