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April 2021

Trail Talk



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT Alan Story

My name is Alan Story and as of this month I am your President. I have been a member for about 3 years and was elected as Vice President in Nov. 2020. The President (Ted) and his wife Veronica moved to Texas this month and as a result, I am now your President.

I moved here from Utah in 2014 when I retired, and I love this country. I joined this club to find out more about the places around us and the trails I could enjoy riding. When I first joined we rode about 3 times a month and I learned a lot of new places. But, then the Covid hit and things came to nearly a stand still. We still occasionally had small rides, and the meetings became fewer.

Now we have slowly started to move forward again and we have a lot of things planned for this summer. BUT, we need YOU to make a difference in the chapter. WE need YOUR input, and your ideas to have an even greater time.

This last weekend we had a group ride near Bluff Utah. There were 8 of us. We had 8 different kinds of horses, and about 6 different kinds of saddles. We drove 5 different kind of trucks with 5 different kinds of trailers. But, we all had one goal in mind - to have a great time. We took about a 10 mile ride on Saturday to some pioneer sites and some old Indian ruins. There was a large tour group there and we tried to get invited to have lunch with them, but were unsuccessful. At the end of the ride we had a pot-luck dinner that Nila and Wanda had put together (Taco salad with some deserts). While the meat was warming up, we were blessed to have some beautiful music from Wanda. I was doing chores for my neighbor and was unable to stay that night. The group went on another great ride on Sunday.

We would like to have a group ride every month this year. We have a Poker Ride on June 26 and our group is sponsoring the Rendezvous in August. Please come to our meeting on May 11, at 7:00 p.m. and share your ideas for activities. It will be at Nila's house (15257 Hwy 145, Dolores).

I look forward to meeting with each of you.

ALAN 🐾



Mesa Verde Back Country Horsemen

General Meeting

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

Nihla McCabe, Secretary

In Attendance

Nihla McCabe, Wanda Martin, Alan Story, Lyn Rowley, Spencer Ardis, Taylor Ardis, Ken Corallo, Marla Kertzman,, Jennifer Singer, Tif Rodriguez, Al Graham, and Paula Grenier

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were read from the March meeting and approved

Scholarship - We received a scholarship applicant from Dove Creek.

Lyn Read his application, His name is Hayden Gray and he will be working on Wildlife animal sciences in Texas and eventually wants to be a Stock contractor for Rodeo. A motion was made and passed to honor his scholarship application with approval. Tif will be in contact with him for pictures and maybe a presentation from Hayden.

Twine Recycle - Still looking for a venue to accept our twine and pay for it..

Wanda volunteered to follow up with the county land fill guy to find out if they would recycle it. We have almost 15 bags ready to roll already.

Bluff social ride will be Saturday - Leaving from Wanda's at 8:30 See you there!

Poker Ride - Tif said the Poker ride is approved by the USFS. So it will be a go. IF all would donate a prize that would be awesome.

Rendezvous - May need to change the dates on this event to earlier in august. It will still be at Transfer park.

Committee Reports

- Membership welcome to our new members! We gained a few at the ag expo!
- Treasures report was given and approved as read.
- CPR and 1st Aid is coming the first of May at the Cortez Fire station For information or to go the chapter is paying ten dollars of your 20 dollar fee. Cards will be good for 2 years.
- Trail work will be coming up soon!
- Social Committee Sue?
- Newsletter, please send to Lyn anything you want to put in the newsletter.
- Co BCH, and BCH Tif is on top of it.. Thanks for being our rep!

Announcements - Our president Ted has left us along with his beautiful and fun wife. We asked Alan to remain as President and Everyone said they would help him as much as possible, He did voice a concern that some Saturdays he would be busy with other obligations. But He let the chapter vote him in anyway. Thank You Alan!

Next Meeting - May 11 | 6:30 to 7 social hour, meeting at 7pm Nihlas House Highway 145.. Hopefully outside, we have a special guest lined up! Charles (Butch) Wilson, Butch was a park ranger for many years in Yosemite and in Chaco canyon among other places, He is very interesting and was raised here and knows a lot about our local history and geology. IF you have a specific question, feel free to ask because if he doesn't know he has resources to find out. (Or he will make up a believable lie.) OR bring your most curious rock and we will test his knowledge.

We will also be looking for a VP next meeting.

A motion to adjourn was made at 8:30 and passed unanimously.

Mesa Verde Back Country Horsemen, Dedicated to keeping Americas trails open for horse and livestock use.

Respectfully Submitted, Nihla McCabe

Public Lands Committee Report

Tif Rodriguez, Public Lands Chair



Greetings!

MVBCH Public Lands:

We've been asked to help in the Chicken Creek ski area with mounting blocks for equestrians at all of the gates that will be installed due to the new trail system. We're also looking at parking, as that place is becoming popular. If you'd like to help, let us know. It's still in the planning stages, so stay tuned for more information.

CPR and First Aid recerts are taking place this weekend. Looking forward to it.

Waiting to hear on the Summit Lake access that's long overdue.

We also may be able to hold some chainsaw and crosscut saw training soon. More details to be worked out, so stay tuned.

National Update:

We had our BCHA annual convention. New officers and executive committee members were elected, along with three full days of business conducted. I am always amazed and honored to be a part of how much work goes into this great organization. Check out the website for full details: bcha.org. Also, details will be in the next national news. We did Facebook Live most of the convention, with the exception of our regional roundtables, so hopefully you tuned in. For me, the highlight was listening to the past chairs talk about things and issues that went on during their tenure and the amazing evolution of Back Country Horsemen of America.

Some highlights:

- We are going digital. There will be three electronic national newsletters and one printed edition yearly.

- Get involved at the national level and participate in one of the national committees. You don't need to be a national director to be on a national committee, and it's a great way to see how the organization operates and meet some amazing people outside of your immediate area.

- Volunteer hours reporting has been simplified.

- Equisure Insurance - we get a great rate as BCH members. Visit here [Back Country Horsemen of America \(bcha.org\)](http://BackCountryHorsemenofAmerica(bcha.org)) for more information.

- After the admin changeover last year, you can now access members only material on the Google

Shared Drive. Visit [Back Country Horsemen of America \(bcha.org\)](http://BackCountryHorsemenofAmerica(bcha.org)), scroll down a bit to the "BCHA

Shared Drive Access Request" and input your information. FYI, you MUST have a Gmail account to gain access. It's free to create one.

There was so much more discussed, and when the recap PowerPoint is done, we'll share it.

Happy Trails!

Thank you!

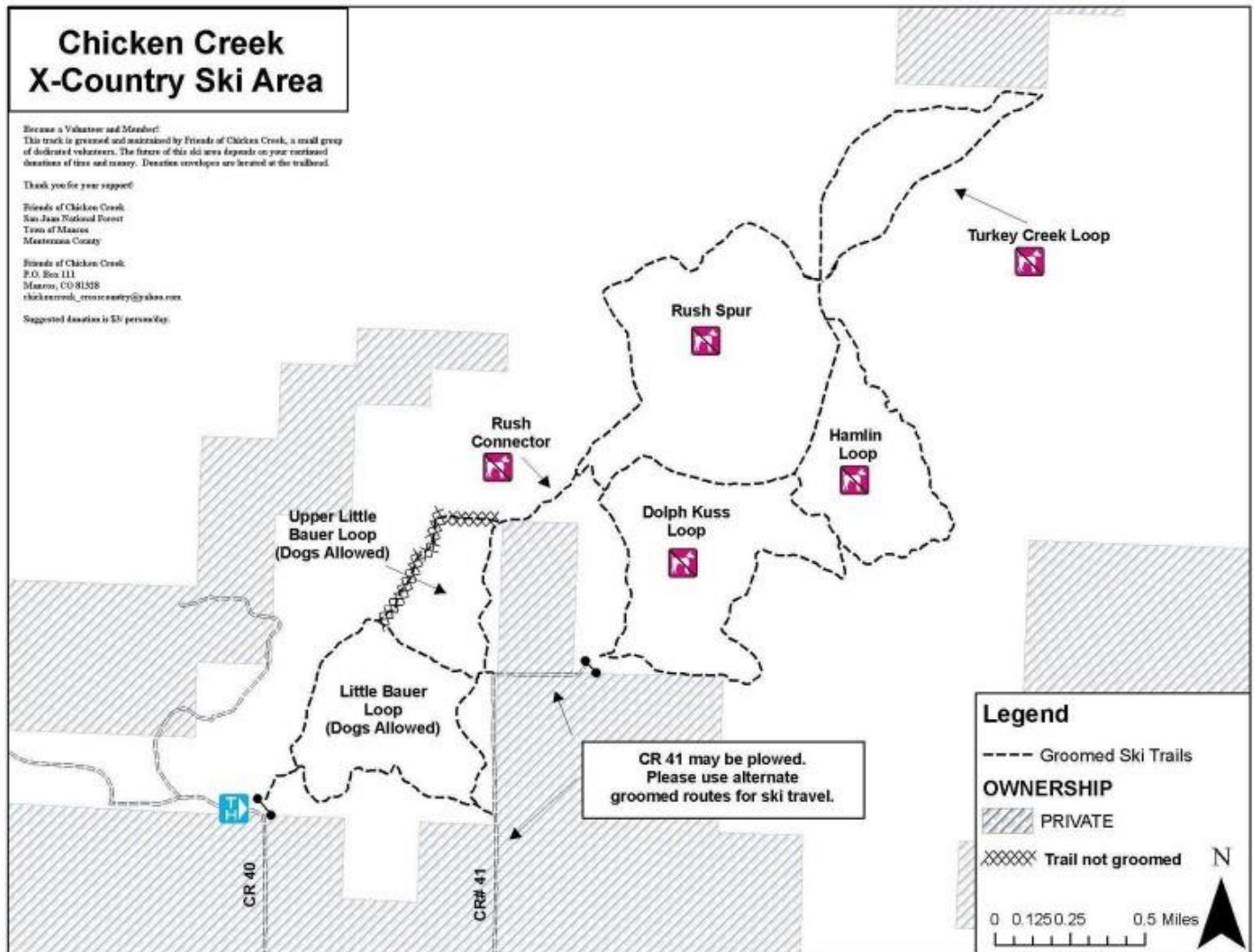
Tif Rodriguez

MVBCH Public Lands Chair

BCHCO Director

BCHA Treasurer 2022 🐾

Places to ride locally – when ground dries a bit
From Cortez: 160>Mancos>L.184>R CR 41 follow to trailhead



MVBCH First Aid/CPR

Thank you Keith Bean and Tif Rodriguez for organizing this

For those of you who signed up – Don't Forget!! See Flier below.

We may either go on a ride or go to grab some food afterwards, so plan on it!

Thank you!
Tif Rodriguez
mvbchorsemen@yahoo.com

First Aid/CPR Certification

Saturday, May 1, 2021

8:00 a.m. - Noon

**MVBCH will pay a portion of the
cost for our members.**

**If you're doing trailwork, you
really should be certified.**

**RSVP by 4/15/21 if you want to
attend. Final details will be sent
to attendees.**

[mvpchorsemen@yahoo.com](mailto:mvbchorsemen@yahoo.com)



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Where have you been rid'n?

On April 17th 2021, 8 adventurous souls and their faithful steeds went to Bluff, Utah to ride the high desert near the famous San Juan river. We arrived at our destination at about 9:30 and were ready to hit the dusty trail by 11:00. Our goal that day was to reach San Juan Hill, where the Mormon trail went over the Comb Ridge, and to see the area where a trading post used to be and to eventually make it to the River ruin for lunch. We met a few jeeps, a couple of hikers, some river rafters and one man on his four wheeler. We had a great time getting to the sights and all were amazed to see a portion of the ruin we had never noticed before. You never know what you will see when the conditions are just right. We had a great ride and rode about 10 miles total with no ground diving or anyone getting in a pickle! We returned to camp at about 5pm took care of our horses, and finished setting up camp. Nihla cooked taco meat and beans and Wanda entertained with a few songs with her guitar. We ate Taco salads tossed with a little windblown sand, and yummy marshmallow salad and the most delicious well deserved cheesecake for dessert! Happy well fed campers retired early as the wind picked up so no relaxing around camp after dinner. On Sunday, the plan was for a short ride as some of us needed to get back to the real world. We adventured under the busy highway (Troll) bridge which turned out it spooked me more than the horses! We rode up the wash trying to find Shakes Canyon but turned to hit the road a little too soon to reach the destination. The biggest adventure was crossing the highway which had no shoulder and lots of speeding Sunday Traffic, ½ of us made it across and the other half went back to the Under the Bridge(Troll) crossing. It was a fun time with great People mounted on well behaved horses and Evelyn the wonder Mule! We think each of us had a different breed of horse and almost every color! Thank you all for coming, Hope we get to ride the dusty trail again SOON! By Nihla McCabe



SAVE THE DATE!!



Save the Date

Mesa Verde Back Country Horsemen's Annual Poker Ride

Camping, cookout and more ... stay tuned!

Saturday
June 26th, 2021

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WE'RE ASKING EACH MEMBER TO BRING A PRIZE DONATION

AG EXPO PICTURES

The Cross Cut Saw Booth at the Ag Expo held at the Montezuma Fair Grounds in March was manned by our local Back Country Horsemen Chapters – 4 Corners, San Juan and MVBCH. A great time (although windy) was had by all!!



Meeting Corner:

April 13, 2021

6:30 Happy Half Hour, 7:00 Meeting
Nihla McCabe's Home

Hwy 145, Dolores

[Directions from Cortez](#)

Contact us for deets!

THANK YOU, NIHLA, FOR A GREAT DEMONSTRATION
ON SADDLE FITTING FOR PEOPLE AT OUR MARCH
MEETING!



March meeting – Nihla's – our newest member!

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Now is the time to renew your membership for 2021. You can renew at the meeting (bring or mail the application below) or online on our web site at

www.mesaverdehorsemen.com

A new membership form must be completed each year.

This will be the last Newsletter sent directly to members who do not renew. You can view it on our Website.

Twine Recycling Continues for MVBCH



Be on the lookout for our new banners that will be posted on our twine recycling bins as soon as they come, which should be by the end of the month. We are continuing this wonderful project. Thanks to those that are working on it, making donations and spreading the word. More information will be forthcoming and advertising done.

Collection bins are located at:

Basin Coop

16032 Highway 491
Cortez, CO 81321

IFA

10501 Highway 491
Cortez, CO 81321

Spread the word!

PLEASE BE SURE TO
DROP YOUR TWINE
OFF AT BASIN COOP
OR IFA.

ALAN CONTINUES TO
COLLECT AND STORE
FOR OUR CHAPTER!!

Sell! Sell! Sell!

It's time to renew your ad and get new vendors' ads for 2021!

You can have your business card placed in our newsletter. \$15.00 for members and \$25.00 for non-members per year. Tell your friends and associates.

Have anything of a personal nature – tack, horse, saddles – to sell or find a home for? Members can have your personal ad in our newsletter for free. Non-members \$25.00 minimum for 6 months.



PLACE YOUR PERSONAL AD HERE!

With the weather hopefully clearing, the board would like to know where the members want to meet – somewhere in Cortez? Maybe outdoors, someone's back yard?? Please email your thoughts to Lynr1217@msn.com or Nihla McCabe nihla45@hotmail.com



Chicken Creek Ski Area



MVBCH MONTHLY CALENDAR

May 2021 8 th - Work Day 11 th - Monthly Meeting - TBD 22 nd - Social Ride - Weather Permitting	June 2021 12 th - Work Day 15 th - Monthly Meeting - TBD 25-27 - MVBCH Poker Ride	July 2021 10 th - Monthly Meeting - TBD BCHA Rendezvous?

Area Calendar 2021

June 5th – National Trails Day
 June 26th – MVBCH Poker Ride
 August 4th – Great American Outdoors Act
 September 25th – National Public Lands Day

Mesa Verde Back Country Horsemen Mission Statement

1. To perpetuate the common sense use and enjoyment of horses in America's back country and wilderness.
2. To work to insure that public lands remain open to recreational stock use.
3. To assist the various government and private agencies in their maintenance and management of said resource.
4. To educate, encourage and solicit active participation in the wise use of the back country resource by horsemen and the general public commensurate with our heritage
5. To foster and encourage individuals to join and participate in their local, State, and National Back Country Horsemen organization

2021 MVBCH CALENDAR

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MONTHLY MEETINGS

BCHA – KANSAS CITY

BCHCO RENDEVOUZ

BCHCO BOARD MEETINGS (March 27- Place TBD)

MVBCH SOCIAL RIDES

MVBCH POKER RIDE

TRAIL WORK DAYS

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Mesa Verde Back Country Horsemen

2021 Membership Form

You can also join and/or rejoin at

www.mesaverdehorsemen.com

Names(s) _____ Occupation: _____

Name(s) _____ Occupation _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Other: _____ *E-mail: _____

Referred By: _____ (Please list how you heard of us!)

***INCLUDING YOUR EMAIL HERE, GIVES YOUR CONSENT TO RECEIVE MVBCH EMAIL BLASTS, AS WELL AS YOUR CONSENT TO SEND IT TO OUR NATIONAL BCHA ORGANIZATION FOR THEIR MAILING LIST.**

Type of Membership (check): ☐ New ☐ Renewal

☐ Individual \$33 ☐ Family \$38 ☐ Associate/Business \$38

☐ Youth \$9 (under 18 accompanied by guardian/sponsor)

(Memberships paid October-December include the rest of the current year & all of the next year)

Please indicate the Committee/s you'd like to serve on:

☐ Education

☐ Fundraising

☐ Membership

☐ Social

☐ Trail Work

☐ Public Affairs

Would you be willing to be the COMMITTEE CHAIR? ____ Yes

Please make checks payable to: **MVBCH or Mesa Verde Back Country Horsemen**

Mail to: MVBCH, P.O. Box 812, Cortez, CO 81321

LIABILITY RELEASE: As per Colorado Revised Statute 13-21-119, an equine activity sponsor shall not be liable for an injury to or the death of a participant resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities. No participant or participant's representative shall make any claim against, maintain an action against, or recover from an equine activity sponsor or any other person for injury, loss, damage, or death of the participant resulting from any of the inherent risks of equine activities. I (We) release the Mesa Verde Back Country Horsemen, its officers, directors, members and agents of any and all liability which may arise as a result of injury to my (our) person or property that may be sustained in connection with the Chapter's activities.

PHOTO RELEASE: I (We) agree to the use of my (our) images taken at Chapter activities and events to be published in the monthly newsletter, on the web site, in Chapter scrapbooks and/or at any Chapter function.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Signed: _____ Date: _____

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Signed: _____ Date: _____

(All persons 18 years and older included in this membership form must sign this release)

Big Game Hunting Planner



2021–2022 DEER, ELK, PRONGHORN, BEAR & MOOSE SEASON DATES — finalized in January each year

(Sheep and goat season dates are listed in their brochure.)

Season Dates Overview	2021	2022
Archery		
Deer/elk (west of I-25 and Unit 140)	Sept. 2–Sept. 30	Sept. 2–Sept. 30
Plains deer (east of I-25, except Unit 140)	Oct. 1–29 and Nov. 10–30 and Dec. 15–31	Oct. 1–28 and Nov. 9–Dec. 3 and Dec. 15–31
Moose	Sept. 11–30	Sept. 10–30
Pronghorn (bucks only)	Aug. 15–31	Aug. 15–31
Pronghorn (either sex)	Sept. 1–20	Sept. 1–20
Muzzleloader (by draw only)		
Deer/elk/moose	Sept. 11–19	Sept. 10–18
Plains deer (east of I-25, except Unit 140)	Oct. 9–17	Oct. 8–16
Pronghorn	Sept. 21–29	Sept. 21–29
Rifle Deer/Elk/Moose		
Moose	Oct. 1–14	Oct. 1–14
Limited elk (1st season)	Oct. 16–20	Oct. 15–19
Deer/elk (2nd season)	Oct. 30–Nov. 7	Oct. 29–Nov. 6
Deer/elk (3rd season)	Nov. 13–19	Nov. 12–18
Limited deer/elk (4th season)	Nov. 24–28	Nov. 23–27
Plains deer (east of I-25, except Unit 140)	Oct. 30–Nov. 9	Oct. 29–Nov. 8
Late plains deer (east of I-25, except Unit 140)	Dec. 1–14	Dec. 1–14
Rifle Pronghorn (by draw only)	Oct. 2–10	Oct. 1–9
Black Bear	2021	2022
September Rifle limited (by draw)	Sept. 2–30	Sept. 2–30
*Archery (over-the-counter and/or limited)	Sept. 2–30	Sept. 2–30
*Muzzleloader (over-the-counter and/or limited)	Sept. 11–19	Sept. 10–18
**Rifle (over-the-counter and/or limited)	(see 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Deer/Elk rifle season dates above)	

NEW *Archery and Muzzleloader Add-On Bear licenses are available in unlimited numbers this year. Hunters can 'add-on' an over-the-counter bear license for archery or muzzleloader seasons if they hold a deer or elk license for the same method of take and at least one unit overlaps. Look for the paw print in the regulation brochure.

NEW **Hunters do not need to hold a deer/elk license to purchase an over-the-counter rifle bear license.

Hunting and Fishing Regulation Brochures:

(updated and released annually):

Available online at cpw.state.co.us, at sales agents statewide and at CPW parks and offices.

*Big Game (Deer, Elk, Pronghorn, Bear & Moose)—Late February

*Sheep (Rocky Mountain & Desert Bighorn) & Goat—Late February

Fishing—Late February

Mountain Lion (online only)—Mid-March

State Recreation Lands—Late July

Small Game and Waterfowl—Mid-August

Small Game Walk-In Atlas—Late August

Late Cropland Walk-In Atlas—Late October

*Turkey—Mid-December

*Regulation brochures are mailed to those who applied for those species the previous year.

Nonresidents can request a mailed brochure online: cpw.state.co.us/brochures

NOTE: For more detailed information, see the regulation brochures online at cpw.state.co.us/brochures or pick up a printed brochure at sales agents.



2021 APPLICATION & DRAWS

Online and By Phone

PRIMARY DRAW

Big Game Limited-License Draw Application Deadline

April 6, 2021 8:00 p.m. MT

(Applications Open March 1)

Payment Deadlines

- May 4: Sheep & Goat
- June 11: Deer, Elk, Pronghorn, Moose & Bear



SECONDARY DRAW

Deer, Elk, Pronghorn & Bear Limited-License Draw Application Deadline

June 30, 2021 8:00 p.m. MT

(Applications Open June 16)

Payment Deadline

- July 16: Deer, Elk, Pronghorn, Bear

2021 OVER-THE-COUNTER (OTC) LICENSES

Online, By Phone, In Person

Leftover Limited, Unlimited & Add-On Licenses

On Sale

August 3, 2021 9:00 a.m. MT



Increase Your Opportunity to Hunt Colorado

- Apply for all four choices on your primary draw application.
- Apply for the secondary draw (elk, deer, bear & pronghorn).
- Purchase an over-the-counter (OTC) license and hunt this fall.

**Call a CPW Hunt Planner for personalized planning assistance,
8 a.m.–5 p.m. (MT) Monday–Friday
(303) 291-PLAN (7526) or (303) 297-1192**

2022 Colorado Hunting and Fishing License Fees

Application Fee, Habitat Stamps (non-refundable)	Resident	Nonresident
Application Processing Fee (per species & draw)	\$ 7	\$ 9
Habitat Stamp (valid 3/1–3/31 of following year) (One per year required for persons ages 18–64 buying or applying for a license)	\$ 10.40	\$ 10.40
Lifetime Habitat Stamp	\$ 312.30	\$ 312.30
License Fees*		
Elk, Cow	\$ 56.88	\$ 516.63
Elk, Bull or Either Sex	\$ 56.88	\$ 688.26
Deer	\$ 41.28	\$ 412.61
Pronghorn, Buck or Doe	\$ 41.28	\$ 412.61
Youth Elk, Deer & Pronghorn (12–17 yrs)	\$ 16.30	\$ 105.76
Bear	\$ 39.75	\$ 101.75
Youth Bear (12–17 yrs)	\$ 15.50	\$ 51.50
Moose	\$ 313.80	\$ 2,300.51
Rocky Mtn Bighorn Sheep, Desert Bighorn, Mtn Goat	\$ 313.80	\$ 2,300.51
Rocky Mtn Bighorn, Mtn Goat, Moose Pref Pt	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00
Mountain Lion	\$ 51.68	\$ 351.75
Turkey (spring)	\$ 30.87	\$ 157.77
Turkey (fall)	\$ 25.67	\$ 157.77
Youth Turkey (under 18 yrs)	\$ 16.31	\$ 105.77
Annual Small Game	\$ 30.87	\$ 84.96
Small Game (1-day)	\$ 14.23	\$ 18.69
Youth Annual Small Game (under 18 yrs)	\$ 1.29	\$ 1.29
Annual Small Game & Fishing Combo	\$ 51.68	N/A
Senior Annual Small Game & Fishing Combo (65+ yrs)	\$ 30.50	N/A
Annual Fishing (18–64 yrs)	\$ 36.08	\$ 100.57
Youth Annual Fishing (16–17 yrs)	\$ 10.07	N/A
Senior Annual Fishing (65+ yrs)	\$ 10.07	N/A
Fishing (5-day)	N/A	\$ 32.95
Fishing (1-day)	\$ 14.23	\$ 17.35

*Refund policy may apply. *All non-resident big game licenses are a big game and annual fishing combination license.

*License fees include a 25-cent search and rescue fee and a \$1.50 Wildlife Council surcharge, if applicable.

*Annual licenses and habitat stamps are valid March 1–31 of the following year (13 months) and non-refundable.

Reserve Your State Park Campsite, Cabin or Yurt Today

Online: cpw.state.co.us

Toll Free: (800) 244-5613

Can reserve 6 months in advance.



PURCHASE Licenses, Park Passes and Conservation Stamps:

- Online: cpw.state.co.us (click 'Buy and Apply')
- By phone: (800) 244-5613
- In person: at Sales Agents, CPW Offices and State Parks



For Hunter Education Classes (if born on or after 1/1/49) or Replacement Cards cpw.state.co.us

License, State Park Pass, Camping Reservation & Online Account Set-up customer service available 24 hours/7 days a week (800) 244-5613

CPW customer service available 8 a.m.–5 p.m., Monday–Friday (303) 297-1192

Big-Game Limited License Draw Application Reminders

► 2021 Qualifying Hunting Licenses—available starting March 1

All applicants, including youth, must purchase* or hold** one of the licenses below before applying for the big game draw(s):

1. *2021 Annual small-game license (resident and nonresident)
 2. *2021 Annual small-game and fishing combination license (resident only)
 3. *2021 Senior annual small-game license (age 65+) (resident only)
 4. *2021 Spring turkey or fall turkey license, when available (resident and nonresident)
- Below licenses are for residents only and require advance legal paperwork submissions:
5. *Annual small-game license for senior lifetime fishing license holders (65+, total and permanent disability or low income)
 6. **Veteran lifetime combination license (60% disabled or Purple Heart)
 7. **First responder lifetime combination license (permanent occupational disability)

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