



ON TARGET

NEWSLETTER OF THE BUFFALO RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

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Looking forward to seeing you at the:

NSW Long Range Black Powder Cartridge Rifle State Titles

To be held in conjunction with

The 19th Annual Billy Dixon Long Range Black Powder Rifle Shoot

The oldest continuous Long Range event for Buffalo
Rifles of the old west

held in Australia and the signature event of the
Buffalo Rifle Association of Australia

On Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th August

At the Nioka Range, located between

Boggabri and Manilla NSW

Entry forms and final details will be circulated to members shortly

**Below: Adobe Walls about the
time of the 2nd battle**



Rules

The match will be shot in accordance with the SSAA Rules for Long Range Black Powder Cartridge Rifles

Match

On Saturday morning, after the shooters briefing, there will be a practice session. In the afternoon there will be a Buffalo Shoot consisting of five rounds at 200 (offhand), 300, 600 and 1000 yards.

Saturday will conclude with a single shot at an 8ft x 3 ft target representing the Kiowa Indian medicine man that was the target for Billy Dixon's famous 1538 yard shot that ended the 2nd Battle of Adobe Walls

Sunday will be a semi-traditional Creedmoor Target match with 7 rounds at each of three distances: 800, 900 and 1000 yards.

On Friday afternoon, prior to the main matches there will be a side match for 22 rim-

Prizes

Trophies will be awarded for the Buffalo Match and the Creedmoor Match and for the combined score. There will also be a prize for the top shooter using a Pedersoli Rifle; for any shooter who hits the Coyote Dung (Kiowa) target with their single shot; for Friday's rimfire match and for the best dressed shooter wearing period clothing during the matches. Prizegiving will follow the Sunday shoot and should be completed by 2pm.

Ammunition

You will need a total of 42 rounds for the Match, plus practice rounds and 22 Rimfire ammunition

Accommodation

Camping sites for tents and vans will be available from Friday am. Any shooter planning to arrive before that should contact Club Secretary Paul McCarthy on 0448586272 to confirm arrangements

Mains power is not available but there are adequate toilets and showers.

The event is self catered. BBQs are available as is cutlery and crockery etc.

Buffalo Rifle Association of Australia 2019 AGM

This meeting will be held on the range after shooting is completed on the Saturday afternoon. Information for the AGM including nomination forms will be circulated shortly.

Members are reminded that if they want to raise any matters at the AGM, particularly if a formal resolution is required, they are required to advise the Secretary prior to the meeting. If that is not done discussion will be at the discretion of the President.