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2005 Woodhill Fallow Deer Hunting Ballot Application Forms



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Stefan Hulme with his 205 7/8 : 17 pointer

Chairman's Report 2004

A hunting season that has seen a record number of deer taken due in part to the extra buck hunt in February, but was mainly due to the need for the committee to reduce the herd numbers.

The impact the deer herd is having on some areas of new plantings is of concern to both C.H.H and W.F.M.C, a deer damage survey was carried out in May by C.H.H and W.F.M.C together. The result of this survey is that we will be targeting areas of concern during 2005
Hunting season, please be aware that each block will be treated differently depending on concentrations of deer, age of trees etc.

The immediate goal is to reduce tree damage by reducing the herd numbers, once the trees reach approx four years of age the deer impact (mainly buck rubbings and trashing) drops away. At that point other factors such as food supply come into play, rest assured the W.F.M.C will continue to make decisions that will ensure “hunters at Woodhill” get a good deal even though hunting will be harder after this reduction.

Thanks to all the hunters who took part in 2004, your actions this year has seen the least number of problems for our patrols and thus the committee that I can remember, keep it up!

The “**take a kid hunting day**” was the highlight of the year, thanks to Mark Nobile, Brian Witton, Richard Morris, Roger Windslade, NZ police, Blue Light organization and Mike from Hunting and Fishing Westgate for their sponsorship and great effort.

That’s to our supporters (they are listed in this booklet) please continue to support them when you can, as they are our immediate point of contact with you. At time of writing C.H.H is selling many of their forest, initially this does not effect Woodhill but only time will reveal their plans, have a great Xmas and new year please be safe out there!

Dave Chisholm
Chairman W.F.M.C

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2005 WOODHILL BALLOT HUNT APPLICATION OUTLETS.

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Thank you!

Thanks, to those of you that contributed the numerous stories and letters of appreciation. But due to the limited space in this booklet many were unpublished, however no less appreciated by the Woodhill Fallow Management Committee.

Paul Kuiumdjian. (Editor) W.F.M.C



B.B.Q time at South head Hall at the “Take A Kid Hunting” day

“ALWAYS IDENTIFY YOUR TARGET”

Amazing how many hunters say they had correctly identified their animal only to find they shot something else; i.e.. a weaner buck in lieu of a doe.

ALWAYS!

- Treat your fire arm as loaded
- Point your fire arm in a safe direction.
- Take time to place your shot on the animal.

NEVER!

- Shoot at movement.
- Shoot at Color.

Sportways Cup

The winner this year is Mr. Stefan Hulme , the head a 17 pointer measured **205 7/8** on the Douglas score.

Stefan has won a dinner for two. **Congratulations!**

And for the records:

Second best head taken by Mr. David Ryan 16 points measured **196 1/8**

Third best head taken by Mr. Glynn Gulliver 17 points measured **194 7/8**

Best head shot in the February buck hunt was taken by Mr. John Money 17 points which measured **186.**

Prize Draw

These names were drawn from the kill returns, they have each won new hunting clothing valued around \$140.00. **Congratulations to:**

1st Mr. W Gregerson

2nd Mr. Shane Attwood

3rd Mr. Craig Philips

Special Thanks

The Woodhill Fallow Management Committee would like to thank the following for their continued support.

Mr. Ian Amore for his veterinary services, and putting up with us all hours of the day and night, year in and year out.

Carter Holt Harvey Forest Resources, Northern Region. & Forest Protection Services, Woodhill Forest.



Patrol Report 2005

Well, after my 3rd session on Patrol I am finally getting to know my blocks 1 from my block 7 and the sand tracks in between. It's not surprising that most patrol monitors drive between 200 and 300 klms on a patrol day, then the area we have to cover. Little wonder we can be a little tired at the end of it so its always good to see hunters back at the car parks or at least plodding that way on dark. There's nothing worse than trying to find a hunter to chuck him out who has finished the day at the far end of his block instead of timing his hunt to be at the car park at "closing time". Patrol members can not leave the forest until all hunters are checked out and the gates are secure.

The hunting has been quite good, this season with plenty of sightings and some reasonable bucks taken. The committee allowed a greater number of doe permits than normal in an effort to balance herd numbers but until our final kill returns are in and the figures are collated we will be unable to ascertain if the herd numbers are in balance with the environment. This is important for the future planning of herd management so your kill return data is extremely valuable and necessary. Your results and returns will help determine hunt strategies for next season. From CHH forests Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) view point the WPMC patrol members have to know who

Is in the blocks on any specific day. It is therefore most important that permits are always displayed on the dashboard console in full view so that we can identify which party is in which block, often hunters are most co-operative in all aspects of compliance requirements covered in the permits and it's only a tiny minority that cause us any stress mostly unintentionally. We ask that all primary applicants relate all permit information to their party members and to provide them with a copy of the black map.

Motorbikes continue to be a problem and their presence while hunting is a pain to us all. One hunter on Block 1 asked me what the limit was on motorbikes, and when I told him "no Limit" his eyes lit up and he asked if I knew any good recipes because he had never cooked one before. This is my favorite

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Hunters Contributions con.

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to the W.H.F.C for the fantastic service provided in organizing the hunting ballot. We were drew block three, and although our hunting party comprised of three complete armatures we still managed to see seven does and one large buck. Even though our poor marksmanship did not allow us to secure any animals we all had a fantastic day, made better by the fact we were kindly given a lift back to our car by the W.F.M.C representatives. Keep up the great work!

Stuart Kidd, Stewart Fowler & Daniel Lucas. (?)

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Block six 1st August, on behalf of my companions and myself we thank Brian Witton for his pleasant manner when he phoned me prior to our hunt and his good advice relating to our block, and thanks to Richard Morris for the help with the lift down the road he gave me, I needed that. Very special thanks to Dave Chisholm for his very good advice and the ride back to our vehicle after dark, at the stage we were picked up we had very little energy left in our more than sixty year old legs.

To be able to dump our load and climb onto the back of your ute was wonderful, but to sit on the softest bale of hay and be taken out was sheer bliss that topped off a wonderful day.

Murray Richardson, Pat Geenty & Rodney Mence. (Hastings)

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Thanks for the opportunity to hunt Woodhill, Its always great to be able to get out and enjoy the fresh air leaving Auckland and all its hustle behind for the day.

It was the icing on the cake to be allowed to take a deer other than an antlered buck, and two of our team did exactly that. For the fear of embarrassing myself I wont tell you who missed out!

A brilliant day, once again thanks to the W.F.M.C and their friendly assistance.

Chris King (Howick)

Hunters Contributions con.

On the morning of the 28th, one of my companions returned back by late morning to the car as age has affected his leg muscles and he was unable to continue to walk.

About an hour later a very nice and polite and helpful

“Bert” arrived to check on our details, he offered to drive us to a spot where we could walk about 100 meters to a spot to sit and scope and offered to pick us up later in the afternoon.

In between times the younger member of our party arrived back to the car park with a buck shot earlier, he had been forced to leave his gear behind in order to carry out the buck.

Bert also took him back so he could collect his gear, around five o'clock Bert arrived, took all our statistical details then returned us back to the car park. I must say that in these days of over regulation and over enthusiastic Beauracracy that I was most pleased to find who were helpful and very user friendly. If I am lucky enough to win another ballot in the future I will go gladly Knowing the resource is in such good hands.

Peter Jackson

(Browns Bay)

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Ingredients:

1(or more) motorbikes

Any species will do i.e. 2 wheelers, 3 wheelers, quad etc)

20 liters of cooking oil

Do not use olive oil, peanut or Soya it must be 15W-40

Accelerant and Matches .

Method:

First catch your motorbike

I find that tire spikes buried in the sand on access tracks get the highest success rate. Prior to cooking the motorbike must be tenderized this is best achieved using a 20 tone caterpillar log harvester.

Lay the bike on a hard part of any forestry road

Run over bike with log harvester in several directions

This is necessary to expose some internal workings and to release any Juices ,Baste liberally with the 15W-40

Light with matches

All bikes irrespective of species age are best well done.

Mark Nobile. W.F.M.C

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Glynn Gulliver 194 7/8

(Rotorua)

Hunting Ethics In Woodhill Forest

By the look of the kill returns and the number of enthusiastic letters we received again, a lot of hunters had enjoyed themselves and were successful.

The above title means “ the unwritten rules and common sense” that we need to abide by when hunting in Woodhill Forest. The hunting environment in Woodhill is totally different to hunting in the Kaimanawas, Kaweka's and the Ureweras.

First and foremost Woodhill is a production Forest, complete with logging and silver culture operations, sometimes operating seven days a week. If you are notified that a logging operation is in your hunting block, give them a wide berth.

Also be aware of your block boundaries, as sometimes we configure those boundaries to accommodate logging operations. Any Forest operation takes precedent over the hunting blocks availability and size. We are invited guests and our behavior needs to reflect that we respect the privilege of being able to hunt this area.

Things like target practice, or lets have a crack at a rabbit, cause I am bored, is not acceptable in this environment. The only type of animal you are entitled to shoot at is described on your permit.

And this brings us to animal identification . We have a bucks only policy with a limited number of hinds harvested each year. The problem here is the number of hunters shooting weaner bucks when they have a doe permit. A deer with no antlers, but has a pistle means it is a weaner buck, and the presence or the lack of a pistle needs to be determined before you shoot.

Also this is not clay bird shooting, where you shoot as soon as you see the target, this type of shot gunning technique is not acceptable or safe in the Woodhill forest.

We must all pause or slow down so as to identify what we are aiming at, especially when you have a doe permit.

Hunters Contributions

I would like to thank the W.F.M.C for the opportunity to hunt Woodhill, although we saw plenty of animals I didn't fire a shot, as the positive identification of does and weaners was uppermost in my mind. Being 60 years of age the proximity of the forest to where I live and the relatively easy walking was for me a big plus! originally I thought I would be back at the vehicle early, however I was able to walk all day. It was also pleasing to know that our vehicle was in safe hands too, and the W.F.M.C members an patrol ensuring all were out and safe at the end of the day. Thanks again and I hope to be back again soon.

Bernie Dwyer (Waiuku)

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I wish to thank the committee for a well organized ballot & hunt at Woodhill, my companions and I once again had an enjoyable day seeing many deer and had the luck to shoot a buck.

W.F.M.C members Paul Kuiumdjian and Brian Witton were most cooperative and helpful, this is a well-run operation and the whole committee must be congratulated on their excellent achievements in maintaining a good safety record and managing the herd well.

Keep up the good work and thanks for all the voluntary time.

John Meikle (Rotorua)

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On Sunday the 19th September, myself and my son came up to participate in the “take a kid hunting” day, on behalf of myself and Cameron and all the other hunters I spoke to afterwards, who may not put pen to paper. I would like to thank and congratulate the W.F.M.C for their considerable time and effort that was put in to make this a highly enjoyable and interesting day for all the participants who were lucky enough to draw a ballot.

On paper, our block looked quite small, but in fact when we got into the block we soon discovered there was no way we could cover it all in the half day of hunting we had. The boundaries were clearly marked and I wish I had felt as safe driving through Auckland on the way home, as I felt hunting in our block.

I will be conveying a similar message to Carter Holt Harvey in a letter so that they may appreciate the efforts the W.F.M.C puts in organizing this event.

Digby Johansen (Waihi)

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Rules for Woodhill ballot

- No smoking in forest
- Replacement of hunter on permit only on acceptance (payment) date
- All hunters to have signed indemnity clause
- One hunt per hunter per year
- Firearms license to be current
- Vehicles to have current W.O.F and registration when entering Forest
- No camping in Forest or Access roads
- You will be notified the week before your hunt if you get a hind permit
- No shot guns or .22 calibers
- **Blaze orange hi-viz safety vest** must be worn at all times.
Regardless of any other safety items worn .

Remember no matter what harvesting and management plans we put into place, it is **you the hunter with your finger on the trigger that determines the sustainability of this fallow herd.**

Last but not least, we seem to have a number of hunters with blaze orange swannies, you must wear a blaze orange vest over the top, regardless of what else you are wearing blaze orange or otherwise!.

The temperature in Woodhill Forest can at times get bloody hot, and if you over heat and take your blaze orange swannies off, and do not have a lighter blaze orange vest to wear, you immediately endanger yourself and break one of our main safety rules.

"Everyone must wear a light blaze orange vest that is visible at all times regardless of what else is being worn".

For the next hunting season we hope you all take on board the points we have raised here to make your hunting day enjoyable, safe and hassle free.

Tony Gray & Bert Howlett. W.F.M.C

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2004 Hunting Results

There was a record number of deer taken at Woodhill Forest during the 2004 balloted hunting season.

Bucks	81*
Does	69
Total harvested	150

*This includes the 11 Bucks taken during the February Buck Hunt, and the 4 deer taken during the **"take a kid hunting day"**.

2005 WOODHILL FALLOW **BUCK HUNTING BALLOT**

This year we will be having a “ Buck Hunt” again in February and will be held on Thursday and Fridays for four weeks only.

If you wish to enter the buck ballot draw just tick where indicated on the application form.

Should you be unsuccessful in obtaining a buck hunt, your ballot application is automatically entered in the June ballot draw. However should you be successful, that’s it! (only one hunt per party each year)

This year its going to be a three person hunt, make sure you have three names on the application forms.

Remember applications close for the buck hunt on 3rd January 2005 send in your applications in early

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We had only gone about 300 meters and suddenly we saw another doe out feeding. dad dropped the deer and got his camera out of the backpack, moving ever so slowly, he got closer and closer to the deer and got a photo of it, It turned out to be a pretty good photo.

The clouds above were full of that wet stuff and as we had no shelter dad said that we should head back towards the car, after about an hour we met up with Brian (one of the W.F.M.C) and he was very happy to see that I had been successful.

He took some photos of dad and I together with the doe and then drove us back to our car, we then headed for home, a very relaxing 2 ½ hour drive.

Later that night as I lay in bed thinking if only this day could last forever, what an awesome day I have just had, and that many kids just don’t realize that life outdoors can be cool.

I am really grateful to the Woodhill Fallow Management Committee for the opportunity and hoped they will continue the “Take A Kid Hunting” day next year, both of my brothers would love to have a “Woodhill hunting experience”. It sure beats the hell out of play station and better still I feel very proud when my family sit down to tea and eat some venison from the deer I shot.



Matt Sarjeant 12 yrs
(Hamilton)

Take a kid hunting story

As we pulled into the South Head hall car park I felt a surge of excitement, other kids like me were waiting with their fathers unsure of what was ahead, I thought about how lucky I was to be hunting at Woodhill.

I was one of the eighteen drawn from nearly a hundred hopeful kids, the W.F.M.C introduced themselves, then they talked about how to get started in hunting. They talked about the different types of deer, what gear you need to take hunting, and about joining a hunting club, also told us about how “Woodhill” started and about the fallow deer in the area.

A policeman then talked to us about fire-arms safety, next we got to draw our blocks for the day, after I drew my block I was given a blaze orange vest, Stoney Creek blaze orange beanie and a Stony Creek Realtree pouch I felt excited.

We then went outside where a BBQ was ready for us, there were venison sausages and back-steaks and drinks to wash it down with, I had drawn block 7B and asked my dad what he thought about it.

He said he hadn’t been in that block but said the deer were about throughout the forest so it didn’t really matter. “I had that – I hope I get to see, shoot and get one of these deer – feeling.”

After lunch we were dropped off at our block, and with the wind in our faces we decided to check out our block.

Which was quite a small area and after only about an hour we had covered most of the area and had seen where the fresh sign was, it was about 1.30 pm when we sat down at the northern end of our block looking over a huge cutover.

Dad said we needed to wait till 4 pm so we had something to eat and I got frustrated that we couldn’t just go and hunt, dad said we needed to wait longer, so waited we did – but I remained less than happy about it.

About 4 pm dad said we should perhaps head to the southern end of our block, the wind was still in our faces as we headed along the boundary track. After only about 10 minutes stalking we noticed fresh deer prints in the sand, I insisted that dad and I take a closer look, dad calmly suggested that we should carry on and check it out later.

At the southern end of our block dad and I sat down then suddenly our conversation was cut short, two does took off to the left of us and headed up the ridge, they had heard us talking but were not sure where we were.

Just beneath the crest of the ridge they stopped, about 70 meters away and all I could see were their heads and necks poking out above the toi-toi, I sat down and rested the 222 on my knee and carefully lined up on the closest doe and asked dad, “Should I shoot it?”

“B..... Oath”, was the reply.

Boom!! the doe dropped out of view, “You got it”, dad shouted and I raced up the hill to find it.

We then took some photos and my face had the biggest grin on it. dad gutted the doe and I said that I wanted to carry it out, dad got it ready for me. He lifted it onto my shoulders, but I couldn’t move my legs, I then agreed that it would probably better if he carried it, and I carried the pack and the rifle.

RULES FOR WOODHILL BALLOT

- Hi viz blaze orange vest **must** been worn on top, regardless what else is being worn.
- No smoking in forest.
- Replacement of hunter on permit, only on acceptance (payment) date.
- All hunters to sign indemnity clause.
- One hunt per hunter each year.
- Firearms License to be current.
- Vehicles to have current W.O.F and registration when entering forest.
- No camping in forest or access roads.
- You will be notified a week before your hunt if you will receive a doe permit.
- No shotguns or rim fire firearms.
- Successful applicants notified by mail.
- Sixty dollar access fee per party applies.

FEBRUARY BUCK HUNT RULES

All the rules stated above shall apply and in addition:

- Minimum of three hunters on application forms.
- Applications for the buck hunt must be received by 3.1.05
- One antlered Buck per hunter (three points or more) may be taken, no Prickets or Does.
- Hunt days Thursday and Friday 3&4, 10&11, 17&18, 24 & 25
- Results in Outlets A.S.A.P after drawn on the 5th January.

This year its going to be a three person hunt, make sure you have three names on the application forms.

***Please ensure your details are easily read and your postal address is included.**

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I shot this buck at Woodhill Forest "take a kid hunting" day, this was the first deer that I had shot. It was an awesome experience.

Thanks to the W.F.M.C for giving me this opportunity.

Joshua Saunderson 10 yrs (Waiuku)



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“Take A Kid Hunting Report”

Sunday Sept 19th, the final day of the Kaipara fallow ballot hunting season was also the first “take a kid hunting day” run by the W.F.M.C. From what was just an idea at the beginning of the season blossomed into a worthy conclusion at the end, thanks to Tony Gray for the concept.

Of nearly 100 applications received 18 lucky kids and their supervisors met at the South Head Hall for briefing and introductory tutoring in the ways of hunting and outdoor education with the emphasis being on fire-arm safety. This was carried out by Mark Nobilo and Roger Windslade who is also a member of the local police, Brian Witton then spoke on the Kaipara Fallow herd history and genetics along with general hunting anecdotes.

Also present were the best four Fallow heads taken from the Kaipara herd and a number of other interesting trophies and antlers, the kids interacted well and were interested in all aspects of the morning. After collecting their TAKH packs which included info from NZ Mountain Safety Council and safety clothing, from the sponsors, the kids drew their own hunting block for the afternoon hunt.

Tasty, aged, Fallow back steaks cooked to perfection on the Barbie for lunch had everyone wanting to get out and get some of their own, a great day was had by all and my thanks goes to the entire W.H.F.C and support crew for their efforts and input. The sponsors were Westgate Hunting & Fishing, Blue Light Organisation, Don Good, and the W.F.M.C itself.

A big thanks to Richard Morris and the Howletts and their crew for providing and cooking the lunch, also those local hunters who generously lent their trophies for the kids to see and have something to aspire to.

Afterwards the kids were taken into the forest and onto their blocks for the hunt, at the conclusion saw four successful young budding hunters bagging a deer.

The best was a nice young buck taken by Joshua Saunderson.

Mark Nobilo. W.F.M.C

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2005 WOODHILL FALLOW DEER BALLOT

“I hereby apply for membership of WPMC and to have my name included in the ballot for selection of hunters for the recreational hunting of Fallow deer in the Woodhill Forest 2005 season. if selected by the WPMC the primary applicant is deemed to be a member of the WPMC. This membership is the right to 1. Be entered in the ballot draw for 2005. 2. To receive yearly hunting season review. 3. No other rights are conferred to members..”

DETAILS OF APPLICANT

Last Name First name.....
Address.....
Postal Address if different.....
City E-Mail.....
Phone..... Mobile.....
Firearms License No..... Bow hunter.....
I wish to apply for **Buck** only hunt in Feb 2005 (Tick one) Yes. No.
***Is this your first ever ballot application for Woodhill?** Yes. No.
Signature of Primary Applicant.....

DETAILS OF COMPANIONS

Last Name First name.....
Address.....
Phone..... Mobile.....
Firearms License No..... Bow hunter.....

Last Name First name.....
Address.....
Phone..... Mobile.....
Firearms License No..... Bow hunter.....

“In the event of being selected in the ballot, I agree to ABIDE BY THE CONDITIONS SET OUT BY THE W.F.M.C. and I accept full responsibility for my companions while in Woodhill Forest.” **Ballot Application Fee- \$20.00** ☐ Cheque ☐ Cash

(Successful applicants fee will be a further \$60.00)

Please cut out application, fill in details and mail with payment to:

W.F.M.C. PO Box 110, Kumeu. Auckland.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE FOR JUNE HUNT:

23rd MARCH 2005, BALLOT DRAWN 6th APRIL, HUNTING STARTS 11th JUNE 2005

APPLICATIONS CLOSE FOR BUCK ONLY HUNT:

3rd JAN 2005, DRAWN 5th JAN. HUNTING STARTS 3rd February 2005.

For any further information contact Brian Witton 09 8176855
or Dave Chisholm 09 4207058

HUNTER SAFETY

Last “roar” there were no more unnecessary shooting deaths in and around our New Zealand bush, hunters are taking a lot more care than usual due to the shocking fatalities the year before. fantastic!!!

“All hunters must be aware of the danger in not positively identifying your target before squeezing the trigger!”

We hope that our policy of bucks only and a limited doe harvest each year, encourages and teaches those skills of positively identifying a deer before shooting.

Not only do you have to make sure it's a deer, you also have to ascertain whether it is a male or female.

We also insist that a hi viz blaze orange vest is worn at all times while hunting here at Woodhill, even on top of your swannies.

Because it can at times become very warm whilst hunting, don't forget to put your vest back on after removing your swannies. we are totally convinced that the **selective hunting** we promote, and the policy of having every hunter in a **hi viz blaze orange vest** has helped to keep everyone safe during the hunting season in Woodhill. **W.F.M.C**

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SAFE IDENTIFY YOUR TARGET
AND
CONSIDER YOUR FIRING ZONE”**

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Postal Address if different
City E-Mail
Phone Mobile
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***Is this your first ever ballot application for Woodhill?** Yes. No.
Signature of Primary Applicant

DETAILS OF COMPANIONS

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