HSCF Hunting Awards Entry Rules

Please review the following rules to ensure acceptance and processing of your application.

A copy of the score sheet, a photo of the animal in the field, with the hunter, must accompany each completed entry.

1. All applicants must have been HSCF members when submitted animal was taken.
2. All entries must be scored by an official SCI/B&C/P&Y scorer.
3. SCI scoring must be used for all animals.
4. All animals submitted must have been taken and officially scored within the last year, prior to the deadline date.
5. If an animal cannot be measured in time, due to circumstances beyond the member’s control, then the entry will be carried over for consideration the next year. Explanation or proof of delay may be requested at the time of submittal.
6. The entry form, score sheet, a photo of the animal in the field, with the hunter, must accompany each completed entry.
7. All animals submitted must have been legally taken in fair chase.
8. Each animal may be entered into only one category.
9. Any animal that has been previously entered into any HSCF awards competition may not be re-entered.
10. All entries must be completed and received by HSCF by January 3rd.
11. No member judging the competition may have an entry in the category he or she is judging.
12. Digital photographs are preferred. Photographs will be returned to the entrant upon request. All photography may be used at HSCF’s discretion.
13. The HSCF Hunting Awards Committee will decide all issues regarding rules and submissions. All committee decisions are final.
14. All awards will be presented at HSCF’s Annual Convention and Hunting Expo.
15. Judging Criteria: SCI Score; Species Rarity; Hunt Difficulty; Method of Hunt; Free Range vs. Estate.
16. There is a minimum $25 donation for each hunting award entry.