# **ELDORADO COWBOYS**



# ELDORADO CANYON GAZETTE

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**Next Shoots** 

Oct. 31

Nov 1, 2015

Main Match 9:00

Side Matches 8:00



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MANDATORY
FOR ALL
SHOOTERS

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#### From the desk of the President:

Eldorado 2015 is in the books. These scores and all match details are available on the Eldorado Cowboys website under the Eldorado 2015 results tab.

I would be remiss if I failed to acknowledge the tireless efforts of the Eldorado Cowboys that helped with event set up and tear down. Rio Rico, Rattlebury, Salt River Ford, Desert Scorpion, JD Nevada, Charming and everyone else that lifted steel, sprayed paint, drove posts or tied ropes. Thank YOU – please know that your hard work is appreciated

As we did for Dam Site and Eldorado 2014, we arranged for a professional photographer to come down and take pictures. These pictures, both action shots and awards are available on the photographers website and are

FREE to download – compliments of the Eldorado Cowboys –

http://www.endlesslightvisuals.com/viewyourevent

Every year after the event – the Board of The Eldorado Cowboys sits down together and discusses the match. This year – we had a lot of really positive feedback on the match, but there are always things we think we can do better and we are currently evaluating and making decisions to continue to improve our match, awards and atmosphere. But if there are any items you feel were mishandled or where we have opportunity for improvement; any member of the Board, and myself specifically, are interested in your input.

As we have the last few years, this year, we again entertained a significant number of first time shooters to Eldorado. Their feedback was great; complimenting the shoot, our club, the venue and promising to return next year.

The Shaky D movie at the range event was a whole lot of fun, with the classic John Wayne movie "The Cowboys" being shown. Popcorn, candy and soda made for a very enjoyable evening with friends. Movie night will continue to appear at Eldorado as it simply is just one more bonus that other events do not offer.

And then just like that, months of planning, sweat and effort are over - the event is put behind us and as a club we turn our attention forward. Our monthly shoots after Eldorado convert over to winter hours, meaning side matches will begin at 8am and main match will move to 9am

Lastly, it is that time of the year again; the annual general membership meeting. We will be having this years meeting on the range in one of the small classrooms after the DEC. Sunday shoot. This decision was made to avoid taking an evening away from our members during the busy holiday season and also to avoid members incurring costs associated with having the meeting at a food service venue. As a member in good standing, you will receive a reminder from Charming for these proceedings. 2015 is not an election year for the Board members; but your attendance is still important to ensure any input you wish to make publicly is voiced.

Thank you for a great 2015. We think with your continued enthusiasm and support; 2016 could be even better.

See you on the range, Creeker

#### **ELDORADO**

The Sixteenth Annual Eldorado SASS Nevada State Championship is now in the history books.

We scored out 170 shooters this year which is up from 156 in 2014. We did see a number of new shooters and were glad

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to make new friends.

Congratulations to Pecos Nick and Penny Pepperbox for winning the SASS Nevada State Championship buckles for 2015.

After a little down time, we will start working on Eldorado 2016. The dates are September 29 through October 2, 2016, so mark your calendars so you will not forget.

#### **MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL**

Thank you everyone who renewed their Eldorado Cowboys membership over the summer. We currently have 60 current and active life members.

We have a new member in the ranks. A big Eldorado Cowboy welcome to Gunhandler, SASS #103232. We are looking forward to shooting with him.

# **SASS CLUB AFFILIATION**

Over the summer, SASS advised that they were instituting a Club Affiliate charge. The starting charge was \$100 which was reduced to \$50 for 50% of the membership being a current SASS member. If 100% of the membership had a current membership, the charge was waived. We are happy to announce that 100% of the current Eldorado Cowboys membership is current and we owe SASS no affiliation fees for 2016. Thank you all.

### **BRPC 2016 MEMBERSHIP**

If you have been to the range over the summer you will have noticed the new electric gates. These gates have led to the automation of the membership pass cards

Effective with the 2016 membership, all BRPC members will be issued an automatic key card tied to their

membership number.

In order to get everyone updated in the computer and the cards properly issued, all members are required to resubmit their membership application information.

All of this has been automated on their website. Effective November 1, 2015, *AND NOT BEFORE*, you are asked to sign on to the website and follow the following procedure.

Log on to www.brpc1.org
Click on the Membership Button
Click on the Renew Existing
Membership Button

Fill out the membership information form on the screen.

Click on Submit – You will be taken to the credit card page. Fill in the information and at the end this screen, click on the "pay now" button.

Again, please do not attempt your renewal until on or after November 1. It has something to do with the credit card processing. Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please let Charming know and she will try to resolve it with BRPC. Thank you.

# 2015 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

As mentioned in the "From the Desk of the President" column, it has been decided that we will have the annual board meeting on the range in Classroom B after the shoot and steel has been put away, on December 6, 2015 at approximately 12:00. Please mark your calendars. We will remind you as we get nearer to the meeting date. Thank you.

## **CLEAN SHOOT WINNERS**

Congratulations to our clean shoot winners for year to date. We do not count Dam Site and Eldorado into the club monthly shoots. As of October Just Ace stands at 12 Clean Shoots and Betsy stands at 9. Congratulations and good luck in November and December.



#### Links:

Eldorado Website: - www.eldoradocowboys.com

Nevada CAS Forums (Talk to your friends, buy and sell guns, learn about other Nevada clubs): Www.nevadacas.proboards51.com

SASS Website: www.sassnet.com

Boulder Rifle and Pistol Club: www.brpc1.org

Stay safe and have a great time. See you on the range.

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