

GRANITE CITY GUNSLINGERS

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NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

As we reluctantly clean and pack away our stuff for the year we have good reason to be joyful. Now is the time to fix and finish all those little problems. Now is when we dream and shop for the new 'things' we've been wanting. Very important stuff like grips, holsters, sights, loaders, carts and guns. Maybe a new outfit, hat, scarf, spurs, badge or pocket watch.

One thing about cowboys, they know spring will come again. Some cowboys and cowgirls will be driving the herd southwest for some events and meetings. Most will stay behind to guard the ranch and make ready for next year.

GCG BOARD:

The first off-season meeting is scheduled for Tuesday November 3rd at 6 pm at our favorite restaurant in Kimball, MN. The board members have several topics to address, all of which are directed at making our Club and Matches better and more entertaining for all.

LOGO CONTEST:

Well here is your opportunity to help us out and demonstrate creativity. We need a Club logo. Oh, sure we've fiddled with putting the initials in shapes and patterns. Yea, we've looked at hundreds of available clip art. So far nothing has gotten the horse

excited enough to whinny. The criteria seem simple enough:

Legible, sensible, attractive, essence of 'Cowboy' and what we do. It must be in a reproducible format that can be provided to printers, pin makers, and trophies. Able to be utilized on our web site, newsletter, membership cards, shoot cards, etc. So put on your thinking caps and pick up those artistic tools. The winner, of course, will receive world-wide accolades and prizes dwarfing the Nobel Prize. We'll probably be able to patent it and make billions of dollars through exclusive distribution. Give it a shot. Please submit ideas / concepts to the Corcoran Kid – dgageby@comcast.net.

SEASON WRAP-UP:

Folks, as stated by the SASS directors, 'We are in the entertainment business'. And by golly, by that standard we succeeded beyond our wildest hopes and dreams.

We provided the "THRILL OF VICTORY" which may mean one or two less misses. And the "AGONY OF DEFEAT" which may mean you need new boots. Definitions are different for everyone.

I am here to tell you all that I was entertained! I escaped regular life for a few hours a month to be amongst friends and comrades. I laughed, I joked, I cheered. I felt true joy and pride when I observed others enjoying themselves. New friends were made and old friendships were enhanced. It simply doesn't get any better than that, except to get more of it!

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