

Hunt ID: 5072-GS-1495-ElkMDeerBBear-CO-063-ISONGU4NN-COW-R1ICE-Cabin & Packin

This outfitter is a full-time outfitter not one that just outfits 3 months out of the year. Because of that and his area he is well known for his trophy animals since he began guiding in 1976. Deer are draw a tag only in the state and this trophy area can require 3 points to draw and meet face to face with a 160 plus 4x4 in the Rocky Mountain quakie draw. He does have other area that requires less point to fall back on. With the Gunnison at the top of the Boone & Crockett page, and this outfitter offering trophy elk and deer in the form of guided, semi-guided and pack in hunts one of these will match your budget and skill level.

We have been providing quality hunts in Colorado Since 1976. We offer guided Elk Hunts, Mule Deer Hunts, and Black Bear hunts on a Forest Permit area that we have had for the past. The photographs above of past hunts are lasting impressions as to his past success. If you are looking for a Booner for the book this is the place to hang your hat.

**Special Limited Availability Package**

I spoke with the outfitter to make a special deal for the second season for the 2 hunters and guest.

The Hunters would be in the cabin with the other guided hunters please keep the price you paid to yourself he made a special deal.

This is designed so that the DIY hunter can focus on hunting and have everything else taken care of for him. This is warm cabin lodging with a cook to prepare you breakfast and dinner, also pack a sack lunch for you for mid-day on the mountains. This is a semi-guided hunt where you need to know how to hunt elk but he will be able to take the long search process out of your hunt. He will show you a map in the cabin of his marked honey holes and even provide GPS coordinates.

The goal of this is so that the DIY /semi-guided hunters will be able to completely focus on getting an elk down. When you do, the outfitter will pack it out for you.

The hunt will be considered semi-guided hunt with meals and cabin lodging.

The whole hunt is \$3000 but reduced to only \$2195 per hunter and a reduced rate for a guest or non-hunter is only \$ 795. The guest is free to stay at the cabin, go with the hunters or fish for brook trout in the stream. (A Colorado Fishing License is required.)

### **~Elk~**

Boone and Crockett has Gunnison County as the #1 producer, with the world record elk and numerous others registered. In our trophy area, we have taken two Boone and Crockett elk from our horse pack-in camp. Colorado's elk herds are and will stay the largest of all western states. The quality of our elk has risen since the 4-point or better rule. Heavier horned five and six point bulls now exist. They are no longer uncommon in Colorado. In our timber areas, there are many springs with wallows galore to sit and rest your weary bones. The remote settings and pristine beauty all add to your exciting adventure in the rugged atmosphere of the Rockies! Colorado elk herds are at an all time high. Thanks to the 4-point restriction our young bulls have been protected and this has given us more mature bulls. Some of these mature bulls will be spotted yearly. If you haven't yet experienced a horse back hunt, where few hunters roam, you owe it to yourself. We have many packages available to hunt the majestic monarchs of the Gunnison National Forest.

We offer fully guided hunts, 1x1, to semi & unguided packages. We generally allow no more than six hunters in a camp. Horses and mules will be used to pack you into camp. We will leave camp daily on horseback; horseback rides vary daily, from one hour to one hour and 45 minutes. Mules will be taken with the guide daily to pack game so very little hunting time is lost. Game will be moved in non-prime time hunting! To enjoy it to the fullest, hunters must be in good physical condition and willing to work hard. Pack-in camp hunts are all 1x1 or 2x1 Rifle hunts. Come and enjoy the hunt of a lifetime in the great Rockies of Colorado. Although we do not guarantee all guests their game, we feel each individual has a great chance of filling their tags.

Our camps are covered by a radio system for your safety, to be used in emergencies. All our hunts are conducted on US Forest Service. All hunts are fair chase in scenic Colorado.

### **~Mule Deer~**

1984 - Present statistics include 35 bucks over 30 in. spread with Boone and Crockett scores 185 and up. Trophy bucks are our specialty. Trophy hunts - only mature three and four point bucks or better. Our trophy hunts range from 7,000 ft. to 12,000 ft. in elevation. Our base camp location is approximately 10,000 ft. Our best buck taken in this area is the second largest taken in Gunnison County, Colorado. Also, the largest taken by an outfitter since 1975 registered in Boone and Crockett. Gunnison National Forest boasts more non-typical bucks in Boone and Crockett than any other forest in Colorado, and ranks third in the state on production of typical Boone and Crockett bucks. Colorado ranks #1 on production of Boone and Crockett bucks with a total of 217. The closest state has taken only 72 bucks total, registered through 1995.

Chances of taking a Boone and Crockett buck in Colorado are three times as great as in any other state. In fifteen years of hunting over 61 bucks with spreads better than 30" wide have been harvested. 6 Boone and Crockett bucks in our trophy unit. You will be hunting trophy deer in the rim rocks, meadows, aspen thickets, timber, and above the timberline even down to the oak brush depending on the weather and the hunt season. Our terrain is versatile and we can ride horseback to the top or lowest point from camp in an hour and a half. Hunts are permitted on Gunnison National Forest (USFS). To draw you will need for GMU063 1 point for archery deer and 3 points for second rifle and 5 for muzzleloader which has some quality deer available. I have some drop camps in unit 62 that take fewer points with good deer but not as many good deer as GMU063. Of course, landowner vouchers are always an option through us.

### **Archery and Black Powder**

Elk, by far, is the most majestic ghost on the mountain. He will be in the peak of his rut during your archery and muzzle loading hunt! Hunting techniques we use during this time will be bugling, cow calling, spot and stalk, and still hunting, for a high success fair chase hunt.

Colorado has a 100% draw for deer with elk drawing for Muzzleloader, 1<sup>st</sup> and, 4<sup>th</sup>. The archery and 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> seasons are over the counters with a few exceptions. You will need 1 point for archery deer and 3 points for second rifle and 5 for muzzleloader in **GMU063**.

Some drop Camps are available in GMU062.

A rule of thumb the more points it takes to draw a license the better the average quality of the deer or elk in the area.

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**~Guided Hunts~**

**Muzzle Loaders**

7 Day Elk or Deer 2x1 Guided \$ 4000 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 2,695  
7 Day Elk or Deer 1x1 Guided \$ 4500 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 3,195

All Muzzle loading seasons are in September. Muzzleloader hunts are by special permit, which you must apply for by April 2nd to be eligible. We hunt map unit 63.

**Guided Bow Hunts**

2x1Guide Ratio 7 Day Package Deer or Elk \$ 4000 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 2,695  
1x1Guide Ratio 7 Day Package Deer or Elk \$ 4500 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 3,195

**~Semi-Guided Hunts~**

**Bow and Muzzleloader**

7 Day Package Elk or Deer \$ 3000 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 1,495  
7 Day Package Elk & Deer Combo \$ 3500 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 1,695

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These are good areas and you're a chance of success depends on your hunting abilities.

Archery: (over the counter) and Muzzleloader (draw 3-4 pts.)

7 DAY PACKAGE 5 DAYS OF HUNTING \$ 3100 Discounted Down to only..... \$1695

Rifle: 1st (elk only draw no pts.) and 2nd combo Elk over the counter (deer draw 3-4pts.)

7 DAY PACKAGE 5 DAYS OF HUNTING \$ 3700 Discounted Down to only.....\$2195

Cabin & Pack-in Camp Hunts / Horseback Hunts

You will be living in all the conveniences of home in a wilderness setting.

Most Guided hunts will be on horseback

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~Guided Hunts~

Trophy Rifle Hunts

Trophy Hunts are either one-on-one or one-on-two guided ratio. These hunts can be horse pack-in or cabin hunts. 50% Deposit required to confirm all hunts

7 Day Trophy Elk or Deer Hunt - 2x1 \$ xxxx Discounted Down to only.....	\$3,795
1st Season - 1st Week Elk Only – 2x1 \$ xxxx Discounted Down to only.....	\$3,895
7 Day Trophy Elk or Deer Hunt - 1x1 \$ xxxx Discounted Down to only.....	\$4,495

Weight Restrictions:

Pack-in camp allows 65 lbs. - 1 duffel bag, Army type, with 1 stuff sleeping bag. We will not pack excess baggage, also on Horseback only, 235 pounds is the maximum hunter weight.

**Black Powder / Cabin hunts**

7 Day Elk or Deer 2x1 \$ xxxx Discounted Down to only.....	\$2,695
7 Day Elk or Deer 1x1 \$ xxxx Discounted Down to only.....	\$3,195

All Muzzle loading seasons are in September. Muzzleloader hunts are by special permit, which you must apply for by April 5th to be eligible. We hunt map unit 63, which is covered by the statewide draw license.

**Archery / Cabin Hunts**

2x1 Guide Ratio 7 Day Package Deer or Elk \$ 4000 Discounted Down to only.....	\$ 2,695
1x1 Guide Ratio 7 Day Package Deer or Elk \$ 4500 Discounted Down to only.....	\$3,195

We all know what it is like to shoot an elk after your legs are tired from walking all day. Now you will have to make numerous trips across that same country to haul your elk out. With coyotes and bears in the area if you don't get it out in a reasonable amount of time there will be nothing left to get.

~Semi-Guided Hunts~

(with game packing)



## **Archery / Cabin Hunts**

7 Day Package Elk or Deer \$ 2900 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 1,495  
7 Day Package Elk & Deer \$ 3200 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 1,695

Reservations are secured when deposit (50% of trip price) is received. Cancellations made more than thirty days in advance may be transferred to another trip within the year if available. The remaining 50% of the trip price is due 30 days prior to arrival. Gratuities are not included!

### **~Un-guided Hunts~**

All meals and lodging furnished. 5 days hunting, 1\2 day in, 1\2 day out.

We steer you in the right direction and pack out your game.

Hot showers, Bunk style Cabin.

### **Bow or Muzzleloader Hunts**

6 Day Package Elk or Deer \$ 3000 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 1,495  
6 Day Package Elk and Deer \$ 3200 Discounted Down to only.....\$ 1,695

### **Where all you do is hunt!**

\* During Trophy Deer Hunts only mature three and four point animals or better will be harvested.

\* Need a break from hunting? - Fish in our Stream by the cabin.

All hunts are fair chase in scenic Colorado. Hunts are conducted on the Gunnison National Forest. We are permit holders for the Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre, and Gunnison National Forests and is an Equal Opportunity Service Provider.

### **~License & Information~**

We hunt in Game Management Unit(GMU) number **GMU063** in Colorado.

### **~Recommended Equipment~**

#### **List of clothes and recommended equipment:**

1. Colorado Fish & Game License and Hunter Safety card if required. (see note below)

2. Sleeping Bag – Good for 0 degrees or lower for Pack-in Camp.
3. Backpack or Saddle Bags - for lunch, ammo, camera
4. Binoculars
5. Flashlight or headlamp, with extra batteries
6. Personal toilet articles
7. Snow Paks (boots) with two inserts
8. Good leather boots with heavy socks
9. Sunscreen and sunglasses
10. Gun scabbard with straps for attachment to saddle
11. Thermal underwear, Gloves, Warm jacket, Rain gear (Dress in layers for changing weather)
12. Orange cap and vest 500sq inches (Required by Colorado Law) - No orange camo. No orange for Archery
13. Guns - sighted in for 250 yards
14. Spotting scope for one on one hunts (optional)
15. Warm face mask
16. Towel and washcloth for pack in and drop camps
17. Game Bags
18. Water Bottle or Canteen

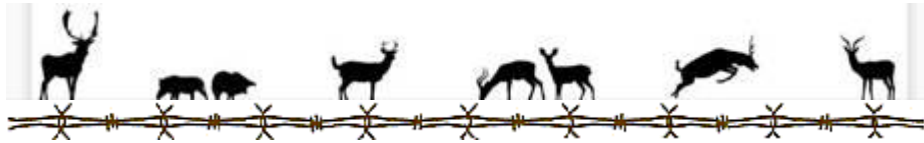
\*Tips are not included in the price of your hunt. Please take care of your guide and camp help before you leave camp\*

While hunting with us we furnish, if desired, transportation to and from Montrose, CO motels and Camp for hunters flying in, motel reservations, transportation of meat to local processor, transportation of trophies to taxidermist, two good hot meals a day and a sack lunch. There are no hidden charges.

Transportation will be furnished by the hunter to Montrose Colorado.

### State Law

Anyone born on or after January 1, 1949 must have a hunter's safety card to get any Colorado hunting license.



***Archery Season Go in on Sunday and come out on a Saturday (Break between 2 groups)  
5-day hunt with 1 day (Saturday) in and 1 day (Sunday) out (season start 8/26)***

***Season Dates are as follows:***

<b><i>Sunday</i></b>	<b><i>Saturday</i></b>
<b><i>1<sup>st</sup> week 08/26-09/02</i></b>	<b><i>Archery*</i></b>
<b><i>2<sup>st</sup> Week 09/03-09/09</i></b>	<b><i>Archery</i></b>
<b><i>3<sup>rd</sup> week 09/10-09/16</i></b>	<b><i>Muzzleloader/Archery</i></b>
<b><i>4<sup>th</sup> week 09/17-09/24</i></b>	<b><i>Archery*</i></b>

- *Note: Because season dates and the days of the week don't align perfectly so the First week has a 1 day earlier and the last week has 1 extra day on the end.*

**1<sup>st</sup> Season 10/14--18**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Season 10/21-29**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Season 11/04-12**

**4<sup>th</sup> Season 11/15-19**

## License Fees

**Important Note:** Anyone ages 18-64 MUST purchase a Habitat Stamp in order to buy or apply for a preference point or for a hunting or fishing license. For more information, see [Habitat Stamp Basics](#).

	<b>Resident</b>	<b>Nonresident</b>
Elk, Cow	\$ 49	\$ 469
Elk, Bull or Either Sex	\$ 49	\$ 629
Deer	\$ 34	\$ 379
Moose	\$ 254	\$ 2,084
Pronghorn, Buck or Doe	\$ 34	\$ 379
Bear	\$ 44	\$ 354

\*All prices include a 25-cent search-and-rescue fee, a 75-cent surcharge for the Wildlife Management Education Fund and a \$3 application fee for limited licenses applied for in the draw.

\*Nonresident fishing licenses are good through March 31.

<b>Habitat Stamps</b> (non-refundable)	<b>Resident</b>	<b>Nonresident</b>
<b>Habitat Stamp</b> (valid 4/1–3/31)	\$ 10	\$ 10
<b>Lifetime Habitat Stamp</b>	\$ 300.25	\$ 300.25

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*We accept*



*Or ask us about our "Hunt Now, Pay Later Program" valid for all hunters booking our hunts you just need credit approval. We realize the hunt of your dreams will not be a reality because you will never be in better physical condition than you are today. Instead of planning the hunt when you can afford it, hunt now while you are physically able. This program is a must for a hunter filling his bucket list!*