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Bucky Buckskin wins the August 2025 Shootout

Welcome Hot Summer weather! We held our seventh monthly shootout of the year on a very Hot August morning. Temperatures began in the mid 70's and made it into the mid 90's by the end of the match. Our fans mounted in the shelters, and plenty of water made it a nice day for shooting with our cowboy pards.

Twelve cowboys and cowgirls rode in for this shootout. They traveled in from the East and West. Most everyone pitched in to make the match run smoothly. We shot all six stages as one posse, and were done by noon!

Christian Mortician, Bucky Buckskin, Lead Paint and Big Country took turns running the timer, and they kept the match running.

We had four "clean" shooters at this match, **Annie Hopely, Christian Mortician, Bucky Buckskin and Lead Paint**. One Dang-it chips recipient, **Papa Wombat**, with one miss.

Bucky Buckskin was Top Gun, while **Christian Mortician** and **Big Country** came in Second and Third, respectively.

Thanks to **Grumpy Dutch Boudre, Big Country, Papa Wombat and GB Smokey** for setting the steel on Friday afternoon. Thanks to everyone who helped with final setup on Saturday morning and the teardown and getting the steel picked up and put away. Thanks to **Grumpy Dutch Boudre** for

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pulling the trailer both for Friday and for Saturday's pickup and put away.

Category Winners:

Cowboy – Lead Paint

Cowgirl - Annie Hopely

Elder Statesman – Papa Wombat

El Patron – Light Load

Cattle Baron – GB Smokey

Josey Wales – Jaybird Blue

Silver Senior – One Eyed Wrangler

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Shootout on the Little River 2025

The *Shootout on the Little River 2025* (our annual match) is scheduled for September 20, 2025. Registrations are coming in. We welcome any door prizes you might like to contribute. The Registration form and Sponsor form are available online at <http://vvc.lrsa.info/shootout.html>

Monthly Matches

- **August 23, 2025** – *Panhandle Cattle Company* match in Chipley, FL
<http://www.panhandlecattleco.com/>
- **August 23, 2025** – *Cowford Regulators* in Jacksonville (potluck)
<http://cowfordregulators.com/>
- **September 6, 2025** – *Roughshod*

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Raiders in Gainesville, FL
www.roughshodraiders.com/

- **September 6, 2025** - *Tri-State* match, Daleville, AL. contact carpetbaggercarley@gmail.com
- **September 13, 2025** – *Fort White* Cowboy Cavalry in Fort White, FL <https://fwcc.net/fort-whitecowboy-cavalry/monthlymatch-sign-in-form/>
- **September 13, 2025** – *Red Hills Rangers* in Midway, FL <https://redhillsrangers.wordpress.com/>
- **September 20, 2025** – *Valdosta Vigilance Committee*
<http://vvc.lrsa.info/>

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

Happy Trails

August 2025 Shootout
08-16-2025
Results Summary By Time

Shooters			Final		Stage 1		Stage 2		Stage 3		Stage 4		Stage 5		Stage 6	
Finish	Alias	Cat	Time	Rank	Time	Rank	Time	Rank	Time	Rank	Time	Rank	Time	Rank	Time	Rank
1	Bucky Buckskin	W	85.32	9	13.59	1	14.23	2	14.74	2	14.57	1	15.49	2	12.70	1
2	Christian Mortician	49	93.36	10	14.20	2	13.68	1	13.98	1	16.59	2	14.78	1	20.13	3
3	Big Country	S	129.27	20	24.33	4	27.64	5	17.26	3	20.20	3	21.33	3	18.51	2
4	Lead Paint	CB	149.12	26	24.44	6	24.16	3	24.59	5	27.61	4	24.25	4	24.07	4
5	Annie Hopeley	C	152.96	28	22.55	3	25.05	4	20.01	4	31.02	5	24.54	5	29.79	7
6	Papa Wombat	ES	199.43	45	34.85	8	36.63	8	33.52	10	37.12	7	28.06	6	29.25	6
7	Light Load	EIP	202.98	41	24.43	5	50.34	9	27.38	6	31.43	6	42.02	10	27.38	5
8	GB Smokey	CatB	220.24	49	37.88	9	35.35	7	29.16	7	40.96	8	40.97	9	35.92	9
9	Jaybird Blue	JW	247.56	53	34.11	7	32.71	6	32.55	9	57.81	12	33.82	7	56.56	12
10	One Eyed Wrangler	SS	280.52	57	52.18	11	65.32	11	30.15	8	56.44	11	40.90	8	35.53	8
11	Tumblewood Tee	CB	294.49	63	70.20	12	56.75	10	36.40	11	41.92	9	51.61	11	37.61	10
12	Grumpy Dutch Boudre	ES	299.32	67	38.96	10	69.18	12	39.07	12	49.03	10	52.56	12	50.52	11