

The Long Nine

Monthly Match

SHOOTOUT
at
LICK CREEK

August 24, 2014

Lefthander's Gun Club
Loami, Illinois

August 24, 2014

Welcome Cowboys and Cowgirls!
We hope that you will enjoy the match today.

Safety is always on our minds, so let's all help each other to have a safe event. The usual safety guidelines are in effect. These will be touched upon at the shooter's meeting. The SASS Shooter's Handbook is the basis for our safety and shooting guidelines.

We will shoot five stages today, depending on conditions.

Stage 5 will be the stage for the 50/50 drawing. The cost is \$1. If you enter, and shoot the stage cleanly, you will be in the drawing for the Prize Money!

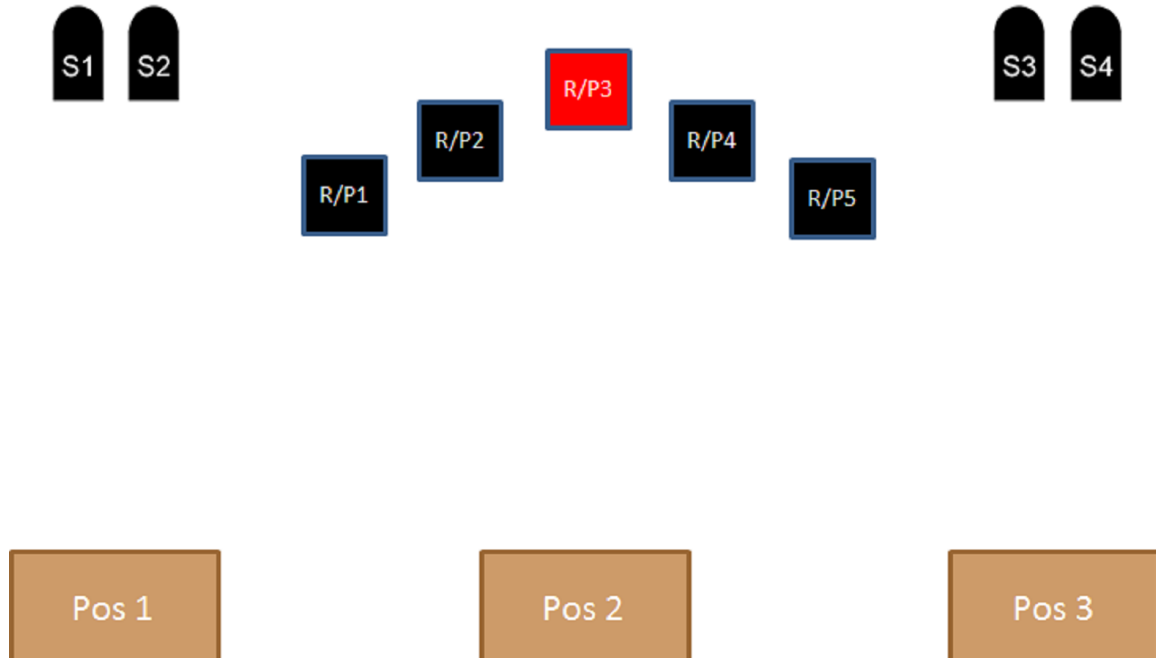
Today's Schedule:

8:10 AM to 9:30 AM	Registration
9:30 AM	Shooter's Meeting
10:00 AM	Shooting Commences Shoot three stages
	Lunch
	Shoot two stages

After the last stage, please help move the targets to the assigned area.

The scores will be compiled and printed after the last stage is completed and the targets are put away. Results will be available in the Club House.
Scores may also be viewed later on the Long Nine website: www.longninecowboys.org.

Stage 1 (Postal Stage 7)



The Scene: Due to the American Civil War and the stagecoach lines winning contracts to deliver the mail, in March 1861, the Pony Express ran mail only between Salt Lake City and Sacramento. The Pony Express announced its closure on October 26, 1861, two days after the transcontinental telegraph reached Salt Lake City and connected Omaha, Nebraska, with Sacramento, California.

10 Pistol, 10 Rifle, 4+ Shotgun

Staging: Pistols holstered, loaded with five rounds each. Rifle staged on Position 2 (center table) with 10 rounds. Shotgun in hands at Position 1 (left table) or Position 3 (right table).

Starting Position: Shooters choice: start standing at Position 1 or Position 3 with shotgun in hands (can be in shoulder).

Line: "Lost my job to technology."

ATB: From Position 1 or Position 3, with **Shotgun**, engage the 2 shotgun targets in front of you, in any order. Once down, move to opposite table (position 1 or position 3) and engage the final 2 shotgun targets until down, in any order. *Make shotgun safe. Move to Position 2 and with **Rifle**, starting from either side, engage the R/P targets in a Nevada sweep on the first 3 targets for 5 shots, then Nevada sweep the last 3 targets for 5 shots. The middle R/P target will be used on both strings (you may double-tap the middle target). Make rifle safe. With **Pistols**, engage the R/P targets using the *same instructions* as rifle (may start from either side).

*Note: Can make shotgun safe at any position.

Stage 2

Rifle 10

Revolvers 10

Shotgun 4+



Each revolver is loaded with five rounds, hammers on empty chambers, and holstered. Rifle is loaded with 10 rounds, hammer on empty chamber and staged at position 2. Shotgun's action is open and empty, staged at position 1 or 3.

Starting Position: Standing behind table where shotgun is staged, ammo in one hand, other hand on a revolver.

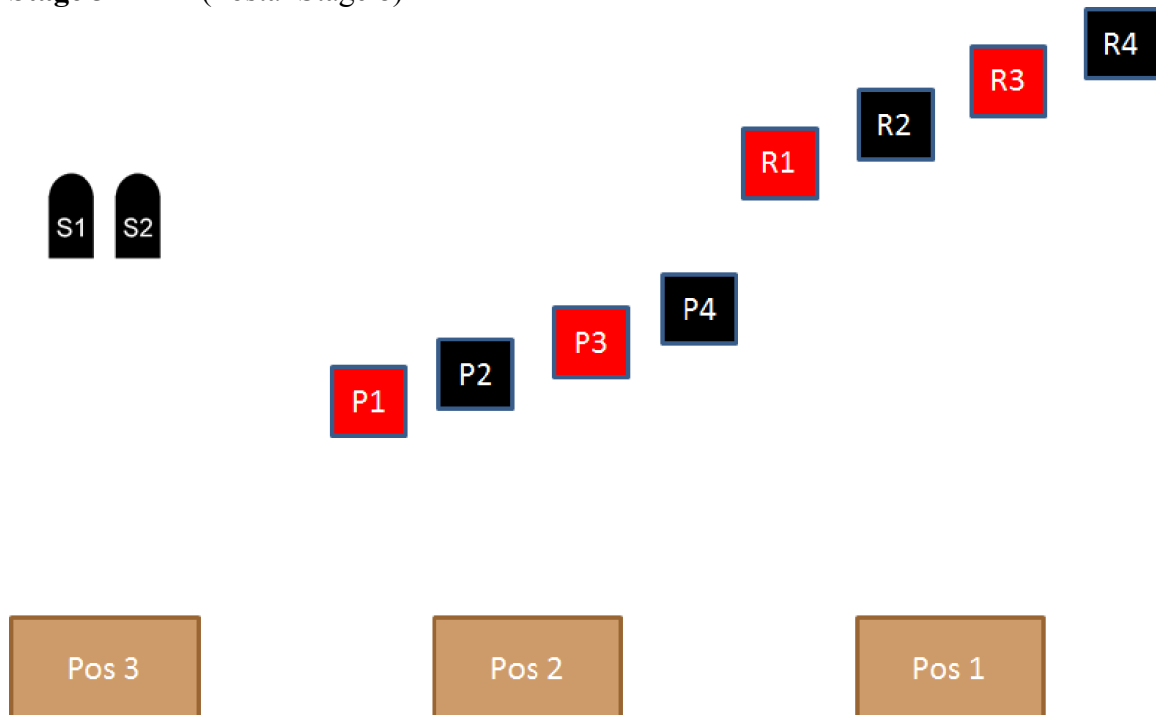
Starting Phrase: LET ME START SHOOTING!

**At the Beep: With the shotgun, shoot two shotgun targets. Take the shotgun to Position 2 and make safe.
With rifle, DOUBLE TAP each R/P target in any order. Make safe.
With the revolvers, DOUBLE TAP each target in any order. Make them safe.
Get the shotgun, go to next position and shoot the remaining two shotgun targets. Make gun safe after use.**

Upon completion, take firearms to the unloading table.

Shotgun targets must go down to count; they may be made up from any position.

Stage 3 (Postal Stage 8)



The Scene: In 1869 (8 years after the Pony Express service had ended), the US Post Office issued the first US Postage stamp to depict an actual historic event ... the Pony Express.

Sometimes mistaken for an actual stamp, the 'Pony Express Stamp' issue was released to honor the men who rode the long and sometimes dangerous journeys and to commemorate the service they provided for the nation.

10 Pistol, 10 Rifle, 2+ Shotgun

Staging: Pistols holstered, loaded with five rounds each. Rifle staged on Position 1 (right table) with 10 rounds. Shotgun on Position 3 (left table).

Starting Position: Start standing at Position 1, hands anywhere, but not touching guns.

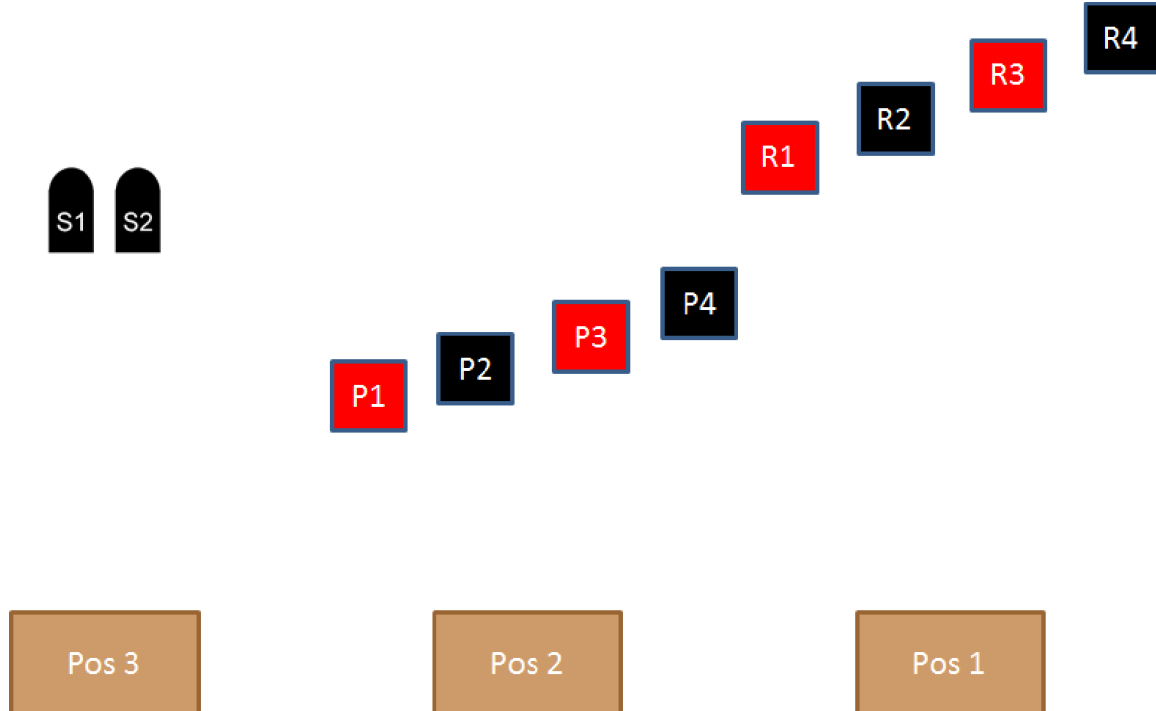
Line: "Make way for the Pony Express!"

ATB: With your **Rifle**, engage the rifle targets in a 3-2-3-2 sweep, starting from either direction (i.e. R1-R1-R1-R2-R2-R3-R3-R3-R4-R4 or R4-R4-R4-R3-R3-R2-R2-R2-R1-R1). *Make rifle safe. Move to Position 2 and with **Pistols**, engage the pistol targets in a 3-2-3-2 sweep from either direction (i.e. P1-P1-P1-P2-P2-P3-P3-P3-P4-P4 or P4-P4-P4-P3-P3-P2-P2-P2-P1-P1).

Move to Position 3 and with **Shotgun**, engage the shotgun targets until down.

*Note: Can make rifle safe at Position 1 or Position 2.

Stage 4 Rifle 10 Revolvers 10 Shotgun 2+



Each revolver is loaded with five rounds, hammers on empty chambers, and holstered.
Rifle is loaded with 10 rounds, hammer on empty chamber and staged at position 1.
Shotgun's action is open and empty, staged at position 3.

Shoot the long guns first in either order, use revolvers last.

Starting Position: Standing with long gun of choice in both hands.

Starting Phrase: What Fun!

At the Beep: With rifle, shoot the rifle targets in an increasing sweep: 1,2,2,3,3,3,4,4,4,4. Make rifle safe.

With the shotgun, shoot the two shotgun targets; make gun safe.

With the revolvers, shoot the revolver targets as with the rifle:

1,2,2,3,3,3,3,4,4,4,4. Make the revolvers safe after use.

Upon completion, take the firearms to the unloading table.

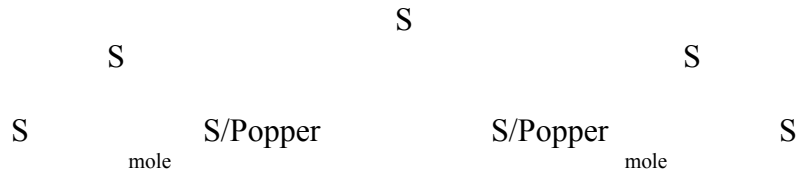
The shotgun targets must go down to count; they may be re-engaged if necessary.

Stage 5

Rifle 0

Revolvers 0

Shotgun 9+



Bring your favorite shotgun for the Shotgun Stage!

Starting Position: Standing behind the table, shotgun in one hand, other hand on the ammo in the belt.
SHOTGUN IS NOT TO BE SHOULDERED!

Starting phrase: NOW THIS IS FUN!

At the Beep: Shoot the shotgun targets until down or the clays, broken.
If you miss the Popper, can make up with the “mole.”
The large silhouette target in the back only has to move-it
WILL NOT GO DOWN.

Make shotgun safe after use and go to the unloading table.

You may have extra shotgun shells in a box on the table. (a shotgun shell box)

The Long Nine at Lefthander's Gun Club

August 24, 2014

There will be five main stages today.

.

GOOD LUCK!

Stage	Time	Misses	Penalties	Bonus	Total Time
1	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Total Time _____