



# ***Deer Hunting Retreat***

*(Bow or Crossbow)*

Near Cambridge, OH

Nov. 2-5, 2023

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# Deer Hunt

**Who: MEN ONLY – Must be 18 or Older**

**Where:** Near Cambridge, OH

**Dates:** Nov. 2-5, 2023

**Cost:** \$1000 per person + OH Hunt License

- 4 Days / 3 Nights Lodging
- All Meals Included
- 6 Hunts on Private Land
- Manhood Discussions
- No Trophy Fees
- No High Fence / All Fair Chase
- OH License (non-resident) =\$260



# Who We Are

**We are a Volunteer Ministry Organization  
(a 501c3 Non-Profit Men's Ministry)**

**We are NOT OUTFITTERS. We are all  
volunteers!**

**We are guys who are passionate about  
hunting but also want to help other men  
"Connect to Christ in the Outdoors."**



## Welcome to Ironman Outdoors

For this retreat, We have the privilege of hunting several hundred acres (different farms) of private land in Guernsey County Ohio.

These farms and this area are some of the top producing counties in Ohio for trophy bucks.



A 2019 buck harvested on one of the farms we will be hunting



A 2020 buck harvested during an IO retreat on farm we will be hunting



- Your retreat will be guided by Volunteer Pro Staff from Ironman Outdoors.
- This means each guest will be taken to their stands prior to each hunt and each guest will be picked up at their stand at the end of each hunt.
- Stands will most likely have feeders/corn piles with treestands positioned nearby. However, ground blinds may be available.





**NEVER leave your stand at any time during a hunt.**

There will be no stalking and no tracking of any animals without an Ironman Pro Staffer present.



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- For lodging, we have a very nice cabin located near the farms we will be hunting.
- The cabin is well equipped with plenty of beds.
- Linens are provided.





Meals and snacks will be provided....  
including snacks that you can take with you  
to the treestand.



Please DO NOT leave trash  
on (or in) the stands.





## HUNTING LICENSE

- Prior to allowing anyone to hunt, each attendee will be required to:
  - Sign a liability waiver
  - Show a Valid Hunting License for the state of OH.
- An Ohio hunting license is available for purchase on-line.
- **Note** - If you violate a game law, we will call the game warden and you will be asked to leave the retreat without refund.

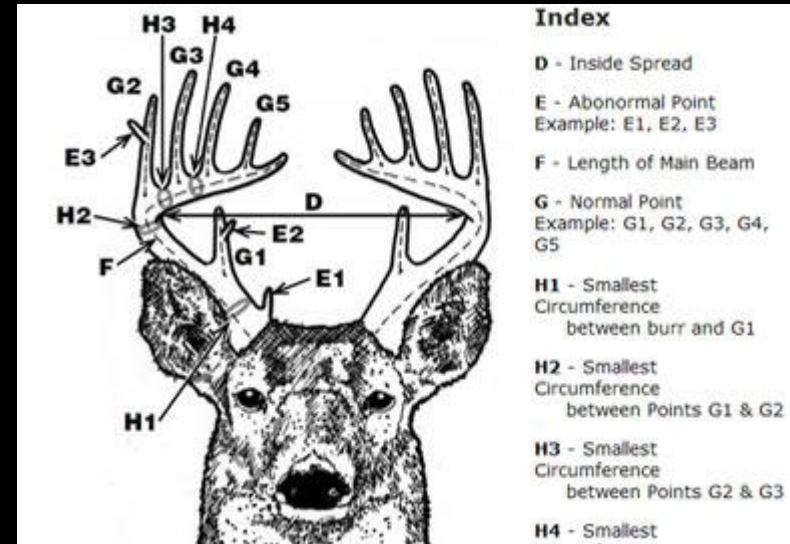




## HARVEST LIMITS

- During the retreat, each hunter will be allowed to harvest one buck and 1 doe.
- We will have a location where you can skin and clean your harvest but we suggest that you bring a cooler to transport any meat harvested.
- If you have never cleaned a deer, our volunteers will be happy to assist you as you clean your deer.





## All Bucks Harvested Must be Over 120"

The farms we are hunting are capable of growing deer in excess of 170". In order to maintain the health of our deer and age structure, all bucks must be over 120".

- The penalty for shooting a buck greater than 100" but less than 120" will be \$300 paid to Twin Oaks Lodge. The penalty for shooting a buck less than 100" will be \$500 paid to Twin Oak Lodge.
- Payment will be collected before you leave Twin Oaks lodge.
- Once you draw blood on a buck, you are done hunting bucks (regardless of whether we find your deer).



## Button Bucks

If you shoot a button buck on this retreat, that will count as your buck for the retreat. You will be doe hunting from then on.

- If you accidentally shoot a second button buck (while hunting for a doe), the fine is \$300. Payable to Twin Oaks Lodge.
- Payment will be collected before you leave Twin Oaks lodge.





## MANHOOD DISCUSSIONS

- During our retreat , we will gather as a group to conduct our “Manhood Discussions”
- These discussions are simply an authentic and transparent conversation about what it means to be a Christian man.
- Topics may range from hunting, work, fatherhood and leadership, sports and everyday life.
- These are Not Bible Studies, They’re Not Devotions and They’re Not Sermons.
- Every man on the retreat is respectfully asked to be present for these discussions.



Safety: if hunting from a treestand during the retreat, you must bring your own safety harness and wear it. Safety lifelines will be attached to every stand.





## PACKING LISTS

### MANDATORY

- Valid OH Hunting License
- Bow or Crossbow
- Flashlight
- Towel & Scent-Free Soap
- Sleeping bag, Pillow and blanket
- No Personal Treestands Allowed
- No alcohol allowed
- Treestand Safety Harness

### SUGGESTED

- Rain Gear & Rubber Boots
- Cooler
- Bug Spray and/or Thermacell
- Rangefinder & Binoculars
- Cooler to take home "harvest"
- "Camp Chair"
- Cushion to sit on – while Hunting



## Event Schedule

\* Please allow some flexibility with this schedule

### Thursday, Nov. 2

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- 1:00pm - Arrive at Lodge
- 1:30pm - Introductions & Mandatory Safety Discussion
- 3:00pm - Head to the woods to hunt
- 7:30pm - Dinner
- 8:15pm - Manhood Discussion

### Friday and Saturday Nov. 3 and 4

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- 5:30am - Light Breakfast
- 6:00am - Head to Woods
- 12:00pm - Lunch, Nap, Socialize
- 3:00pm - Head for Woods
- 7:30pm - Dinner
- 8:30 pm - Manhood Discussion

### Sunday, Nov. 5

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- 6:00am - Head for the woods
- 10:30am - Depart for Home





# Driving Directions

An exact address will be provided as we draw closer to the retreat, but for planning purposes, you will need to be near Cambridge, OH around 1:00pm on Thursday, Nov. 2.



## Our Policy:

### REFUNDS

- We can provide a refund (minus 3% credit card fees) if you give us more than 30 days notice before the retreat. Less than 30 days before the retreat, there are no refunds.
- A minimum nonrefundable deposit (usually 50% of hunt cost) is required upon booking a retreat. No retreat will be considered booked until Ironman Outdoors receives a deposit.





**As Iron Sharpens Iron, so  
One Man Sharpens Another.**

*Proverbs 27:17*



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