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## **Club Meeting Minutes from 12 April 2025**

### ➤ **Club Shoot at the Kitty Joe site – blanket shoot.**

Thank you everyone who helped set up and tear down the shoot. The terrific shooting days just keep on coming. With the temperature in the 70s and high thin clouds as I arrived it was hard to believe that 2 short months ago it was in the low 30s as we set up the shoot. This shoot had only 1 animal silhouette, a lone buffalo stood on the hill overlooking the circles, rings, triangles, rectangles, and Paul Hannas targets he brought. Paul has been absent for a few months and it was nice to have him back. He brought 3 targets to mark the occasion, the first was paint stick stirrers, the second a large plastic ring, and the third a steel thing we called a hub. They all fit right into the shoot theme of geometric shapes. I think that this will be the last shoot with a quasi theme for the year as we move up North next month.

Andy brought Dick Burk as a guest to the shoot. Welcome Dick. Dick had an impressive score for his first time shooting black powder.

We had a nice breeze that started around the 7<sup>th</sup> target and continued through lunch. Lunch was Chili with lots of sides. The sides included chips, guacamole, corn bread muffins, spicy pickles, small eclairs for desert and other items. There was more but I can't remember right now. As usual nobody went home hungry.

**Please let Pete or Gary know if you would like to host. Hosting is easy. There is always help in setting up and tearing down the targets. The host's primary duty is to provide the main course for lunch.**

### ➤ **Next shoot**

#### ○ **May 10 2025**

Club Shoot by Wayne Lines at the Perry Lake quarry pit north of Mormon Lake, Blanket Shoot.

- **Website Corner:** MMM on the web. Please check it out and don't miss the archive section.

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<https://mazatzalmountainmuzzleloaders.org>

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**New pictures added nearly every month. Pete does outstanding work on the site.**

➤ **Scores:**

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➤ **Target order:**

1	Square Small Black		11	Vertical Bar
2	Pipe Blank White & Black		12	Rectangle White
3	Circle White 1		13	Triangle Up
4	Rectangle Black		14	Triangle Down
5	Pipe Flange Small Yellow		15	Disk 18 "
6	Paint Stick (Paul)		16	Rectangle
7	Circle White 2		17	White Square spinner
8	White Ring (Paul)		18	White Circle Spinner
9	Hub (Paul)		19	Pipe Flange Large Red
10	Buffalo Large		20	Pipe Flange Large Red

➤ **Meeting Attendance**

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME		FIRST NAME	LAST NAME
Dick	Burk	Guest	Trevor	Kaiser-Borning
Dean	Clarkson		Wayne	Lines
Gloria	Elchlepp		Andy	Lund
Lawerence	Elchlepp		John	Schaffer
Paul	Hanna		Walter	Scott
Mark	Hommer		Pete	Waichulaitis
			Gary	Zarr

➤ **Old Business:**

- Pete called the meeting to order at 12:06 just after lunch and prizes.
- We have FF thru FFFF Powder
  - For members only, \$26.00 **Donation** /Lb for Goex or Schuetzen powder
  - Need it? Want it? Got to show up at a club shoot/meeting to get it.
- Members kick in \$2 at the monthly shoots for target maintenance and Guests will be \$5 (insurance \$3 and targets \$2).
- Non-member fees for the Rendezvous is \$25 for a single and \$40 for a family that lives under the same roof.
- Club Membership includes Rendezvous attendance, \$35 for a single person and \$50 for a family that lives under the same roof.
- Club tee shirts are \$20

➤ **New Business:**

- Pete asked if anyone attended another event Mark, John, and Gary .attended the Friday night shoot at Rio. The lights sure work well.
- John reported that the Moon of the Crow rendezvous was a fun shoot and a good time. Maybe next year a few more of us can make the trip.
- Mark and Gary will be traveling to the Anasazi Rendezvous at St George Utah at the end of the month. A report on the experience will be in next months notes.
- We held club elections this month and Andy Lund was elected Vice President. All other officers were reelected to their office..

- Wayne Lines reminded us the demonstration shoot for the Elk society is on the 24<sup>th</sup> of May and if you can attend to expect around 50 youth and parents with a desire to shoot a black powder rifle. I will bring 3 or 4 targets to this event.
- Meeting adjourned at 12:25 pm.

➤ **Club Officers**

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| ▪ President      | Pete Waichulaitis |
| ▪ Vice President | Andy Lund         |
| ▪ Treasurer      | Walter Scott      |
| ▪ Secretary      | Gary Zarr         |
| ▪ Prize Chairman | Wayne Lines       |

- **2025 - 2026 MMM Events Calendar: Please contact Pete or Gary if you want to help or sponsor a club shoot.**

- **January 10 2026**
  - Club Shoot by \_\_\_\_\_ at the Kitty Joe Canyon area site, Blanket Shoot.
- **February 21 2026 Third weekend**
  - Club Shoot by Paul Hanna at the Kitty Joe Canyon area site, FUN Shoot. **Bring a target**
- **March 14 2026**
  - Club Shoot by \_\_\_\_\_ at the Kitty Joe Canyon area site, Blanket Shoot.
- **April 11 2026**
  - Club Shoot by \_\_\_\_\_ at the Kitty Joe Canyon area, Blanket Shoot.
- **May 9 2026**
  - Club Shoot by \_\_\_\_\_ at the Perry Lake quarry pit north of Mormon Lake, Blanket Shoot.
- **June 14 2025**
  - Club Shoot by Pete and Patricia at the Perry Lake quarry pit north of Mormon Lake, Blanket Shoot
- **July 12 2025**
  - Club Shoot by Ron & Terevor at the Perry Lake quarry pit north of Mormon Lake, Blanket Shoot.
- **August 9 2025**
  - Club Shoot by Dion Torincasa at the Perry Lake quarry pit north of Mormon Lake, Blanket Shoot.
- **September 13 2025**
  - Club Shoot by RJ at the Perry Lake quarry pit north of Mormon Lake, Blanket Shoot.
- **October 11 2025**
  - Club Shoot by Dean Clarkson at the new rendezvous site, Blanket Shoot
- **November 5 – 9 2025**
  - **38<sup>th</sup> annual Mazatzal Mountain Muzzleloaders Rendezvous**
- **December 13 2025**
  - Club Shoot by Karin and Jerry Day at the Kitty Joe Canyon area site, Blanket Shoot.

➤ **Good Trade! Club Member Trades & Ads.**

Here is the place to sell your extras for a bit of money. Do you have a Knife? A Hawk? Set of Buckskins that have shrunk (??) and don't fit anymore? Pair of Mocs? A Pistol? A Lantern? A Chair or Table? Call Pete or Gary and they will get it into the next minutes for all to see.

John Schafer has rifles socks for sale That Mary ( his wife ) makes. I purchased one from him at the Rendezvous so I can verify these are real nice. Please see John at the next shoot.

Please contact Ron Diegle at [rbdiegle@gmail.com](mailto:rbdiegle@gmail.com) if you are interested in these items

1) Cap-making kit. Includes the tap and die for punching caps, plus sufficient chemicals to make 2000 caps. This is the identical equipment that Wayne and I use. The items are brand new in unopened plastic bags. They come with a receipt showing the cost with shipping was \$76.85. I will sell the items for \$50.00

2) Lyman Micro-Touch 1500 electronic reloading scale. It is like new and has been very lightly used. On Amazon it sells for \$67.87. I will sell it for \$45. (Great for weighing balls.

3) one used tomahawk equipped with a leather cover for: \$35

4) one pair of calf-high leather moccasins, about size 9 1/2: \$50 (That is a steal for someone who can wear them)

This newsletter is **ONLY** being sent via E-Mail. If you know of a member who does not have E-mail, please print a copy and give it to them so they also will be able to keep up with the club happenings.

Submitted by Gary Zarr                      email [zarrg@cox.net](mailto:zarrg@cox.net)

**MUZZLESTUFFER Shoots at the Rio Salado Range**

Bi-weekly Muzzle Stuffer fun match at Rio Salado. We usually set up for both rifle and pistol, but always for rifle. We also frequently, but not always, rotate matches between paper and steel using relays. I always take special requests though, so we can have any kind of match any member wants within the limits of our range facility.

Questions? Contact Dave Bankhead, "bowgun1@gmail.com", 928-533-9187. If you call, be sure to leave a message, as my phone sends any number it doesn't recognize straight to voicemail. See you on the range. Dave.

It would be real nice to see a few more MMM shooters at the Muzzle Stuffers shoots. Black powder is a small division at Rio Salado and needs the support to maintain it's standing at the range