



GENERAL HUNTING AWARDS ENTRY RULES

Celebrate your hunting memories and achievements in our annual hunting award contest. Awards are presented in several categories. Entrants must be an HSCF member when the animal was taken to enter. Winners to be acknowledged at our annual awards event.

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

- All applicants must have been members of HSCF when the submitted animal was taken.
- SCI scoring must be used for all animals and all entries must be scored by an official SCI scorer.
- All animals submitted must have been taken and officially scored within the last two (2) years, prior to the awards ceremony.
- If an animal cannot be measured in time, due to circumstances beyond the member's control, the entry will be carried over for consideration the next year. Explanation or proof of delay may be requested at the time of submittal.
- A copy of the score sheet and a photo of the hunter in the field with the animal must accompany each completed entry form.
- All animals submitted must have been taken by legal means and fair chase.
- Each animal may be entered into only one category
- Any animal that has been previously entered into any HSCF awards competition may not be re-entered.
- Judging Criteria: SCI Score; Species Rarity; Hunt Difficulty; Method of Hunt; Free Range vs. Estate.
- Digital photographs are preferred. Photographs will be returned to the entrant upon request. All photography may be used at HSCF's discretion.
- All awards will be presented at HSCF's Annual Hunting Awards Ceremony.
- A minimum \$25 donation required for each hunting award entry.
- All entries must be completed and received by HSCF by March 1st of the year of the awards ceremony.
- The HSCF Hunting Awards Committee will decide all issues regarding rules and submissions. All committee decisions are final. If a committee member has an entry in a category being judged, they must abstain from voting for that category. Committee members are prohibited from submitting nominations or writing supporting letters for an award they will be reviewing.

**note: all award submissions (forms and photos) should be sent directly to HSCF's office, Attention: HSCF Hunting Awards. Submissions may be made by mail, email, disc or thumb drive. Email submissions should be sent to info@wehuntwegive.org.*