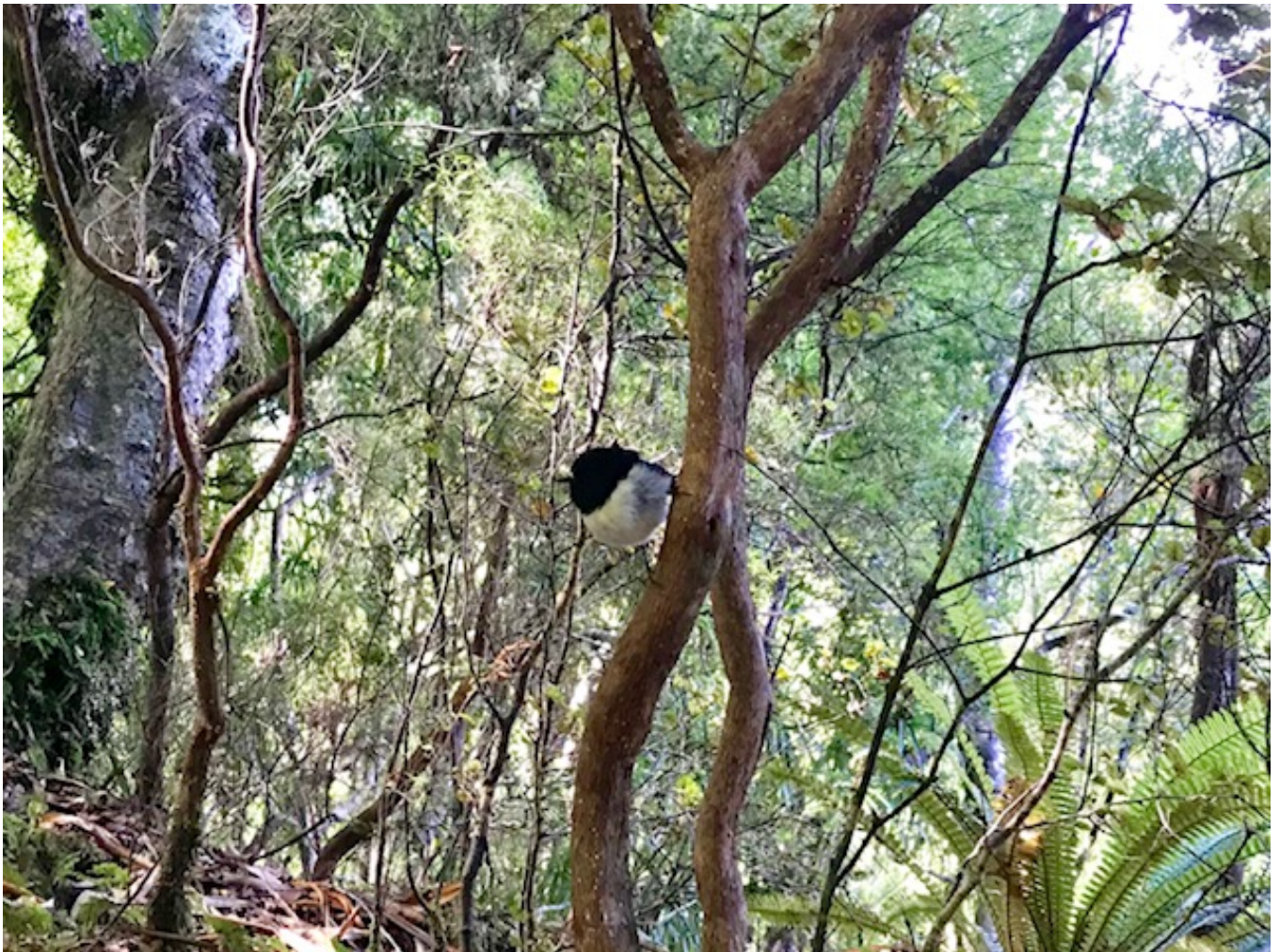




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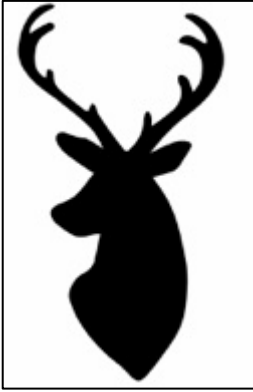
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Club Night: First Tuesday of the month 7.30pm
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Committee Meeting: Second Tuesday of the month
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Deadlines for newsletter contributions is the 20th of the month.
Opinions and views expressed in this newsletter are not necessarily endorsed by the branch, its executive committee or the national association.



PRESIDENTS REPORT – SEPTEMBER 2019

Welcome to this month's newsletter.

It has been a very busy month for the club with the Hunts course in progress and the National conference taking place in August instead of the usual date in July.

Stan Lowe, Keith Theobald and I attended the National Conference in Wellington which was hosted by the Porirua Club and was well organised and a very enjoyable and constructive meeting. In my opinion there were some good decisions made which will take the association forward in the immediate future. The constitution and rules were updated to reflect the current direction of the association and to also comply with new legislation. The National office will employ a CEO to run the affairs of the Wellington office and also promote NZDA. This new CEO's position will come at a cost and our capitation levels we pay from branch will increase to cover the salary. I believe the benefits we will see from national office being run properly and the association being promoted will make a positive difference to the current situation.

At a previous conference the decision was made to stop printing the Hunting & Wildlife magazine as we were bleeding \$50K a year for the privilege. The new Editor Simon Gibson has presented an option for re introducing a hard copy for those members who would like to receive a copy. This would be optional and the cost would be approx. \$25.00 for 4 copies. Those figures are based on printing a minimum of a 1000 copies. I will talk more about this and other conference business at the next club night.

The next club night will be a bring buy and sell of all those items you think should be rebirthed into someone else's shed!!

Look forward to seeing you at the next Club night.

Clyde

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NZDA CALENDAR 2019

September

Tuesday, 3 rd September, 7.30 pm		Club Night at NZDA Clubrooms			
Tuesday, 10 th September, 7.30 pm		Committee Night at NZDA Clubrooms			
September	13th - 15th	Hut Warming - Te Whare Okioki Hut, Kaimai Mamaku Forest Park	Reds, Pigs	3	Reuben Hayward

October

Tuesday, 1 st October, 7.30 pm		Club Night at NZDA Clubrooms			
Tuesday, 8 th October, 7.30 pm		Committee Night at NZDA Clubrooms - Trevor Chappell			
October	25th - 28th	(Labour Weekend) Canoe Hunt - Mokau River	Fallow, Pigs, Goats	3	Reuben Hayward

November

Tuesday, 5 th November, 7.30 pm		Club Night at NZDA Clubrooms			
Tuesday, 12 th November, 7.30 pm		Committee Night at NZDA Clubrooms			
November	2nd - 10th	Club Tahr Hunt - Mount Cook National Park	Tahr	5	Stan Lowe
November	22nd - 24th	Spring Meat Hunt Clements Mill Rd	Sika	3	Mark Hargrave



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This Month's Club Night

Bring & Buy

NZDA BoP Branch Meeting
3rd September 2019

Bring along all your unwanted hunting, camping, tramping, fishing etc equipment. Earn some \$\$\$'s for your unwanted gear.

Make sure you have some cash in your pocket on the night.



CLUB HUNTS

BOP Deerstalkers Trip Grading System

Grade	Description	Specific skills	Specific Equipment
1	Flat country, suitable for any ability	none	none
2	Rolling country, suitable for most people	basic fitness	boots and a compass
3	Local bush hunting, may involve overnight	navigation, fitness, basic bushcraft	boots, pack, tent or fly
4	Extended hunting, may involve helicopters.	fitness, basic alpine skills, navigation	boots, pack, binoculars, rangefinder, spotting scope
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NATIONAL COMPETITION RESULTS

NATIONAL ANTLER, HORN AND TUSK COMPETITIONS 2019

A.01 MCGOWAN SHIELD – Fallow deer - Total entries: 5

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Andrew Kingan	North Otago	Kakanui Mountains	254 3/4
2nd	Brooke Keen	South Canterbury	North Otago	229 3/4
3rd	Ricky Rush	Auckland	South Head	213 3/4

A.02 MEL LARRITT TROPHY – Red deer - Total entries: 11

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Chris Palffy	Auckland	Mokauiti	356 3/4
2nd	Nick Sim	North Otago	Kakanui Mountains	343 3/4
3rd	Callum Wood	North Canterbury	Wakatipu	336 5/8

A.03 SEDDON SHIELD – Rusa deer - Total entries: 2

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1 st	Vince Penese-Sua	Auckland	Urewera	139
2nd	Brent Pankhurst	Auckland	Whakatane River	85 1/4
3rd				

A.04 HENDERSON TROPHY – Sambar deer - Total entries: 0

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	No Entry			
2nd				
3rd				

A.05 CLIFF MARSHALL MEMORIAL TROPHY – Sika deer - Total entries: 1

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Greg Denby	Bay Of Plenty	Napier /Taupo Rd	188
2nd				
3rd				

A.06 MANAWATU BRANCH TROPHY – Whitetail deer - Total entries: 2

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Murray Rowe	Te Awamutu	Dough Boy Bay	95 1/4
2nd				
3rd				

A.07 KEITH SEVERINSON TROPHY – Wapiti/Fjordland deer - Total entries: 0

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st				
2nd				
3rd				

A.08 McCONACHIE SHIELD – Chamois - Total entries: 4

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Brent Thurlow	Wellington	Lewis Pass	28 1/2
2nd	Jane Cochrane	North Canterbury	Avoca	25 3/4
3rd				

A.09 MOUNT COOK TROPHY – Tahr - Total entries: 4

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Hayden Breakwell	Ashburton	Mount Cook	46 1/2
2nd	Anthony Allcock	Te Awamutu	Rangitata	42 1/2
3rd	Graeme Hopping	Rakaia	Rangitata	37

A.10 COLIN PORTER TROPHY – Goat - Total entries: 2

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Jane Cochrane	North Canterbury	Taperwera	102 5/8
2nd	Sheldon Rackley	Auckland	Piopio	71 1/4
3rd				

A.11 DILLON SHIELD – Drawn Pig Tusks - Total entries: 0

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st				
2nd				
3rd				

A.12 PUTARURU BRANCH TROPHY – Undrawn Pig Tusks - Total entries: 1

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	NZDA
1st	Daniel Watson	Ashburton	North Canterbury	21 7/8
2nd				
3rd				

A.13 TREVOR CHAPPELL TROPHY – Wild Sheep - Total entries: 0

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st				
2nd				
3rd				

A.14 POVERTY BAY BRANCH TROPHY – Best Game Animal Shot by a Junior Under 19 Total entries: 4

	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1st	Brooke Keen	South Canterbury	North Otago	349.61
2nd	Brenna Berqer	Auckland	South Head	310.61
3rd	Brooke Keen	South Canterbury	North Otago	243.87

A.15 LEITHEN AWARD – Best Non-Typical - Total entries: 0

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS Equiv
1st					
2nd					
3rd					

A.16 Z VERONESE CUP – Best Antlered Species Taken by a Junior - Total entries: 3

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS	DS Equiv
1st	Brooke Keen	South Canterbury	Red	North Otago	243 7/8	243.87
2nd	Brooke Keen	South Canterbury	Fallow	North Otago	229 ¾	349.61
3rd	Brenna Berqer	Auckland	Fallow	South Head	204 1/8	310.61

A.17 E VERONESE CUP – Best Horned Species Taken by a Junior - Total entries: 1

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS	DS Equiv
1st	Sheldon Rackley	Auckland	Wild Goat	Piopio	71 ¼	191.82
2nd						
3rd						

A.18 KAIMANAWA BRANCH TROPHY – Best Game Trophy Taken by a Lady - Total entries: 8

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS	DS Equiv
1st	Brooke Keen	South Canterbury	Fallow	North Otago	229 ¾	349.61
2nd	Jane Cochrane	North Canterbury	Chamois	Avoca	25 ½	310.75
3rd	Brenna Berqer	Auckland	Fallow	South Head	204 1/8	310.61

A.19 NORMAN DOUGLAS TROPHY – Best Branch Entry – Consisting of one set of Antlers, Horns and Tusks - Total entries: 0

Place	Branch	Species	DS	DS Equiv	Total
1st					
2nd					
3rd					

A.20 ORBELL TROPHY – Best Head of All Deer Species

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS	DS Equiv
1st	Andrew Kingan	North Otago	Fallow	Kakanui Mtns	254 ¾	387.65
2nd	Nick Sim	North Otago	Red	Kakanui Mtns	343 ¾	343.75
3rd	Greg Denby	BOP	Sika	Napier/Taupo	188	329

A.21 EGMONT TROPHY – Best Head of all Horned Species

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS	DS Equiv
1st	Brent Thurlow	Wellington	Chamois	Lewis Pass	28 ½	343.93
2nd	Hayden Breakwell	Ashburton	Tahr	Mount Cook	46 ½	353.79
3rd	Anthony Allcock	Te Awamutu	Tahr	Ranqitata	42 ½	323.36

A.22 BOW HUNTING JUNIOR - Total entries: 0

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS Equiv	Medal
1st	No Entry					
2nd						
3rd						

A.23 BOW HUNTING LADIES - Total entries: 0

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS Equiv
1st	No Entry				
2nd					
3rd					

A.24 BOW HUNTING SENIOR - Total entries: 2

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS Equiv
1st	Graeme Hopping	Rakaia	Tahr	Ranqitata	281.51
2nd	Ian Checkley	Bush	Red Deer	Pahiatua	225.37
3rd					

A.25 WAIKATO BRANCH TROPHY Over 65 - Total entries: 3

Place	Name	Branch	Species	Place Taken	DS Equiv
1st	Anthony Allcock	Te Awamutu	Tahr	Ranqitata	323.36
2nd	Ian Checkley	Bush	Red Deer	Pahiatua	225.37
3rd	Murray Rowe	Te Awamutu	Whitetail	Stewart Island	208.35

A.26 D.BRUCE BANWELL TROPHY

Place	Name	Branch	Place Taken	DS
1*	Nick Sim	North Otago	Kakanui Mtns	343 3/4

MEDALS

Andrew Kingan	North Otago	Fallow	254 ¾	Gold
Chris Palffy	Auckland	Red	356 ¾	Gold
Hayden Breakwell	Ashurton	Tahr	46 1/2	Gold
Brent Thurlow	Wellington	Chamois	28 ½	Silver
Callum Wood	North Canterbury	Red	336 5/8	Silver
Nick Sim	North Otago	Red	343 ¾	Silver
Greg Denby	BOP	Sika	188	Bronze

PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION RESULTS 2019

Section	Place	Name	Title	Branch
A - Game Animals	1st	John Lumsden	Inquisitive Stag	Napier
A - Game Animals	2nd	Brad Ramsay	Lazy Sunday	Taupo
A - Game Animals	3rd	Tony Burt	Time to Leave	Bay of Plenty
A - Game Animals	Highly Commended	Terry Austin	Red Stag on Alert	Nth Canterbury
A - Game Animals	Highly Commended	Robert Ramsay	Looking Back	Taupo
A - Game Animals	Highly Commended	Brad Ramsay	Life on the Edge	Taupo
B1 - Other Wildlife - Birds	1st	John Lumsden	High Country Quail	Napier
B1 - Other Wildlife - Birds	2nd	Garth Johnson	Kingfisher on a Branch	Auckland
B1 - Other Wildlife - Birds	3rd	Robert Ramsay	Native Pigeon 2	Taupo
B1 - Other Wildlife - Birds	Highly Commended	Robert Ramsay	Native Pigeon 1	Taupo
B1 - Other Wildlife - Birds	Highly Commended	Brad Ramsay	The King	Taupo
B1 - Other Wildlife - Birds	Highly Commended	Jamie Fairbairn	Pretty Robin	Bay of Plenty
B2 - Other Wildlife - Mammals	1st	John Lumsden	Old Battler	Napier
B2 - Other Wildlife - Mammals	2nd	Paul Peychers	Mature Sealion up Close	Nelson
B2 - Other Wildlife - Mammals	3rd	Jamie Fairbairn	Tearful Seal	Bay of Plenty
B2 - Other Wildlife - Mammals	Highly Commended	John Sanders	Now Listen	North Otago
B2 - Other Wildlife - Mammals	Highly Commended	John Sanders	Mum & Young	South Canterbury
B2 - Other Wildlife - Mammals	Highly Commended	John Lumsden	Cautious Hare	Napier
B3 - Other Wildlife - Insects, Reptiles and Amphibians	1st	Brad Ramsay	Up Close	Taupo
B3 - Other Wildlife - Insects, Reptiles and Amphibians	2nd	Robert Ramsay	Butterfly	Taupo
B3 - Other Wildlife - Insects, Reptiles and Amphibians	3rd	Callum Sheridan	Frog	Auckland
B3 - Other Wildlife - Insects, Reptiles and Amphibians	Highly Commended	Terry Austin	Water Spider Resting	Nth Canterbury
B3 - Other Wildlife - Insects, Reptiles and Amphibians	Highly Commended	Jamie Fairbairn	Bee-utiful	Bay of Plenty
B3 - Other Wildlife - Insects, Reptiles and Amphibians	Highly Commended	Jamie Fairbairn	Rare Burgan Skink	Bay of Plenty
C - Scenic CERTIFICATE MISSING TO BE FORWARDED	1st	Lachie Campbell	Mountain Throne	Auckland
C - Scenic	2nd	Barry Wilson	Kirklistons	North Otago
C - Scenic	3rd	Terry Austin	Keep it Pure	Nth Canterbury

C - Scenic	Highly Commended	Barry Wilson	I Hunt Out There	North Otago
C - Scenic	Highly Commended	Zeff Veronese	Semi Frozen Tarn	Nth Canterbury
C - Scenic	Highly Commended	Callum Sheridan	Runway	Auckland
D - Flora	1st	James Fairburn	Log Mushrooms	Bay of Plenty
D - Flora	2nd	Paul Peychers	Back Lit Ferns	Nelson
D - Flora	3rd	David Hudson	Purple Pouch Fungus	Waikato
D - Flora	Highly Commended	Barry Wilson	Emerging	North Otago
D - Flora	Highly Commended	Jamie Fairbairn	Fungi Frenzy	Bay of Plenty
D - Flora	Highly Commended	Jamie Fairbairn	Ribbed Shroom	Bay of Plenty
E - Human Interest	1st	Zeff Veronese	Ah!Ah! I Spotted a Bull Ta	Nth Canterbury
E - Human Interest	2nd	John Sanders	The end of a Big Day	Sth Canterbury
E - Human Interest	3rd	Gareth Hall	On Ice	West Coast
E - Human Interest	Highly Commended	Jamie Fairbairn	Taking a Lean	Bay of Plenty
E - Human Interest	Highly Commended	Brad Ramsay	Look into the Light	Taupo
E - Human Interest	Highly Commended	Shane Hall	Hunting the Glaisnock	West Coast
F - Best of All Sections	1st	John Lumsden	Inquisitive Shag	Napier
G - Best Junior	1st	Peter O'Driscoll	Cock Quail	Wairarapa
G - Best Junior	2nd	James Fairbairn	Log Mushrooms	Bay of Plenty
G - Best Junior	3rd	James Fairbairn	Yellow Sticks	Bay of Plenty
G - Best Junior	Highly Commended	Peter O'Driscoll	Red Sky in the Morning	Wairarapa
G - Best Junior	Highly Commended	Peter O'Driscoll	Web by the Water	Wairarapa
G - Best Junior	Highly Commended	Peter O'Driscoll	Daytime Hedgehog	Wairarapa
H - Best Photographic Essay	1st	Thomas McCowan	Tahr Rut	Wellington
H - Best Photographic Essay	2nd	Ian Checkley	Novice Bow Hunter Saga	Bush
H - Best Photographic Essay	3rd	Thomas McCowan	Molesworth 2019	Wellington
H - Best Photographic Essay				
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Prize Winners 2019 NZ Deerstalkers' Assn

Literary Competitions

Philip Holden Trophy	Hunting story, article of interest 1500 words or more	Ian Checkley	Bush
Halcyon Publishing Trophy – Bush Trophy		Stewart Hydes	Rakala
Rotorua Branch Trophy – Branch Newsletters			Thames Valley

Special Competitions

John Murphy Memorial Award	Administrative excellence on part of branch committee	Sharon Salmons	Southern Lakes
Newton McConochie Award	For the most Outstanding Deerstalker of the Year	Brooke Panckhurst	Auckland
Morrow Trophy	Branch membership percentage increase		Bay of Plenty
John T Dillon Memorial Trophy	Branch with greatest numerical increase		Hutt Valley
Norman Douglas Memorial Award	For promotion of the Douglas Score System	Mark Sarjeant	Waikato

Shooting Competition

Postal Events			
Hawkes Bay Challenge Cup	Junior – 1	Hugo Dupont	South Canterbury
J M Wilkinson Cup – Junior	Junior – 1 Junior – 2 Junior – 3	Maddison Butters	South Canterbury
J M Wilkinson Cup Women	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	Jaimee McCarthy Cynthia Page	South Canterbury Northland
J M Wilkinson Cup Open	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	Mark Webster Graeme Steans Julian Price	Northland North Canterbury North Otago
Benchrest Shooter of the Year 2018		Ian Owen	

Photographic/Video

Ramsay Trophy – Hunting		Brad Ramsay	Taupo
John Anderson Memorial Trophy	NZ Wildlife	Robert Ramsay	Taupo
Ian D Wright Award	Supreme Branch Photographic Award		Bay of Plenty

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3. Fill in an Outdoors Intention Form to be held by the Branch custodian issuing the unit.
4. Pay a \$40 cash bond, refundable on return, in original condition and on time.
5. Pay a \$10-20 donation per trip, on return, for hire of the unit.

Hire will be on a per trip basis, based on a maximum of a 21 day trip. The units will not be insured because of the cost, so any damage or loss will be payable by the user (approx. \$640). There is no cost for the renewal of the unit if it is used in an emergency but if possible we will need it returned. Any costs incurred for rescue by emergency services or false PLB activation will be the sole responsibility of the user.

Branch PLB Custodians:

- Dean Maisey, Welcome Bay, Ph. 544 2207
- Keith Theobald, Greerton, Ph. 578 1195
- Baden Prentice, Bethlehem, Ph. 579 3107 (pick up can also be made from Newton St, Mt Maunganui by prior arrangement)



HUNTING SAFETY GUIDELINES

Hunting Safety Guidelines (Some suggestions from committee discussions)

1. It is recommended that hunters wear Hi-Viz clothing at all times while in the hunting block.
2. Alcohol may only be consumed after the days hunting is completed.
3. Illicit drugs will not be tolerated.
4. Only load your weapon when ready to shoot at your quarry.
5. Identify your target beyond any doubt.
6. Check the firing zone for people, non-target stock, buildings etc.
7. Never fire above the skyline.
8. Unload your weapon with the barrel pointing away from any potential hazards.
9. Never skylark with weapons.

**Application for Membership of the Bay of Plenty Branch of the
New Zealand Deerstalkers Association (Inc.) 2017/2018**



To

New Zealand Deerstalkers Association (Inc) Bay of Plenty Branch
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Dear Treasurer,

I am applying for membership of the Bay of Plenty Branch of the New Zealand Deerstalkers' Association for the 2019/20 year (March 1st 2019– February 28th 2020).

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All new Applications are put before the Committee, at their next available meeting, for acceptance – please allow up to 6 weeks for receipt of your membership card.

The membership type I am applying for is:

Period Joined

(Circle one)

	*Joining Fee		Full Yr Mar – Aug	1/2 Yr Sep – Feb
FEES – Branch financial year runs from March 1 st 2019 to February 28 th 2020				
SENIOR – Full benefits at National and Branch level.	\$50.00	+	\$110.00	\$59.00
FAMILY MEMBER – partner/spouse or children/grandchildren of Senior Member under 18 as at March 1 st 2019	\$0.00	+	\$2.00	\$1.00
JUNIOR – Must be less than 18 years of age as at March 1 st 2019 (No voting rights).	\$0.00	+	\$37.50	\$22.75
ASSOCIATE – Can't vote or enter national competitions. Doesn't receive H&W mag	\$50.00	+	\$67.00	\$37.50
AFFILIATE – Must be a full member of another branch.	\$50.00	+	\$50.00	\$29.00
SUPERANNUANT – over 65 as at 1 March 2019	\$50.00	+	\$85.00	\$46.50
STUDENT – Must produce valid Student ID card as proof.	\$50.00	+	\$85.00	\$46.50

* Joining Fee only applies to **NEW** and members **UNFINANCIAL** for more than 90 days (i.e.: Existing membership must be renewed before 31 May 2019)

OPTIONAL PAYMENTS:

Annual Range Ticket (Mar-Feb each yr – \$50 see separate info pack)

Donation towards ongoing development of the Shooting Range:

Membership Fee	\$
Joining Fee	\$
Range ticket	\$
Donation	\$
Total Payment	\$

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* In all instances this application form must be filled out in full and posted to:

**New Zealand Deerstalkers Association B.O.P Branch,
 P O Box 3111, Greerton, Tauranga, 3142**

Under the terms of the Privacy Act 1993, I acknowledge that you are retaining my name and club details for the purpose of mailing further information on NZDA and related matters.

Signature:	Date:
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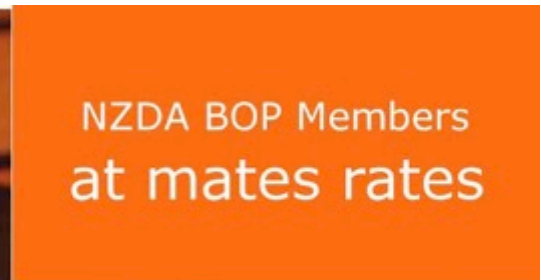
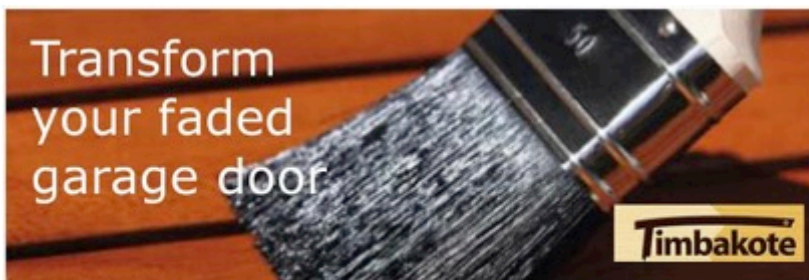
CODE OF ETHICS

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Aldo Leopold, The Sand County Almanac.

A member of the New Zealand Deerstalkers' Association Incorporated will be expected to;

1. Approach recreational hunting from the highest possible level of ethics, having due regard to the welfare of the animals hunted, and prevention of cruelty to the same
2. Not hunt or carry a firearm on property without the proper approval of the owner, occupier of controlling authority and shall strictly observe any conditions imposed upon him
3. Be a responsible firearms owner and abide by current Firearms Laws
4. Avoid unnecessary or deliberate damage to the environment, respect property, and other users of the outdoors
5. Advocate sensible conservation practices at all times and promote New Zealand's biodiversity 'in situ'
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7. Be exemplary members of NZDA by promoting and abiding by its Rules, Field Guidelines and this Code of Ethics.



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