2024 SEASON



BONGO
LORD DERBY ELAND
MOUNTAIN NYALA

"THE REWARD OF YOUR CHALLENGE IS A TROPHY OF A LIFETIME!"

Northern Operations Africa, an African hunting safari service based in the USA, specializes in trophy hunting for the Western Bongo, Lord Derby Eland and Mountain Nyala. Owned and operated by Dave Rademeyer and his wife Maria and supported by a great team, Northern Operations Africa is able to provide clients across the globe with the authentic hunting experience they're after - tracking the elusive and classic spiral horns of Africa!







Dave Rademeyer was born into a family of hunters in Bulawayo, Zimbabwe. From early childhood, he would either join his father, legendary PH Fred Rademeyer, on his hunts, or he would take off to explore the bush on his own. Spending days and nights out there, he learned the habits and habitats of many different animals. The more time he spent in the bush, the more he knew he wanted to turn his passion for hunting into a career.

When he joined well renowned Swanepoel and Scandrol Safaris in 2000, he was fortunate enough to be able to explore Africa as a backyard for hunting. He has hunted and guided in 13 African countries, and has taken well over 100 different species and subspecies with clients, most of which have been SCI Record Book material. The "never give up attitude" has allowed Dave to obtain some impressive and top quality trophies, from Ethiopia to South Africa, which have made Top 10 in the SCI record Book. Through all these years, countries, safaris, and species he has acquired endless knowledge and experience of what African hunting is all about.

Experiencing hunting from the outside (from the client perspective), Maria E. Abascal was always intrigued by different forms, species, and types of hunting. Having grown up in a family of hunters, it is something she loves and wants to spend doing for the rest of her life. On her first safari to Africa, she met Dave. They knew it then and still know it now—hunting brought them together!

With all the love and passion they have for African hunting safaris, Dave and Maria created Northern Operations Africa to offer clients an unmatched African hunting adventure. Dave's insider knowledge, combined with Maria's understanding of the modern day client's needs and expectations, have meshed as one, allowing them to better serve their clients.

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We believe that a well rounded PH is a very important trait—one that has hunted in a variety of African countries and taken a diverse assortment of species. Being able to understand the local communities, fauna and flora is also a must for the PHs we endorse. Professional hunters working with Northern Operations are experienced and knowledgeable about the hunts they conduct.

We encourage our PHs to create a lasting relationship with each of our clients, working hand in hand with them, and understanding differences among our clientele. Giving them the insight to understand the entire realm of the industry, by being part of the conventions, and meeting the clients before hand, we push to immerse our PH in more than just the actual field work.

Fred Rademeyer, Hunting Consultant, PH, Agent

Fred Rademeyer, with forty years of experience hunting big game in Africa, is a huge asset to Northern Operations Africa. He brings an incredible amount of knowledge and know how to the whole scene of African hunting. Fred, the father of Dave, has joined the team to help perfect the safari company through development and promotions. Not only does Fred join us as a PH, but his knowledge and past experiences on how to keep true African Hunting exciting and memorable is priceless to the company.



Jacques Meyer, PH

Zimbabwean raised in a family of hunters, Jacques has spent a lot of time in the bush surrounded by some of our most experienced PHs. He has learned from the best and has experience in Botswana, Cameroon, Tanzania, Zambia and Ethiopia. Jacques is also also very involved in the logistics of the company and is the general manager for Collect Africa.

Thierry Labat, PH

Born in Mauritius and fluent in French, Thierry communicates with ease in Cameroon.

His great work ethic, determination and good sense of humor are a perfect combination for success. Thierry has paid his dues over many years in Cameroon North and has built a great reputation and gained extensive experience. During the off season, he spends most of his time conducting

hunts in Zimbabwe, his home.





Deon West, PH

Raised in Zimbabwe and being involved in hunting from a young age, Deon is passionate about what he does. He has hunted in South Africa, Zimbabwe, Tanzania, CAR, and Cameroon. He has been the leading PH in Cameroon for the past four seasons.



Micah Du Plooy, PH

Born into a wildlife orientated family, Micah has spent every holiday or long weekend traveling across Southern Africa. After school he studied field guiding



and spent four years guiding and managing camps in Kruger National Park, Pongola Game Reserve, and the Okavango Delta. In 2012, he became a fully licensed Professional Hunter and since then has hunted South Africa, Mozambique, Tanzania and Cameroon. His youth ignites hard work, drive and an intense desire to learn from the best in the industry.

Pete Wood, PH

Peter was born in 1975 into a family that always , enjoyed the hunting and the outdoors. After school, he started working towards a Zimbabwe Professional Hunters License, which he acquired in 1999. He's been hunting ever since. Pete's high ethical hunting standards and repeat clientele is testimony to his hard working, go-get-it attitude. Peter is proficient in mechanics and fluent in three languages.



Cameroon Forest Price List & Hunt Options

\$49,850 13 Day "Classic" Safari Hunt two (2) Class A species and unlimited Class B species

\$12,750 *Upgrade to a total of three (3) Class A species

(this upgrade is only payable after the 3rd A class animal is successfully hunted)

13 Day Buffalo & Sitatunga Safari \$41,850 Plus unlimited Class B species

Class A Species Available: Bongo, Dwarf Forest Buffalo, Forest Sitatunga

Class B Species Available: Bay Duiker, Blue Duiker, Peters Duiker, Bates Pygmy Antelope, Red River Hog, Giant Forest Hog

All hunts are 1 X 1 basis

Base Safari Rate Include:

- Services of our exclusive, fully licensed professional hunters and use of our specially equipped safari vehicles
- · Accommodations, all meals and beverages for the duration of the safari
- · All required hunting permits
- Full field preparation of trophies
- Full coordination of safari travel, "meet & greet" upon arrival in
- · Douala, assistance with customs and immigration formalities.
- · Hotel on night of arrival

Base Safari Rate Does Not Include:

- Trophy fees plus 15% tax on all animals taken or wounded
- Charter to and from the hunting area (-\$6,000)
- · Dipping, packing and crating of trophies
- All export and prepaid shipping charges of trophies from Cameroon to your port of entry
- Costs of air charters Outside of Scheduled Dates
- Gratuities for camp staff/professional hunters
- Observer fees @ \$350/day

These fees which are "not included" in the Base Safari Rate are paid prior to the conclusion of the safari, or upon safari completion based on actual costs incurred. For example, trophy fees and gratuities must be paid at completion of safari.

The magnificent Bongo has lured us to specialize in offering our clients a hunt that results in a beautiful trophy. A 2-hour charter from your arrival point, Douala, our area is found in the Southeastern part of Cameroon, bordering



Loebeke National Park for many kilometers. Again, the area we specialize in is abundant for Bongo and other species such as Forest Sitatunga, Dwarf Forest Buffalo, and an assortment of duikers. Over the last consecutive seasons, our average for bongo is 29", where 95% of our clients have taken their trophy before the week's end, allowing time to focus on remaining species available.

What makes Cameroon Bongo hunting so great? The Experience. Here we track and hunt alongside the Pygmies and dog entourage. The pygmies track the bongo and the dogs bring it to bay once you catch up with it. Hiking through the Cameroon Rain Forest, with the pygmies, while after your trophy of a lifetime, is an unmatched experience. The local tribes, fauna, flora, geography, food, and people make this hunt one you will never forget.

The best time to book your Bongo Safari is during the rainy seasons. The rains encourage Bongo movement, enabling pygmy trackers and PHs to pick up tracks more easily. April through June would be the perfect time to visit Cameroon; join Northern Operations Africa on a hunt of a lifetime.

An unmatched experience!







Cameroon Savannah Price List & Hunt Options

13 Day 1x1 "Classic" Safari \$52,850 Hunt two (2) Class A and four (4) Class B species

*Upgrade licence to shoot four (4) Class A species and eight (8) Class B species (plus double trophy fee on each additional animal taken)

10 Day 1x1 "Buffalo and Roan" Safari \$37,850 Plus four (4) Class B species

7 Day 1x1 "Buffalo or Roan" Safari \$23,750 Plus four (4) Class B species

Class A Species Available:

Lord Derby Eland, Western Savannah Buffalo, Western Roan, Sing Sing Waterbuck

Class B Species Available:

Harnessed Bushbuck, Western Kob, Red River Hog, Western Hartebeest, Nigerian Bohor Reedbuck, Red-flanked Duiker, Western Bush Duiker, Oribi, Baboon

All hunts are 1 X 1 basis

Base Safari Rate Include:

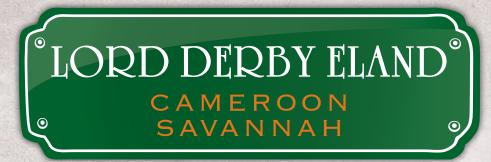
- Services of our exclusive, fully licensed professional hunters and use of our specially equipped safari vehicles
- Accommodations, all meals and beverages for the duration of the safari
- All required hunting permits
- Full field preparation of trophies
- Full coordination of safari travel, "meet & greet" upon arrival in Douala, assistance with customs and immigration formalities

Base Safari Rate Does Not Include:

- Trophy fees on all animals taken or wounded
- Return domestic flights to Ngaoundere (~\$600)
- Dipping, packing and shipping of trophies to Paris (~\$2,400)
- All export and prepaid shipping charges of trophies from Cameroon to your port of entry
- Costs of air charters outside of scheduled dates
- Gratuities for camp staff and professional hunters
- Observer fees @ \$350/day

These fees which are "not included" in the Base Safari Rate are paid prior to the conclusion of the safari, or upon safari completion based on actual costs incurred. For example, trophy fees and gratuities must be paid at completion of safari.

North CAMEROON hosts some of the best LORD DERBY ELAND hunting in Africa. From its rich habitat of Gardenia and Terminalia vegetation, to its rolling hills dotted with large Pod Mahogany trees, where large herds of Eland take refuge in the mid day heat.



Cameroon is renowned for its Lord Derby Eland in numbers. The combination of open visibility and good road networks offers the client easier hunting and a higher success rate. Herds up to 100 strong, can be expected to be tracked and seen, along with solitary bulls that skirt the herds while waiting for the chance to spread their genes. THIS IS THE ULTIMATE TIME OF THE YEAR - THE RUT!!!

NOA understands how clients have been led to believe that CAR produces the larger Eland trophies, and yes the record books will confirm this. However, 90% of 50"+ Eland that are taken in CAR are younger bulls that have not fully matured into the true Lord Derby Eland character. On average an OLD mature bull in CAR will measure in the 47-48" range, where as one in Cameroon will measure 46-48". Not a huge difference if you take into consideration the country's safety factors.

Some of the best Lord Derby Eland hunting in Africa!







Ethiopia Price List & Hunt Options

*** Please note that NO trophy fees are included in prices below

Highland Mountain Nyala (only) Menelik's Bushbuck can be added to this option. \$54,850

Highland Mountain Nyala PLUS Lowland Species
This option gives you the opportunity to add one or multiple areas as an upgrade.

Lowland Safari Species (only)

This option gives you the opportunity to hunt one or multiple areas for the desired species.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to the complexity of the Ethiopian regulations for adding multiple areas or species to hunting licenses, we've chosen not to show the prices on any of the upgrades. We would rather offer our clients a customized package of exactly what species they are looking for. Once the client has decided on what they'd like to hunt, we can then give a detailed breakdown of the costs and regulations.

LOWLAND SPECIES OPTIONS BELOW

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Besia Oryx / Soemmerring's Gazelle / Lesser Kudu / Abyssinian Bushbuck / Salts Dik-dik / Hamadryas Baboon

Hard

Eastern Savannah Buffalo / East African Defassa Waterbuck / Colobus Monkey

Gasara

Abyssinian Greater Kudu

Omo & Sala

Northern Grant's Gazelle / Gunther's Dik-dik / Lesser Kudu / Southern Gerenuk / Newman's Hartebeest / Bateared Fox / Genet / African Wild Cat

Asela

Abyssinian Bohor Reedbuck

Shadem

Giant Forest Hog / Colobus Monkey

Berlin

Northern Gerenuk

All hunts are 1 X 1 basis

Base Safari Rate Includes:

- Services of fully licensed professional hunters, use of specially equipped safari vehicles, deluxe tented safari camps, all meals and beverages.
- All road transportation while in the hunting area.
- "Meet and Greet" at Addis Ababa airport upon arrival and departure.
- All fees for the required federal and regional game scouts accompanying the safari.
- All concession fees, Ethiopian VAT tax on daily fees, and firearm import fees.

Base Safari Rate Does Not Include:

- Costs of Trophy Fees. (PLEASE NOTE THAT THE TROPHY FEES FOR ALL SPECIES A CLIENT WISHES TO HUNT MUST BE PAID AND PURCHASED IN ADVANCE AND ARE NON-REFUNDABLE)
- Costs of any air charters required or requested.
- Dips/packing/crating/trophy shipping charges.
- Costs of any hotel accommodations/personal items.
- Gratuities for camp staff/professional hunters.
- Observer fees @ \$350/day per observer.

These fees which are "not included" in the Base Safari Rate are paid prior to the conclusion of the safari, or upon safari completion based on actual costs incurred. For example, trophy fees and gratuities must be paid at completion of safari.

The Mountain Nyala is a trophy of trophies. There is something about this very unique spiral horn that makes it well sought after. The Mountain Nyala, only indigenous to Ethiopia, is like no other of its subspecies counterparts. Depending on



the type of experience, hunt and species you would like, Northern Operations Africa does their best to customize your hunt, allowing you the opportunity to bag different types of species along the way. All safaris originate and end in Addis Ababa, the capital.

Ethiopia offers hunters a wide array of species that are not found anywhere else in the world. It offers unique safari experiences, from the West, to Mountains in the Southeast, and even the Northern desert regions. Visiting such a unique country full of indigenous wildlife, culture, and tribes, makes the experience in and of itself a success.

A spiral horn worth the 9,000 foot climb.









Eastern Savannah Buffalo



Meneliks Bushbuck



Beisa Oryx



Central African Savannah Buffalo



Dwarf Forest Buffalo



Northern Gerenuk



Giant Forest Hog



Bay Duiker



Soemmerings Gazelle



Yellow Back Duiker



Forest Sitatunga



Red River Hog



Black Lechwe



Western Savannah Buffalo



Zambezi Sitatunga

CAMEROON 2024 Trophy Fee Price List

Forest Species	Trophy Fees	Attainability	
Bongo	\$7,500	99%	
Dwarf Forest Buffalo	\$5,750	50%	
Forest Sitatunga -	\$5,500	50%	
Red River Hog	\$950	25%	
Giant Forest Hog	\$2,200	10%	
Peter's Duiker	\$1,000	75%	
Bay Duiker	\$1,000	75%	
Blue Duiker	\$1,000	99%	
Bates Pygmy Antelope	\$1,000	25%	
Forest Elephant	\$7,000	85% (U.S.A. import ban)	

Savannah Species	Trophy Fees	Attainability
Lord Derby Eland	\$5,950	99%
West African Savannah Buffalo	\$4,000	99%
Western Roan	\$4,250	85%
Harnessed Bushbuck	\$1,300	85%
Western Hartebeest	\$2,000	99%
Sing Sing Waterbuck	\$2,950	75%
Western Kob	\$2,000	99%
Nigerian Bohor Reedbuck	\$1,300	85%
Red River Hog	\$1,350	50%
Warthog	\$900	75%
Oribi	\$900	75%
Red Flanked Duiker	\$900	99%
Western Bush Duiker	\$1,200	99%
Olive Baboon	\$600	99%

ETHIOPIA 2024 Trophy Fee Price List

Highland Species	Trophy Fees	Chance of Success	
Mountain Nyala*	\$15,000	High	
Leopard*	\$4,600	High (U.S.A. import ban)	
Bush Pig*	\$400	Medium	
Meneliks Bushbuck*	\$6,000	High	
Colobus Monkey*	\$600	High (Area specific)	
Hyena*	\$180	Medium	

Lowland Species	Trophy Fees	Chance of Success	
Abyssinian Bushbuck*	\$1,500	Medium	
Salt's Dik-dik*	\$340	High	
Lesser Kudu*	\$3,000	High	
Abyssinian Kudu*	\$4,000	Medium (Limited quota)	
Soemmerring's Gazelle*	\$3,000	High	
Beisa Oryx*	\$4,000	Medium (Limited quota)	
Nile Buffalo*	\$3,000	High	
Gelada Baboon*	\$3,000	High (Limited quota)	
Hamadrayas Baboon*	\$1,000	Medium	
Anubis Baboon*	\$100	High (Area specific)	
Northern Gerenuk*	\$3,000	High (Limited quota)	
Defassa Waterbuck*	\$1,000	Medium	
Northern Grant's Gazelle*	\$1,200	High	
Neumann's Hartebeest*	\$4,000	High	
Giant Forest Hog*	\$1,300	High	
Eastern Savannah Buffalo*	\$3,500	High	
Abyssinian Bohor Reedbuck*	\$1,200	High	
Gunther's Dik-dik*	\$340	High	
Genet*	\$300	High	
Bat-eared Fox*	\$340	Medium	
African Wild Cat*	\$300	High	

^{*} Ethiopia trophy fees are paid in advance and are non-refundable.

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