***NO APRIL FOOLS HERE!***

April 10th bloomed as beautiful as the previous week, bringing out Cowboys from near and afar. Enthusiasm was high and shooters found it difficult to wait for the 10am start time—5 stages with freshly painted targets awaited them, and soon the shooting fun would begin. Once again shooters were offered the opportunity to shoot either Cowboy or Wild Bunch. Wild Bunch shooters are provided additional incentive to shoot since the cowboys are there to help pickup brass—hey, they are not stupid!

Whisperin’ Wade and Hoss Reese normally tradeoff winning weekends, and this week it was Wade’s turn to win, but not by much. To see exactly how much, checkout our website at: [www.pinemountainposse.com/](http://www.pinemountainposse.com/) then click on scores. Visiting Canadian shooter, Slim Delgado came in third nosing-out Palaver Pete by 7.45 seconds. Slims beautiful Wife, Helena Handbasket (love that handle) was top Lady 49er, while Sunrise Bill, The Legend, and Gdub won their respective categories. Again the Shevlin Kid was top Elder Statesman and Arctic Annie was numero uno Lady Gunfighter.

Posse Leader Side Kick Rick was top B-western shooter just ahead of Rifleman Dan, who took second place senior behind category winner Deadwood Pete. Second place duelist, Dirt Digger Bert finished just ahead of Sierra Sage Sue, who edged-by Tetherow Tex LaRue by 3.46 seconds. The Posse welcomed back August July who took third place in the senior category. Close behind him was Ammo Granny second place finisher in the ladies senior category. Classic cowgirl, Ms. Sunrise Bravo continues to impress us with her weekly improvement, which is only matched by that of Mumbles, who won the wrangler category (two weeks in a row). The Ladies, headed by Diamond Willow, again set the table; kept score, and in general, maintained a decorum that set the example for all of us to be mindful of—an example that is sometimes hard to follow. PP.