



## **The Arizona Muzzle Loading Association**

### **Who Are We?**

Our association was created as a way for the black powder clubs in Arizona to have a voice in designating hunting seasons for black powder shooters.

We promote the understanding of and ability in marksmanship with Early American muzzle loading firearms. Matches and events are held for the purpose of advancing fine accuracy with these firearms and standard practices for competition. We teach greater safety with all firearms, especially with muzzle loading rifles, shotguns and handguns and to encourage hunting with muzzle loading firearms.

Our annual State Championship match is sponsored by the Muzzle Stuffers at Rio Salado Sportsman's club. This year the event will be on April 6, through the 8<sup>th</sup> with awards held on Sunday April 9<sup>th</sup>. Each participant is classified as AA, A or B for competition at several skill levels. Aggregates will be held at multiple yardages in Paper targets, Steel silhouettes for rifle, pistol and smoothbore rifle.

This event is slower paced than modern firearm matches, join us to see what it's all about. We have a good time shooting and smelling that smoke!

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