

Deer Hunting Retreat (Bow or Crossbow)

Near Cambridge, OH Sept. 27-Oct. 1, 2024



Who: MEN ONLY – Must be 18 or Older
Where: Near Cambridge, OH
Dates: Sept. 27-Oct. 1, 2024
Cost: \$850 per person + OH Hunt License

• No Trophy Fees

- All Meals Included
- 6 Hunts on Private Land
- Manhood Discussions

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.





- 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.





- For lodging, we have a farmhouse located near the farms we will be hunting.
- 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.







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D - Inside Spread

E - Abonormal Point Example: E1, E2, E3

F - Length of Main Beam

G - Normal Point Example: G1, G2, G3, G4, G5

H1 - Smallest Circumference between burr and G1

H2 - Smallest Circumference between Points G1 & G2

H3 - Smallest Circumference between Points G2 & G3

H4 - Smallest

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 (read carefully)

If you shoot a button buck on this retreat, it will count as your buck harvest for the retreat. Or, if you elect to continue hunting for a trophy buck, a fine of \$500 will be collected if you harvest another buck.

• Payment will be collected before you leave the retreat.





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



Friday, Sept. 27

- 5:00pm Arrive at Lodge
- 6:30pm Introductions & Mandatory Safety Discussion
- 7:00pm Dinner and Manhood Discussion

Saturday, Sunday and Monday

- 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

Tuesday, Oct. 1

• 7:00am -Clean up and head 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 5:00pm on Friday, Sept. 27.



Our Policy:

REFUNDS

•We can allow refunds if given 30 days notice before the retreat. We will subtract 3% if fees were paid with a card.

- •No refunds within 30 days of the retreat.
- •A deposit (usually 50% of hunt cost) is required upon booking a retreat. No retreat will be considered booked until Ironman Outdoors receives a deposit.



Our Policy:

BALANCE DUE

•Any outstanding or remaining reservation balance is due at least 14 days prior to the retreat.

•All retreats must be paid in full before any hunting takes place.

•To make final payment, go to the donation page on our website. Put retreat name and date in the comment box.



As Iron Sharpens Iron, so One Man Sharpens Another.

Proverbs 27:17



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