

TOP SHOT BULLET

Diamond H Scout Ranch, Last Frontier Council



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Event Categories

Throwing Knives

Tomahawks

Archery

Blow Dart
Guns

Sling Shot

.22 Rifle

.22 Pistol

9 mm Pistol

.30-30 Rifle

Shotgun

Blackpowder



REGISTER NOW!

There is only one chance to attend the first
one...

It is not too late to register your unit for the **Last Frontier Council Top Shot Inaugural campout!** The leaders guide can be found on the lfc website, lastfrontiercouncil.org.

The **Early Bird** \$5.00 discount will end on January 31st. Don't wait!

Rustle up your folks, pack your gear and join us for a fantastic weekend. Bring your competitive spirit and a steady trigger finger. If you are unable to work out teams for your unit we will help you do that or put your extras with others needing a team. Get them there and we will provide the fun.

A Brisket dinner will be provided on Saturday night with all the fixings and a pot luck desserts. Dinner will be followed by a campfire. Bring your best skit, run on, or song. You may get it approved by Rhonda Rodericks Friday night or Saturday by 1 pm.

Be prepared for anything! You could be shooting at just about anything our imaginations could think of.

Bring your scout mug to have branded! There will not be cups or mugs provided on the range. You must bring your own.



The Three Guardsmen, Law and Order for Oklahoma Territories

by Dee Cordy, Maps of Oklahoma 1865-1935

Leading the fight for law and order in the territory were Deputy United States Marshalls Bill Tilghman, Heck Thomas, and Chris Madsen, known as the Three Guardsmen.

It wasn't until the turn of the century that lawmen began to win the battle against outlaws in Indian Territory and the surrounding states.

They went after Bill Doolin, of

the notorious Wild Bunch, and Tilghman captured him in Eureka Springs, Arkansas. He was taken to federal jail in Guthrie, IT, where He later escaped and was tracked down by Heck Thomas east of Stillwater. Doolin fired on the lawmen and was killed in a hail of bullets. In 1924 Bill Tilghman was murdered by a federal agent in Cromwell, OK. His body was taken to the rotunda of the state capitol, where thousands of Okla-

homa citizens paid their respects to one of the Three Guardsmen who had fought the outlaws in the territorial days.

Thomas died in 1912 of natural causes and is credited with the arrest of 300 criminals.

Chris Madsen died in 1944 at 92, in the Masonic home in Guthrie, OK after a long life and most interesting career.



The Three Guardsmen



**NRA instructors
and RSOs are
needed. If you
have one in your
unit, please let Dee
Browning know...**

405-412-9780



Don't forget ...

To bring a dessert
to share for Satur-
day Night BBQ din-
ner! Yum!



BRIEF HISTORY OF COOKSON, OKLAHOMA

The town of Cookson took its name from Jack Cookson. Jack operated the local post office from his home, while it was still Indian Territory, before statehood. The town was located on the shore of the Illinois River near the Cookson Bluff area, and became a central point of business for the surrounding residents. The Ballew Brothers' Store was one of the first buildings in the area. They operated as a commu-

nity store. George Stratton eventually took over the store which also by then housed the post office. The first floor housed the store and post office. The top floor was home to the Anti-Thief Association. This building, along with several others, was moved to its present day location on Hwy 82, next to the post office of Cookson. Other structures of the original site were submerged when in 1947 the

US Corps of Engineers constructed the Tenkiller Dam to create Tenkiller Lake. Stop in to see the Cookson Country Store and Cabins.

Information was taken from the Lake Tenkiller Visitors Guide.

CHECK OUT DIAMOND H ATTRACTIONS!

While you're here, don't forget to take a walk to see the hermit's cave, the hunter's cabin. Lookout Point, the Heart of the Camp, the Stone Throne or any of the numerous attractions Diamond H has to offer.

There are many Geocaches set around the camp that you can go to and find. Take

the list with you and spend the day checking them out. If your unit has an idea for adding another geocaching box, please contact David Shearer, chair of the Diamond H committee for instructions.



WILL YOUR NAME BE IN THE RECORD AS...



Top 10 Individual shot..

Top 10 Teams (troops)...

Top 10 Teams (crews)

Overall Top Shot Team 2012

Top Shot Scoutmaster 2012