



BLACK BEAR

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 23³/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 14⁹/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 8¹⁰/₁₆
 LOCATION: Fayette Co., Pennsylvania
 – 2005
 HUNTER: Andrew Seman, Jr.

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 22¹⁵/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 13¹⁴/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 9¹/₁₆
 LOCATION: Monroe Co., Pennsylvania
 – 2004
 HUNTER: Jeremy Kresge

THIRD AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 22¹¹/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 14³/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 8⁸/₁₆
 LOCATION: Chippewa Co., Wisconsin
 – 2003
 HUNTER: Duane Helland

THIRD AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 22¹¹/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 13¹⁵/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 8¹²/₁₆
 LOCATION: Price Co., Wisconsin – 2006
 HUNTER: Joseph T. Brandl

GRIZZLY BEAR

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 26¹³/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 16⁵/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 10⁸/₁₆
 LOCATION: Otter Creek, Alaska – 2001
 HUNTER: James C. Blanchard

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 26⁵/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 16²/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 10³/₁₆
 LOCATION: Klikitarik Bay, Alaska – 2004
 HUNTER: Dennis H. Dunn

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 26⁴/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 16⁴/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 10
 LOCATION: Radio Creek, Alaska – 2003
 HUNTER: Matthew J. Williams

GRIZZLY BEAR continued CERTIFICATE OF MERIT*

SCORE: 27¹³/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 17⁴/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 10⁹/₁₆
 LOCATION: Lone Mt., Alaska – 1976
 HUNTER: Picked Up
 OWNER: Gordon E. Scott

ALASKA BROWN BEAR FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 29⁷/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 18⁴/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 11³/₁₆
 LOCATION: Meshik River, Alaska – 2004
 HUNTER: Scott Weisenburger

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 29⁵/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 17¹³/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 11⁸/₁₆
 LOCATION: Bear Lake, Alaska – 2006
 HUNTER: James H. Doyle

THIRD AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 29³/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 18²/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 11¹/₁₆
 LOCATION: Lake Iliamna, Alaska – 2004
 HUNTER: Jack G. Brittingham

THIRD AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 29³/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 17⁸/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 11¹¹/₁₆
 LOCATION: Buskin Lake, Alaska – 2004
 HUNTER: Gary Darrah

COUGAR

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 16²/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 9⁸/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 6¹⁰/₁₆
 LOCATION: Sundance Lake, Alberta
 – 2005
 HUNTER: Joseph Gore, Jr.

SECOND AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 15⁶/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 9
 SKULL WIDTH: 6⁶/₁₆
 LOCATION: Archuleta Co., Colorado
 – 2004
 HUNTER: Dick Ray

SECOND AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 15⁶/₁₆
 SKULL LENGTH: 9¹/₁₆
 SKULL WIDTH: 6⁵/₁₆
 LOCATION: Jackfish Lake, Alberta – 2003
 HUNTER: Darryl L. Kublik

TYPICAL AMERICAN ELK

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 412⁷/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 54⁷/₈ (L) 54⁴/₈
 CIRC.: (R) 9⁷/₈ (L) 10⁴/₈
 POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 6
 INSIDE SPREAD: 53⁵/₈
 LOCATION: Utah Co., Utah – 2006
 HUNTER: Doug Degelbeck

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 410⁵/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 63¹/₈ (L) 66³/₈
 CIRC.: (R) 8³/₈ (L) 8²/₈
 POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 6
 INSIDE SPREAD: 39⁷/₈
 LOCATION: Gila Co., Arizona – 2003
 HUNTER: Dan J. Agnew

NON-TYPICAL AMERICAN ELK

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 433¹/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 50⁴/₈ (L) 51¹/₈
 CIRC.: (R) 7 (L) 7²/₈
 POINTS: (R) 11 (L) 12
 INSIDE SPREAD: 44⁵/₈
 LOCATION: Latah Co., Idaho – 1977
 HUNTER: Peter J. Orazi, Jr.

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 417¹/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 47³/₈ (L) 47⁶/₈
 CIRC.: (R) 10⁶/₈ (L) 11
 POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 8
 INSIDE SPREAD: 40
 LOCATION: Apache Co., Arizona – 2004
 HUNTER: Lynn H. Stinson

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 415⁶/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 57³/₈ (L) 58¹/₈
 CIRC.: (R) 7⁵/₈ (L) 7⁵/₈
 POINTS: (R) 7 (L) 7
 INSIDE SPREAD: 46
 LOCATION: Nye Co., Nevada – 2005
 HUNTER: Ted L. Wehking

ROOSEVELT'S ELK FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 371²/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 49⁵/₈ (L) 50⁴/₈
 CIRC.: (R) 8⁷/₈ (L) 9⁷/₈
 POINTS: (R) 9 (L) 8
 INSIDE SPREAD: 35¹/₈
 LOCATION: Gold River, British Columbia
 – 2003
 HUNTER: James V. Stewart

*New World's Record

ROOSEVELT'S ELK

continued

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 344¹/₈
LENGTH: (R) 53⁴/₈ (L) 53⁶/₈
CIRC.: (R) 9⁵/₈ (L) 9⁵/₈
POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 7
INSIDE SPREAD: 40²/₈
LOCATION: Clallam Co., Washington
– 2005
HUNTER: William R. Treese

TULE ELK

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 341⁴/₈
LENGTH: (R) 45⁷/₈ (L) 46
CIRC.: (R) 8²/₈ (L) 8³/₈
POINTS: (R) 9 (L) 9
INSIDE SPREAD: 43⁷/₈
LOCATION: Colusa Co., California – 2004
HUNTER: Val O. Olenski

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 331
LENGTH: (R) 42²/₈ (L) 41
CIRC.: (R) 9 (L) 9⁴/₈
POINTS: (R) 8 (L) 9
INSIDE SPREAD: 36⁷/₈
LOCATION: Colusa Co., California – 2005
HUNTER: Todd A. Robillard

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 325¹/₈
LENGTH: (R) 44⁶/₈ (L) 47⁴/₈
CIRC.: (R) 9⁷/₈ (L) 9¹/₈
POINTS: (R) 10 (L) 7
INSIDE SPREAD: 46¹/₈
LOCATION: Solano Co., California – 2006
HUNTER: Reed Mellor

HONORABLE MENTION

SCORE: 312²/₈
LENGTH: (R) 45 (L) 43¹/₈
CIRC.: (R) 7²/₈ (L) 7²/₈
POINTS: (R) 7 (L) 11
INSIDE SPREAD: 48
LOCATION: Monterey Co., California
– 2005
HUNTER: Kevin S. Small

CERTIFICATE OF MERIT*

SCORE: 379
LENGTH: (R) 47²/₈ (L) 51
CIRC.: (R) 9⁴/₈ (L) 8⁷/₈
POINTS: (R) 8 (L) 8
INSIDE SPREAD: 39³/₈
LOCATION: Glenn Co., California
– 2005
HUNTER: Picked Up
OWNER: J. & J. Lopeteguy

*New World's Record

TYPICAL MULE DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 210²/₈
LENGTH: (R) 26⁷/₈ (L) 27⁷/₈
CIRC.: (R) 5¹/₈ (L) 5
POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 5
INSIDE SPREAD: 28⁶/₈
LOCATION: Sonora, Mexico – 2006
HUNTER: Myra S. Smith

NON-TYPICAL MULE DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 285⁴/₈
LENGTH: (R) 26²/₈ (L) 27⁶/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4⁷/₈ (L) 4⁶/₈
POINTS: (R) 17 (L) 16
INSIDE SPREAD: 27²/₈
LOCATION: Fremont Co., Wyoming – 2004
HUNTER: Catherine E. Keene

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 272¹/₈
LENGTH: (R) 24³/₈ (L) 26²/₈
CIRC.: (R) 5⁷/₈ (L) 6
POINTS: (R) 14 (L) 10
INSIDE SPREAD: 25³/₈
LOCATION: Mohave Co., Arizona – 2004
HUNTER: Thomas D. Friedkin

TYPICAL COLUMBIA BLACKTAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 170⁶/₈
LENGTH: (R) 24²/₈ (L) 23⁷/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4¹/₈ (L) 4³/₈
POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 5
INSIDE SPREAD: 21
LOCATION: Siskiyou Co., California – 1979
HUNTER: Frank G. Merz

FIRST AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 170⁶/₈
LENGTH: (R) 24²/₈ (L) 24³/₈
CIRC.: (R) 5¹/₈ (L) 5²/₈
POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 4
INSIDE SPREAD: 20⁷/₈
LOCATION: Clatsop Co., Oregon – 1955
HUNTER: Larry Naught
OWNER: Allan Naught

OPPOSITE PAGE TOP: The 26th Big Game Awards Trophy Display included this special case featuring the skulls of award-winning bears. Gary Darrah points out his Alaska brown bear skull to Chris Schultz. **CENTER:** Three women were recognized for their outstanding trophies at the 26th Big Game Awards Program. From left to right are Cynthia Cassell (Dall's sheep), B&C Lifetime Associate Myra S. Smith (typical mule deer), and Catherine E. Keene (non-typical mule deer). **BOTTOM:** 26th Awards Judges Panel members Rick C. Berreth, left, and Mark B. Steffen (Chairman of B&C's Publications Committee) collaborate on the difficult task of identifying points on Scott R. Dexter's non-typical whitetail.

NON-TYPICAL COLUMBIA BLACKTAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 185¹/₈
LENGTH: (R) 23⁵/₈ (L) 24⁵/₈
CIRC.: (R) 3⁷/₈ (L) 4
POINTS: (R) 8 (L) 8
INSIDE SPREAD: 16¹/₈
LOCATION: Trinity Co., California – 2005
HUNTER: J. Peter Morish

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 168³/₈
LENGTH: (R) 22²/₈ (L) 22⁵/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4²/₈ (L) 4
POINTS: (R) 9 (L) 11
INSIDE SPREAD: 18³/₈
LOCATION: Trinity Co., California – 2004
HUNTER: Tim A. Nickols

TYPICAL SITKA BLACKTAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 120⁷/₈
LENGTH: (R) 17³/₈ (L) 17⁴/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4 (L) 4¹/₈
POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 5
INSIDE SPREAD: 14⁷/₈
LOCATION: Wrangell Island, Alaska
– 2006
HUNTER: Dave L. Brown

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 120¹/₈
LENGTH: (R) 18²/₈ (L) 17³/₈
CIRC.: (R) 3⁶/₈ (L) 3⁶/₈
POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 5
INSIDE SPREAD: 15³/₈
LOCATION: Prince of Wales Island, Alaska – 2004
HUNTER: James A. Sharpe

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 118²/₈
LENGTH: (R) 17²/₈ (L) 17⁶/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4⁶/₈ (L) 4⁴/₈
POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 5
INSIDE SPREAD: 14⁴/₈
LOCATION: Prince of Wales Island, Alaska – 2003
HUNTER: Tim Koentopp

FOURTH AWARD

SCORE: 117⁶/₈
LENGTH: (R) 19¹/₈ (L) 19³/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4 (L) 4¹/₈
POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 5
INSIDE SPREAD: 16²/₈
LOCATION: Etolin Island, Alaska – 2004
HUNTER: Davey W. Brown

TYPICAL SITKA BLACKTAIL DEER

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CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

SCORE: 122¹/₈

LENGTH: (R) 18¹/₈ (L) 19²/₈

CIRC.: (R) 3⁶/₈ (L) 3⁶/₈

POINTS: (R) 5 (L) 5

INSIDE SPREAD: 15¹/₈

LOCATION: Prince of Wales Island,
Alaska – 2004

HUNTER: Picked Up

OWNER: James F. Baichtal

NON-TYPICAL SITKA BLACKTAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 124²/₈

LENGTH: (R) 18³/₈ (L) 16⁶/₈

CIRC.: (R) 3⁶/₈ (L) 3⁶/₈

POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 7

INSIDE SPREAD: 15⁴/₈

LOCATION: Prince of Wales Island,
Alaska – 2005

HUNTER: William C. Musser

TYPICAL WHITETAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 201¹/₈

LENGTH: (R) 29⁶/₈ (L) 29

CIRC.: (R) 5 (L) 5

POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 5

INSIDE SPREAD: 24¹/₈

LOCATION: Warren Co., Ohio – 2004

HUNTER: Bradley S. Jerman

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 198³/₈

LENGTH: (R) 26⁷/₈ (L) 26

CIRC.: (R) 4⁷/₈ (L) 4⁷/₈

POINTS: (R) 7 (L) 7

INSIDE SPREAD: 19⁴/₈

LOCATION: Muskingum Co., Ohio
– 2004

HUNTER: Timothy E. Reed

NON-TYPICAL WHITETAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 295³/₈

LENGTH: (R) 21⁶/₈ (L) 24⁵/₈

CIRC.: (R) 6⁵/₈ (L) 6⁶/₈

POINTS: (R) 25 (L) 22

INSIDE SPREAD: 18⁴/₈

LOCATION: McDonough Co., Illinois
– 2004

HUNTER: Scott R. Dexter

NON-TYPICAL WHITETAIL DEER

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FIRST AWARD (TIE)

SCORE: 295³/₈

LENGTH: (R) 30³/₈ (L) 29

CIRC.: (R) 5⁴/₈ (L) 5⁷/₈

POINTS: (R) 18 (L) 17

INSIDE SPREAD: 25¹/₈

LOCATION: Adams Co., Ohio – 2006

HUNTER: Jonathan R. Schmucker

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 267¹/₈

LENGTH: (R) 25⁷/₈ (L) 27⁴/₈

CIRC.: (R) 6⁴/₈ (L) 7

POINTS: (R) 16 (L) 21

INSIDE SPREAD: 18²/₈

LOCATION: Mason Co., Illinois – 2003

HUNTER: David H. Jones

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 256³/₈

LENGTH: (R) 25⁵/₈ (L) 25⁷/₈

CIRC.: (R) 6¹/₈ (L) 6²/₈

POINTS: (R) 12 (L) 10

INSIDE SPREAD: 20⁵/₈

LOCATION: Marshall Co., Illinois – 2004

HUNTER: Steve Wallis

TYPICAL COUES' WHITETAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 122⁴/₈

LENGTH: (R) 19³/₈ (L) 19

CIRC.: (R) 4³/₈ (L) 4³/₈

POINTS: (R) 4 (L) 4

INSIDE SPREAD: 18²/₈

LOCATION: Sonora, Mexico – 2005

HUNTER: Terry C. Hickson

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 120²/₈

LENGTH: (R) 18³/₈ (L) 18

CIRC.: (R) 4⁴/₈ (L) 4⁴/₈

POINTS: (R) 4 (L) 4

INSIDE SPREAD: 15²/₈

LOCATION: Pima Co., Arizona – 2006

HUNTER: Eric C. Rhicard

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 120¹/₈

LENGTH: (R) 18⁴/₈ (L) 18⁷/₈

CIRC.: (R) 4 (L) 4

POINTS: (R) 4 (L) 5

INSIDE SPREAD: 17³/₈

LOCATION: Pima Co., Arizona – 2006

HUNTER: William P. Mattausch, Jr.



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NON-TYPICAL COUES' WHITETAIL DEER

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 134⁴/₈
LENGTH: (R) 19⁶/₈ (L) 20³/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4¹/₈ (L) 4
POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 7
INSIDE SPREAD: 15⁶/₈
LOCATION: Sonora, Mexico – 2005
HUNTER: James Schacherl

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 121
LENGTH: (R) 17⁶/₈ (L) 17⁷/₈
CIRC.: (R) 4¹/₈ (L) 4²/₈
POINTS: (R) 6 (L) 7
INSIDE SPREAD: 13⁵/₈
LOCATION: Sonora, Mexico – 2006
HUNTER: James G. Petersen

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 111⁶/₈
LENGTH: (R) 17⁶/₈ (L) 15
CIRC.: (R) 3⁷/₈ (L) 3⁶/₈
POINTS: (R) 4 (L) 6
INSIDE SPREAD: 12¹/₈
LOCATION: Sonora, Mexico – 2005
HUNTER: Keith D. Riefkohl

CANADA MOOSE

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 227⁶/₈
GREATEST SPREAD: 59²/₈
LENGTH: (R) 45 (L) 46
WIDTH: (R) 18 (L) 16⁵/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 15 (L) 18
LOCATION: Kawdy Mt., British Columbia – 2004
HUNTER: Frank A. Hanks

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 216²/₈
GREATEST SPREAD: 61
LENGTH: (R) 46¹/₈ (L) 48⁶/₈
WIDTH: (R) 14²/₈ (L) 14⁴/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 11 (L) 10
LOCATION: Lake Co., Minnesota – 2006
HUNTER: D.C. Rengo & J.C. Rengo
OWNER: Dennis C. Rengo

ALASKA-YUKON MOOSE

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 254³/₈
GREATEST SPREAD: 70⁷/₈
LENGTH: (R) 46⁴/₈ (L) 48²/₈
WIDTH: (R) 22²/₈ (L) 23¹/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 15 (L) 16
LOCATION: Kvichak River, Alaska – 2005
HUNTER: Franz Kohlroser

ALASKA-YUKON MOOSE

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SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 244
GREATEST SPREAD: 75²/₈
LENGTH: (R) 45¹/₈ (L) 47¹/₈
WIDTH: (R) 20⁶/₈ (L) 18
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 15 (L) 14
LOCATION: Pingston Creek, Alaska – 2004
HUNTER: Jerry D. Whisenhunt

SHIRAS MOOSE

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 187¹/₈
GREATEST SPREAD: 59⁵/₈
LENGTH: (R) 38⁶/₈ (L) 40³/₈
WIDTH: (R) 11⁴/₈ (L) 12⁴/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 7 (L) 8
LOCATION: Shoshone Co., Idaho – 2005
HUNTER: Chad Hammons

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 183⁶/₈
GREATEST SPREAD: 54⁶/₈
LENGTH: (R) 33³/₈ (L) 33⁵/₈
WIDTH: (R) 12 (L) 12⁵/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 13 (L) 13
LOCATION: Stevens Co., Washington – 2005
HUNTER: Marc W. Babiar

MOUNTAIN CARIBOU

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 437⁶/₈
INSIDE SPREAD: 40²/₈
LENGTH: (R) 42²/₈ (L) 44⁶/₈
WIDTH: (R) 10¹/₈ (L) 4¹/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 18 (L) 18
LOCATION: Tucho Lake, British Columbia – 2004
HUNTER: William F. Nye

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 427¹/₈
INSIDE SPREAD: 36²/₈
LENGTH: (R) 45⁶/₈ (L) 43⁶/₈
WIDTH: (R) 14⁷/₈ (L) 13⁴/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 19 (L) 21
LOCATION: Russell Range, Yukon Territory – 2005
HUNTER: John S. Bell

WOODLAND CARIBOU

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 384²/₈
INSIDE SPREAD: 39³/₈
LENGTH: (R) 39²/₈ (L) 39¹/₈
WIDTH: (R) 10²/₈ (L) 17³/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 16 (L) 19
LOCATION: Sam's Pond, Newfoundland – 2005
HUNTER: James H. Holt

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 353²/₈
INSIDE SPREAD: 40¹/₈
LENGTH: (R) 41⁵/₈ (L) 40⁷/₈
WIDTH: (R) 11⁵/₈ (L) 14⁴/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 15 (L) 17
LOCATION: Northern Pen., Newfoundland – 2000
HUNTER: Dale L. Hardy

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 340⁵/₈
INSIDE SPREAD: 37¹/₈
LENGTH: (R) 49³/₈ (L) 49⁴/₈
WIDTH: (R) 14⁷/₈ (L) 18⁷/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 10 (L) 14
LOCATION: Sam's Pond, Newfoundland – 2006
HUNTER: Scott A. Trujillo

FOURTH AWARD

SCORE: 335⁵/₈
INSIDE SPREAD: 33⁶/₈
LENGTH: (R) 37⁵/₈ (L) 40⁵/₈
WIDTH: (R) 12²/₈ (L) 1¹/₈
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 18 (L) 12
LOCATION: Dolland Pond, Newfoundland – 2005
HUNTER: Larry A. Welchlen

HONORABLE MENTION

SCORE: 315⁵/₈
INSIDE SPREAD: 34
LENGTH: (R) 37⁷/₈ (L) 38³/₈
WIDTH: (R) 1⁶/₈ (L) 16
NORMAL PTS.: (R) 14 (L) 18
LOCATION: Middle Ridge Pond, Newfoundland – 2004
HUNTER: Jay R. Wolfenden

OPPOSITE PAGE TOP: Trophy owners Stewart N. Shaft, left, and James F. Baichtal, right, enjoy the Friday night reception held at the Doral Tesoro Hotel and Golf Club in Fort Worth. Both gentlemen are long-time B&C Lifetime Associates and each had trophies in the Awards Program. **CENTER:** A family visiting the Fort Worth area spends time in the 26th Big Game Awards Trophy Display. Here, a mother points out Frank Hanks' Canada moose to her three sons. Hanks' bull received a First Place Award and has a final score of 227-6/8 points. **BOTTOM:** Three of the four hunters who took award-winning Rocky Mountain goats were in attendance at the 26th Big Game Awards Program. Pictured at right standing in front of their trophies are, from left to right, Craig L. Rippen (Second Place Award), Robert E. Reedy, Jr. (Honorable Mention), and Daryl K. Schultz (Third Place Award).

CENTRAL CANADA BARREN GROUND CARIBOU

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 406²/₈
 INSIDE SPREAD: 38⁵/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 55²/₈ (L) 54¹/₈
 WIDTH: (R) 8⁵/₈ (L) 14¹/₈
 NORMAL PTS.: (R) 15 (L) 15
 LOCATION: Bekere Lake, Northwest
 Territories – 2005
 HUNTER: Robert F. Fairchild

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 392²/₈
 INSIDE SPREAD: 27⁶/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 45³/₈ (L) 44⁷/₈
 WIDTH: (R) 14²/₈ (L) 11⁴/₈
 NORMAL PTS.: (R) 20 (L) 17
 LOCATION: Bekere Lake, Northwest
 Territories – 2005
 HUNTER: Robert F. Fairchild

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 382³/₈
 INSIDE SPREAD: 41⁶/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 52³/₈ (L) 53
 WIDTH: (R) 3³/₈ (L) 15¹/₈
 NORMAL PTS.: (R) 12 (L) 15
 LOCATION: Point Lake, Northwest
 Territories – 2002
 HUNTER: N. Guy Eastman

QUEBEC-LABRADOR CARIBOU

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 424²/₈
 INSIDE SPREAD: 45⁶/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 53⁴/₈ (L) 51⁴/₈
 WIDTH: (R) 12³/₈ (L) 11
 NORMAL PTS.: (R) 24 (L) 22
 LOCATION: Clearwater Lake, Quebec
 – 2005
 HUNTER: Woody Groves

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 423⁴/₈
 INSIDE SPREAD: 46¹/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 53¹/₈ (L) 53⁶/₈
 WIDTH: (R) 9³/₈ (L) 9³/₈
 NORMAL PTS.: (R) 21 (L) 20
 LOCATION: Lac a L' Eau-Claire, Quebec
 – 2005
 HUNTER: Stewart N. Shaft

QUEBEC-LABRADOR CARIBOU *continued*

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 413⁶/₈
 INSIDE SPREAD: 40⁵/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 45³/₈ (L) 48¹/₈
 WIDTH: (R) 14 (L) 16⁶/₈
 NORMAL PTS.: (R) 22 (L) 21
 LOCATION: Minto Lake, Quebec – 2005
 HUNTER: Gordon G. Swenson

FOURTH AWARD

SCORE: 411¹/₈
 INSIDE SPREAD: 45
 LENGTH: (R) 50⁶/₈ (L) 47¹/₈
 WIDTH: (R) 17 (L) 15⁴/₈
 NORMAL PTS.: (R) 21 (L) 19
 LOCATION: Lac a L' Eau-Claire, Quebec
 – 2005
 HUNTER: Stewart N. Shaft

ROCKY MOUNTAIN GOAT

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 54⁴/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 11²/₈ (L) 11²/₈
 BASE CIRC.: (R) 5⁶/₈ (L) 5⁶/₈
 GREATEST SPREAD: 9
 LOCATION: Revillagigedo Island, Alaska
 – 2004
 HUNTER: Edward E. Toribio

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 54⁷/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 9⁵/₈ (L) 9⁴/₈
 BASE CIRC.: (R) 6³/₈ (L) 6³/₈
 GREATEST SPREAD: 7⁴/₈
 LOCATION: Duchesne Co., Utah – 2006
 HUNTER: Craig L. Rippen

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 53⁴/₈
 LENGTH: (R) 10⁴/₈ (L) 10⁴/₈
 BASE CIRC.: (R) 5⁶/₈ (L) 5⁷/₈
 GREATEST SPREAD: 7⁷/₈
 LOCATION: Kalum Lake, British
 Columbia – 2005
 HUNTER: Daryl K. Schultz

HONORABLE MENTION

SCORE: 52
 LENGTH: (R) 10¹/₈ (L) 10¹/₈
 BASE CIRC.: (R) 5⁵/₈ (L) 5⁵/₈
 GREATEST SPREAD: 9
 LOCATION: Tanzilla River, British
 Columbia – 2004
 HUNTER: Robert E. Reedy, Jr.



FOLLOWING PAGE: Four award-winning musk oxen were on display. Tony Spriggs' pedestal-mounted bull (center) scores 128-6/8 inches and received a Second Place Award. Ben F. Carter III's life-size mounted bull to the right scores 123-6/8 points and received a Fourth Place Award. Jim Shockey's Third Place European-mounted musk ox, which scores 128-2/8 inches, can be seen in the background.

MUSK OX

FIRST AWARD*

SCORE: 129

LENGTH: (R) 28²/₈ (L) 28⁶/₈

BOSS WIDTH:

(R) 12¹/₈ (L) 11³/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 31⁴/₈

LOCATION: Coppermine River, Nunavut
– 2006

HUNTER: Jim Shockey

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 128⁶/₈

LENGTH: (R) 29⁴/₈ (L) 30⁴/₈

BOSS WIDTH:

(R) 11¹/₈ (L) 10⁷/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 27¹/₈

LOCATION: Kugluktuk, Nunavut – 2004

HUNTER: Tony L. Spriggs

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 128²/₈

LENGTH: (R) 31⁵/₈ (L) 31⁷/₈

BOSS WIDTH:

(R) 10⁴/₈ (L) 10⁴/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 29⁶/₈

LOCATION: Coppermine River, Nunavut
– 2006

HUNTER: Jim Shockey

MUSK OX continued

FOURTH AWARD

SCORE: 123⁶/₈

LENGTH: (R) 29²/₈ (L) 29²/₈

BOSS WIDTH:

(R) 10⁴/₈ (L) 10²/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 28¹/₈

LOCATION: Kugluktuk, Nunavut – 2004

HUNTER: Ben F. Carter III

BIGHORN SHEEP

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 199

LENGTH: (R) 41²/₈ (L) 40⁴/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 17⁵/₈ (L) 17³/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 25

LOCATION: Fergus Co., Montana – 2004

HUNTER: Robert E. Seelye

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 198³/₈

LENGTH: (R) 43⁵/₈ (L) 44⁴/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 17¹/₈ (L) 17²/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 23⁴/₈

LOCATION: Blaine Co., Montana – 2006

HUNTER: Stephen C. Morriscal

*New World's Record (tie)

BIGHORN SHEEP

continued

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 197¹/₈

LENGTH: (R) 41⁴/₈ (L) 40⁷/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 16¹/₈ (L) 16

GREATEST SPREAD: 22⁴/₈

LOCATION: Ewin Creek, British
Columbia – 2004

HUNTER: Steven S. Bruggeman

DESERT SHEEP

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 188²/₈

LENGTH: (R) 37⁴/₈ (L) 38⁴/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 17¹/₈ (L) 17

GREATEST SPREAD: 22

LOCATION: Hidalgo Co., New Mexico
– 2006

HUNTER: Russell A. Young

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 185²/₈

LENGTH: (R) 38⁴/₈ (L) 37⁶/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 16 (L) 16²/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 20⁴/₈

LOCATION: Sonora, Mexico – 2005

HUNTER: K. Michael Ingram

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DESERT SHEEP

continued

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 183⁷/₈

LENGTH: (R) 36⁶/₈ (L) 36³/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 15⁶/₈ (L) 15⁶/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 24⁶/₈

LOCATION: Brewster Co., Texas – 2005

HUNTER: Terry J. Fricks

FOURTH AWARD

SCORE: 182⁶/₈

LENGTH: (R) 36⁵/₈ (L) 39⁵/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 15⁴/₈ (L) 15²/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 17

LOCATION: Hidalgo Co., New Mexico

– 2005

HUNTER: Thomas D. Friedkin

DALL'S SHEEP

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 178⁴/₈

LENGTH: (R) 43⁴/₈ (L) 43⁴/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 14⁵/₈ (L) 14⁴/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 28⁴/₈

LOCATION: Mackenzie Mts., Northwest

Territories – 2005

HUNTER: Cody A. Miller

DALL'S SHEEP continued

SECOND AWARD

SCORE: 173⁴/₈

LENGTH: (R) 43³/₈ (L) 43¹/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 13⁶/₈ (L) 13⁶/₈

GREATEST SPREAD: 24⁷/₈

LOCATION: Chugach Mts., Alaska

– 2006

HUNTER: Nick J. Duncan

THIRD AWARD

SCORE: 173³/₈

LENGTH: (R) 41⁷/₈ (L) 42⁴/₈

BASE CIRC.: (R) 14 (L) 14

GREATEST SPREAD: 23⁶/₈

LOCATION: Alaska Range, Alaska – 2004

HUNTER: Cynthia Cassell

STONE'S SHEEP

FIRST AWARD

SCORE: 179⁵/₈

LENGTH: (R) 42⁷/₈ (L) 43

BASE CIRC.: (R) 15 (L) 15

GREATEST SPREAD: 22⁶/₈

LOCATION: Hook Lake, British Columbia

– 2005

HUNTER: Jelindo A. Tiberti II

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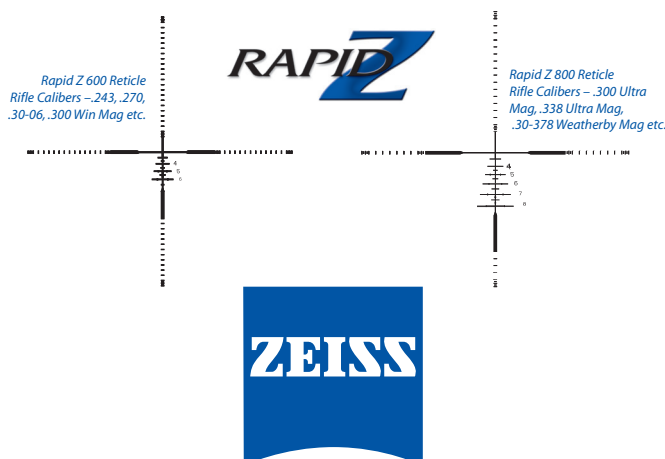
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