2017 Hunter Testimonials

Sam Lomen – California (2017)

I don’t think words can express my joy and satisfaction which I experienced while hunting with Wyoming Disabled Hunters. This was a perfect hunt. WDH made it possible for me not to worry, stress and plan the hunt of a lifetime. The hunt was awesome; hunting with Tim and Walt was an experience itself. Both are very knowledgeable and able hunters who not only helped me in taking a fine bull elk but instructed me on the best way to hunt elk. Not only was I able to take a nice trophy but we were surrounded by 500 head of elk and at least 30 bugling and grunting bulls. Thank you for the great experience and great memories, I will never forget what WDH, Tim and Walt did for me. I thank God for you all and pray that He may richly reward you all. You are doing a great work with people who otherwise would not be able to hunt and experience the great outdoors and appreciate up close God’s marvelous creation.

Joe Fox Sr – California (2017)

The hunt you did was amazing and very well run. The hospitality was also very good and the food was healthy and good to eat. Thanks again for everything you did for us while we were there for the hunt.
My Hunt with Wyoming Disabled Hunters was a great experience. From my guide, to the cooks, to everyone involved, it couldn’t have been better. The friendliness of everyone made us feel like old friends from the day we got there. Keep up the great work and don’t change a thing.

Bob Schuh – Wisconsin (2017)

Harold, a Vietnam Veteran, myself (Joyce, his wife) and our son Jess, Wisconsin wildlife biologist, were able to make this wonderful trip in October, 2017. Harold had dreamed of being able to elk hunt in Wyoming for years and through this wonderful organization, it came true. From the moment we arrived we were treated wonderfully. Anita cooked all of our wonderful meals and it was so nice to visit with her. The guides, Matt, Terry and Larry were so great and were determined to help Harold get his elk. Terry came with his 6 wheeler UTV and said “we’re going in the hills and we’re going to get us a cow”, and they did. Sitting on the porch visiting with another veteran’s mother, we heard the shots. My heart was already racing and when they came into the yard with the elk, I could hardly contain my excitement and happiness for Harold and my gratitude to Matt and Terry. This is a wonderful organization and we’re so fortunate for this opportunity to fulfill this dream. We made new friends and have stories to tell and cherish. Thanks to all. Harold, Joyce and Jess Carstens - Minnesota (2017)
Keith Alford – Texas (2017)

My name is Keith Alford and I have Fredrick’s Ataxia. I was a lucky winner of the hunting draw for crossbow in Cody Wyoming with the Wyoming Disabled Hunters. This group of guys and gals was first class. My experiences at this event were ones that forever will be on my mind and the friends made will last a lifetime. I was blessed again by taking my first ever mule deer and first ever crossbow kill. But more important are all my memories. I don’t know of anything that would have made the event better as for me it was perfect. Thank you to everyone who was involved.

Malcolm Whyte – Maryland (2017)

My name is Malcom Whyte. I have been a paraplegic for 30 years. I did an elk cow hunt with Wyoming Disabled Hunters in November 2017. The companion hunter, Walt, along with the other volunteers gave 110% of their efforts to give me the chance to get a cow. I was able to bring my able bodied friend along for which I was quite grateful. We stayed at Ashlee & Russ Lundvall’s beautiful home. They were wonderful hosts and made sure we did not go hungry. The blind that they allowed me to hunt from was “the Hilton in the sky”. They sure know how to spoil a hunter. The goal at WDH is to make sure you have the opportunity to get the game you came for and they will do whatever it takes to help you have a successful hunt. So if you are disabled and want to have a great adventure, WDH is the group to hunt with.
Cory Heit – Minnesota (2017)

I am grateful to Wyoming Disabled Hunters for providing the opportunity to hunt antelope near a sleepy little Wyoming town of Meeteese. Meeteese is a hunting paradise with quality antelope, deer, elk, bear and other trophies that keep hunters like me awake at night. I cannot thank you enough for being such great people and opening your homes and lives to others. WDH is a first rate organization providing opportunities to individuals with disabilities where other opportunities just do not exist. Opportunities for individuals with disabilities are hard to come by for various reasons and it is impossible to totally level the playing field but WDH goes above and beyond. Meeting Terry, Matt, Myles, Tim, Craig and Marge was as memorable as the hunt. The accommodations are fabulous, the food was excellent and the socializing heartfelt. Your genuineness is rare. I had a great hunt and what makes the trip even more special was the people, more than acquaintances but friends. It is more than shooting an antelope but rather the time spent together, the memories and stories that makes the time truly special. I am grateful for the time and energy you all had to contribute to make this hunt a reality.
Steven Wallace – Illinois (2017)

This past November I had the opportunity to go on a cow elk hunt with Wyoming Disabled Hunters in Cody, Wyoming. The entire experience was awesome. We were able to get out and hunt one day earlier than planned. The blind was one of the most comfortable I’ve ever hunted out of. Although we weren’t able to get any shots the first day we really enjoyed watching elk across the mountain from us. The second day we were unable to make it to the blind as the road had blown over. The guides we hunted with tried everything they could to get us on some elk, even the idea of loading me in a sled and pulling me to where we needed to go was discussed briefly! The third day I was finally able to harvest my elk. It was an amazing feeling. The other hunter was able to harvest his elk on the fourth day. While the hunt itself was amazing I was really blown away by the people we hunted and stayed with. We stayed with Ashlee and Russ Lundvall who were more than accommodating and great hosts. We were able to hunt with a few different guides due to scheduling. Bruce, Rod and Walt were all extremely determined to help us get our elk and worked very hard to make sure we had a successful and enjoyable hunt. We had a great time in Wyoming and made some what will most likely be lifelong new friends. I’ve been telling all my friends to apply for a WDH hunt. WDH is a great group of people doing awesome things for people. Keep it up! I hope to have a chance to come back and do it again some day.