

Results of Buffalo Rifle Gong Shoot May 21th 2016

The Buffalo rifle Gong shoot was held at Sheboygan Rifle and Pistol Club on May 21st. We had a clear nice day and 10 shooters who shot at steel gongs on our 200 yard range. The results are as follows:

Bob Wood- 10 hits (3 offhand won tie) 1871 Swede Rolling Block 45-70/ppatch/ black powder/513gr

Rick Chianelli- 10 hits (2 offhand). 45-120, highwall Black Powder.

Joel Sundquist 9 hits. 45-70 H&R classic Smokless 500gr LSP

Patrick Kluck- 9 hits. 45-70 Swede Rollingblock. Ppatch/blackpowder/ 513gr

Jeff Heeler-8 hits. 40-65 Browning highwall. 60gr/swiss/420gr Saeco.

Eric Johansn- 7 hits. 45-70 Sharps/ Black Powder

Josh Mckinley-6 hits. 45-90 1874 Sharps /550gr/smokless 5744

Rick Chianelli-5 hits 45-70 Highwall Black Powder.

Jim Schreurs- 4 hits 45-70 Browning Highwall/ smokless/500gr lyman/IMR4198

Ed Emmerson 0 hits 45-70 (had load issues which we figured out for the next shoot)

The course of fire was 10 shots off of cross sticks at 200 yards at a small steel chicken. The final 5 shots were shot off hand standing, at a larger ram steel gong. We also had the opportunity to troubleshoot a shooters load problems to perfect his loads for the next shoot. As in the past, we had a new shooter and interested spectators. There is always a rifle and ammo on hand for a new shooter. The next shoot scheduled for Sept. 10th. The September shoot is a paper match also at 200 yards. The Buffalo target is sized so simulate a 500 yard shot.

The purpose of these matches is to generate interest in shooting the old buffalo period rifles. The intent is to have fun, and learn about shooting these old guns. Feel free to stop out and test fire one of these old rifles. We guarantee you a good time.

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