

## Hunt Offerings for 2021-22

### 8 Day **BAITED** Spring Grizzly Hunts in Unit 13.

2016 was the first year baiting has been allowed in this area and we spent lot of time finding great locations, what baits work, and how to set the blinds up to get Grizzly bear coming in consistently. We did not take any hunters while we were doing this because we did not want to experiment with one of our guests money, we wanted to know how to bait Grizzlies successfully!! We had 3 baits out and had consistently from 4-5 bears on every one. We expect 100% success this year due to the numbers of Grizzlies on our baits. These bears have not been hunted very much and not ever in this manner, they readily come to the baits. Location is NE of Anchorage Accommodations are lodge based.

You will stay in a comfortable lodge shower daily, meals provided, and be transported daily to a working bait station via aircraft or ATV with your guide.

Minimal walking required on this hunt . 8 day hunts.

Pickup Point is Anchorage.

**NOTE:** There is no closed season all year on Grizzly Bears in this area due to high bear density.

Hunts are May 20 through June 30

Pick-up point and return to is Anchorage.

We have hunted unit 17B and 19B in mid April for 40 years now.

### 10 day Brown Bear hunts in April

This area gets large salmon runs in the summer/fall and these bears grow large because of that. Bear density is high hence a 2 Brown Bear limit.

All our hunting is done in late April so we can target the old large male bears that come out of there dens first and we are located in the middle of some of the best denning area.

We take a limited number (3-4)of hunters to assure for our guests 100% success. A second Brown Bear is available. Success has been near the 100% mark for the last 7 years.

Our Base camp is located in one of the major denning areas and we will be using our 6 snowmobiles to travel within the area.

Base Camp consists of warm cabins with wood stoves, a main log cabin with a propane range, regular phone, and internet. Lots of good food Steaks, Pork Loins, Chicken, etc.

You will be staying in comfortable wood heated cabins with cots and pads.

On our spring late April Brown Bear hunts, average size is 9ft, we have taken a few 10ft bears and success 90- 100%, on an average we take our largest Brown Bears at this time.

## FALL HUNTS

In September we hunt in unit 17B in the southwest of Alaska. Unit 17b is a 2 Brown Bear area that gets large Salmon runs in the fall.

Unit 17B has growing Moose populations due reducing the wolf population and having 4 very mild winters in a row. In 1 camp last year we saw 26 moose during the season and 20 of them were bulls. The entire Moose season is the 5-15 of September.

We consistently harvest 9ft and larger Brown Bear from the same location that we hunt our big Moose. The salmon run really gets strong in the creeks next to camp after the 10<sup>th</sup> of September and is good till the middle of October.

We only take 3 -4 hunters in September so we can be available to be with hunters as much as can and to keep the quality and success high.

You will be hunting in a spike camp location with no other hunters in camp with you along with a licensed assistant guide.

Again success is near 100%.

Hunting methods are spot and stalk for all the hunts we offer in the fall. You will be glassing daily from high lookout locations to spot Brown Bear or Moose.

As the hunt progresses you will do more and more calling as you get closer to the rut for Moose.

The farther you get into your hunt the higher the chances for success get so to be successful you must stay till the last day.

Many hunters miss out by going home early, the weather can be difficult and I will guarantee rain during your hunt but if you are determined to stay you will be successful.

Moose average size is 64 inches and we take 70 inch plus moose nearly every year or so. Brown Bears average 8 ½ feet with 9 ft. + bears being taken every fall.

After you harvest a Moose or Bear we will fly packers to the location and we will get the Moose meat, hide, and horns to a location we can access it for transporting to air cargo

We will then fly your hides, capes, and meat at no charge to a location where we can air cargo it to Anchorage (85-95 cents / lb.) and have a processor or expediter pick it up.

Processors in Anchorage can process any amount of meat you would like and ship to your home. Average weight of moose meat is 500-700 lbs.

You will only be responsible for any shipping costs after it leaves our possession at the air cargo terminal in either Iliamna, Port Alsworth, or Dillingham whichever is closest to the kill location.

An expediter can handle all the taxidermy, crating, permitting paperwork to get your trophies to your home or to a taxidermist.

Your Travel Costs and Logistics,

You will have a couple of travel days on the beginning of the hunt and on the end of you hunt, they are not part of your hunting days.

We are in an extremely remote location and there is no way we know of to travel in one day from your home to a spike camp.

Your Flight from your home to Anchorage round trip?

We have a travel agent in Montana that has hunted with me and knows how to get you from Anchorage to my camp and return to Anchorage.

Your Flights (2) to my camp in unit 17B, from Anchorage and return to Anchorage combined are \$2175.00 Per Person round trip for 2020, this cost includes a 1night stay on the incoming leg of your trip.

Lake Clark Air will be your air carrier and lodging from Anchorage all the way to my main camp and return.

For Spring Baited Grizzly hunts you will be picked up in Anchorage prior to your hunt and returned To Anchorage after you hunt is concluded. This is included in your hunt cost.

License and Tags

Hunting License \$160, Moose Tag \$800, Brown Bear tag \$1000.00 each, and Wolves \$60.00 .

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