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The Best of TrophyWatch

Between records book entries and the steady flow of information coming in via the Internet and the TrophyWatch section of the Club's web site we see some pretty amazing trophies. We are also able to recognize developing trends. One such notable trend is the number of truly outstanding elk being taken in the West, especially in the last two years. Here are just a few from the pages of TrophyWatch.



Nevada Blackpowder



Evergreen Bull



More From Arizona



Yet Another



Big Year for Big Bulls

The Heyday of Trophy Elk

Nevada Blackpowder - June 19, 2003

This tremendous 424-6/8 bull fell with one shot from Cindy Marques and her .50 Cal. Knight muzzleloader and Cabela's XTended Range 250 grain sabot in Lincoln Co., Nevada, on 9/19/02.

Arizona NT - October 28, 2003

Idaho hunter, Lynn Munoz, traveled to Camp Wood, Arizona, with her .30-06 to take this 423-4/8 non-typical 8x7 American elk back in 1998.

Evergreen Bull - October 31, 2003

With our B&C Headquarters close to the Washington state line, we have been getting hammered with inquires about a 400+ bull arrowed in the Evergreen State. Not the best photo, but what a bull. Here's what we have heard: The bull was arrowed by Jeff Thorpe somewhere outside of Ellensburg, Washington. Officially scored by Glenn Abbott and Sam Wilkins at 421-7/8 points.

More From Arizona - October 31, 2003

Arizona resident, Nick Franklin, dropped this massive 9x12 with a bow on 9/18/03. It was scored by an Official B&C Measurer at 444-4/8 points – self-guided on public land.

Yet Another - October 31, 2003

Aaron Jones was the highest bidder for one of the Commissioner's elk tags from Arizona. This particular tag, one of only two available each year, was auctioned at the Arizona Elk Society's Annual Banquet. Mr. Jones filled his tag during the first week of September 2003. Initial measurements place this bull's score at approximately 420 points.

San Carlos - November 6, 2003

This bull was taken by Dan Agnew on September 28, 2003, on the San Carlos Indian Reservation while hunting with tribal guide Homer Stevens. The bull is a 6x6 and green scores 411-7/8 points. The left main beam measures 66-1/8 inches and right main beam measures 63-3/8 inches.

Big Year For Big Bulls - November 13, 2003

Archer, Randy Ulmer, arrowed this Nevada non-typical with a green score of 404-1/8 points. Randy lives in Arizona, which has produced three other 400+ bulls that we know about, so far. To date, we have received word of seven bulls coming in over 400 points.

Another 400+ - December 8, 2003

Here is another big bull coming out of the White Mountains of Arizona. Hunter, Clay Heuett's 9x9, non-typical American elk. Official Pope and Young score is 428-6/8 points.



Arizona NT



San Carlos



Another 400+