

Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
RMEF 2024 Ultimate Elk Hunter Sweepstakes
Official Rules

1. NO PURCHASE OR DONATION NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. A PURCHASE OR DONATION WILL NOT IMPROVE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.

2. Eligibility: Open only to legal residents of the fifty United States and the District of Columbia, who are age 21 years or older at time of entry. Void in the state of Washington and where prohibited or restricted by law. Subject to all applicable federal and state and local laws and regulations. Employees and their immediate families (parents, children, spouse, siblings) of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation (“RMEF” or “Sponsor”), the associated advertising and promotion agencies, prize providers, and each of their respective parent companies, affiliates, subsidiaries, sales representatives and/or distributors, and their immediate family members, and those living in the same household of each of the foregoing (whether related or not) are not eligible to enter. The RMEF 2024 Ultimate Elk Hunter Sweepstakes (“Sweepstakes”) begins at 12:00 a.m. Mountain Time (“MT”) on June 6, 2024, and ends at 11:59 p.m. MT on August 31, 2024 (“Entry Period”). Please remember to account for the time difference from your local time zone when entering online.

3. How To Enter: There are three (3) methods of entry. Method #1: Enter via U.S. Mail from a personalized mail offer you received, with or without including a donation, complete and return the official Entry Form per the instructions provided, including returning one (1) fully separated Sweepstakes Entry Ticket of your choice. Ticket options include 50, 25 or 10 chances, but only one (1) ticket may be entered per envelope. Method #2: Enter online and make a donation by visiting <https://www.rmef.org/elkhuntsweeps24> or the URL indicated. An RMEF account is required to log-on. If you do not have an RMEF account, create one for free at www.rmef.org/myrmef. Follow all online entry instructions to enter the Sweepstakes, including selecting your preferred number of entries. Online entries must be received during the Entry Period. All online entry notices posted at website apply, including but not limited to, the Sponsor’s Privacy Policy, available at www.rmef.org/PrivacyPolicy. Method #3: Enter by mail as an alternative to entry by Method #1 or Method #2, with or without making a donation, by creating an RMEF account for free at www.rmef.org/myrmef and following all entry instructions including printing the official Entry Form and Entry Tickets of your choice, hand-printing all information requested on the official Entry Form and Entry Tickets up to a maximum of fifty (50) enclosing the official Entry Form and your selected Entry Tickets, in a hand-addressed #10 envelope, and mailing via First Class U.S. Mail to: Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, RMEF 2024 Ultimate Elk Hunt Sweepstakes Entry, P.O. Box 8249, Missoula, MT 59807. Mail-in entries must be postmarked by August 31, 2024, and received by September 7, 2024. Non-conforming entries will be disqualified. Regardless of entry method, there is a limit of fifty (50) sweepstakes entries per person per day and one hundred fifty (150) sweepstakes entries per person/email during the entire Entry Period. Any attempt to exceed this limit may automatically disqualify all entries from that entrant. Entry materials/data that have been tampered with or altered will be disqualified. Sponsor is not responsible for late, lost, stolen, damaged, garbled, incomplete, illegible, misdirected or postage due mail/entries. No mechanical reproductions of entries accepted. All entries become Sponsor’s property and will not be returned or acknowledged.

4. Prizes and Drawing: Five Hundred Seventeen (517) prize winners will be selected in a random drawing conducted on or about September 12, 2024, by a representative from the Sponsor whose decisions are final and binding in all respects. Approximate Retail Value (“ARV”) of all prizes offered is \$168,364.00. Odds of winning any prize depend on the total number of eligible entries received. Limit of one prize per person or household. The Prizes to be awarded are as follows:

One Grand Prize: The RMEF Ultimate Elk Hunter package, consisting of a 2024 Chevrolet Silverado 1500 LT Trail Boss Crew Cab truck, with Decked Drawer System, Les Schwab Tires, GoFast Camper/Topper, Warn Winch – VR EVO 12-S, Fab Fours – Matrix Front Bumper, and including an OnX

Hunt Membership, Uncharted Supply First Aid Plus, Swagger – Hunter Series Bipod, Stealth Trail Cam, YETI Crossroads 22" Wheeled Luggage, Eberlestock M5 Team Elk Pack, Silencer Central Suppressor, WeatherTech FL HP Set Side Window Deflectors and MudFlaps, Mathews Lift 29.5" Bow, Browning XBLT Speed SPR, and \$10,000.00 Cash. Combined ARV of \$103,070.58.

One 1st Prize: A 2025 New Mexico Elk Hunt for 1 with Gastineau Outfitters. Includes landowner tag, five days of guided hunting, use of muzzleloaders if needed, six nights lodging, and all meals during stay, plus \$5,000.00 cash for travel, tags, and incidental expenses. Combined ARV of \$20,350.50.

One 2nd Prize: A Weatherby Mark V Backcountry TI in 6.5 WBY MAG Combo with Leupold scope. ARV of \$5,000.00.

One 3rd Prize: A Leupold Optics Package, including BX-4 Range HD TBR/W 10x42mm binoculars, SX-4 Pro Guide 20-60x85mm spotting scope, and VX-3HD 4.5x10mm scope. Combined ARV of \$3,199.97.

One 4th Prize: A Winchester 1894 Deluxe lever-action Sporting Rifle in .30-30. ARV of \$2,229.99.

One 5th Prize: A YETI Tundra 350 Hard Cooler in white. ARV of \$1,500.00.

One 6th Prize: A Danner Boot Package, including five pairs of boots (Elk Hunter, Pronghorn, Trail 2650, Recurve, and MT 600). ARV of \$1,300.00.

One 7th Prize: A Kimber Camp Guard 10mm handgun with tritium night sight. ARV of \$1,279.00.

One 8th Prize: A Bass Pro/Cabela's prepaid gift card. ARV of \$1,000.00.

One 9th Prize: A STIHL MSA 220 C-B Chainsaw, includes an AP 500 S Battery and AL 500 high-speed charger. ARV of \$979.97.

One 10th Prize: The SITKA Subalpine Package, including Apex Pack in Optifade Subalpine, Tool Belt in Optifade Subalpine, Mountain Optics Harness in Optifade Subalpine, Core Neck Gaiter, Traverse Cap, Jetstream Beanie, and Bow Sling. ARV of \$1,238.00.

One 11th Prize: The Benchmade Knife Package, including Raghorn Knife, Folding Sharpener, Hat, Folding Tool Kit, Blue Lube Cleaner, Bottle Opener, and Blue Lube Lubricant. Combined ARV of \$590.00

Five 12th Prizes: Five winners each receive a Silver Stag Knife Set including a 7" fillet boning knife, and a 3" D2 caping knife. ARV of \$325.00 each, and combined ARV of \$1,625.00.

Five Hundred 13th Prizes: Each winner will receive an RMEF \$50.00 Mystery Gear Box, which may include items such as lights, calls, caps, range tools, cutlery or other items as selected by Sponsor. ARV of \$50.00 each, and combined ARV of \$25,000.00.

Grand Prize vehicle will be delivered at, and must be collected by Winner at, RMEF headquarters in Missoula, Montana. Winner may elect to use the cash portion of the Grand Prize to cover the costs of travel or delivery associated with the Grand Prize vehicle. Winner is responsible for the cost of transportation of vehicle if not collected at RMEF headquarters, and following delivery at RMEF headquarters to Winner's residence or other location. Winner is responsible for procuring, and for the cost of, all title/transfer, registration, taxes and insurance on vehicle and for all costs of such transportation, including any shipping, fuel, meals, lodging or other travel costs. Winner will incur greater transportation costs as the distance from Missoula, Montana to Winner's residence increases, such as for residents of Alaska and Hawaii.

The following applies to any hunting trip prize: Transportation is not included in prize, but a cash stipend has been included toward transportation expenses. Cash stipend will be awarded in the form of a corporate check. Winner must make all travel arrangements to and from location. Sponsor shall have no further obligation for transportation expenses, gratuities or any other expenses should they exceed cash stipend amount provided. Winner is responsible for arranging their own transportation to and from destinations, and for providing weapons and ammunition (unless specified otherwise herein). Hunting trip prizes must take place during the dates as determined by the Sponsor, subject to availability, and certain blackout dates may apply. If a winner cannot participate on the dates designated by the Sponsor, the corresponding prize will be forfeited in its entirety and the Sponsor will have no further obligation to the selected winner. Winner will be required to sign and return a Liability/Publicity Release ("Release") before trip and accommodations can be booked. Winner is solely responsible for obtaining the proper travel documentation (e.g., valid photo ID and/or passport) prior to travel. Usage of any gift card prize is subject to the respective merchant's gift card terms and conditions.

5. Winner Notification: Potential winners will be notified via mail, email and/or courier within 5 business days after random drawing. If a potential winner fails to respond within 14 days from notice, or if notification is returned as undeliverable, that potential winner will be disqualified and an alternate will be determined. In order to receive a prize, at Sponsor's discretion, a potential winner will be required to complete an Affidavit of Eligibility and Release of Liability which must be signed and returned (along with any other documentation the Sponsor reasonably requires for prize fulfillment, such as, but not limited to, providing proof of identity, various licenses or permits) within 14 days of date printed on notification or the potential winner will be disqualified and an alternate winner will be determined. All prize details are at Sponsor's sole discretion. Firearm prize winners must conform to all local, state and federal regulations as applicable and must make arrangements for delivery of prize with appropriate federally licensed firearms dealer (FFL) as required by State and Federal law. Winners bear risk of loss or damage for failure to travel or pick up their prizes as applicable. No prize is intended for sale or for prize distribution in those states or in those areas where the prize is prohibited by law. Any winner eligible to win a prize but where the award of the prize would otherwise be in violation of federal, state, or local law will receive an alternate prize of equal value selected at the sole discretion of the Sponsor. If for any reason whatsoever, a winner is not able to accept a prize due to reasons such as, but not limited to physical impairment, mental disability, etc., s/he will receive an alternate prize at Sponsor's discretion. State and local laws, restrictions and regulations may limit or prohibit the sale, distribution, features, carry or use of certain prizes. The mention of the prizes or any other product or service in any advertisement or text does not mean the products or services have been tested, endorsed or approved by Sponsor. Prizes will be awarded within approximately 30 days of winner verification, except in cases of delay of availability. Sponsor is not responsible for such delays. No prize is redeemable for cash, exchange or transfer, except at Sponsor's sole discretion, who reserves the right to substitute any prize with one of similar or greater value if any prize, or any portion thereof, is unavailable. Each winner is solely responsible for all taxes on prize and other expenses (as applicable) set forth herein, including but not limited to: registration, license fees, insurance, optional equipment and all other unspecified costs associated with claiming, registering and/or using the corresponding prize. Winners acknowledge the Released Parties (as defined herein) do not make, nor are in any manner responsible for any warranty, representations, expressed or implied, in fact or in law, relative to the quality, conditions, fitness for a particular purpose or merchantability of any aspect of any prize, except that prizes will be subject to the corresponding manufacturer's stated warranty, if any. With the exception of the Grand Prize vehicle, all prizes include the cost of delivery/shipping.

6. General: All online entry notices posted at website apply, including but not limited to the Sponsor's Privacy Policy. Online entries are deemed to be made by the Authorized Account Holder of the e-mail address submitted at time of entry. Authorized Account Holder means the natural person who is assigned to an email address by an Internet access provider, online service provider, or other organization that is responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the submitted email address. By participating in the Sweepstakes, you (i) agree to be bound by these official rules, including all eligibility requirements, and (ii) agree to be bound by the decisions of Sponsor and the judges, which are final and binding in all matters relating to the Sweepstakes. Except where prohibited by law, entry and acceptance of prize constitute permission to use each winner's name, photograph, video, comment, hometown, likeness, and prize won (all at Sponsor's discretion) for future advertising, publicity in any and all media now or hereafter devised throughout the world in perpetuity, without additional compensation, notification, release, or permission. Sponsor is not responsible for any typographical or other error in the printing of the offer, administration of the Sweepstakes or in the announcement of any prize or for any suspension of the Sweepstakes or inability to implement the Sweepstakes or award the prizes as contemplated herein due to any "force majeure" event beyond its control, including delays or interruptions caused by acts of God, acts of war, natural disasters, pandemic, weather, utility outages, acts of terrorism or any federal, state, or local government law, order, or regulation, order of any court or regulator. The Sponsor is not responsible for: (i) error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operations or transmission, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to or alterations of entry materials, or for technical, network,

telephone equipment, electronic, computer, hardware or software malfunctions of any kind, or inaccurate transmission of or failure to receive entry information by Sponsor on account of technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet or at any website or any combination thereof; or (iii) any injury or damage to entrant's or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participating in the Sweepstakes. Sponsor reserves the right to take action to: (i) permanently disqualify from any sweepstakes it sponsors any person it believes has intentionally violated these official rules; (ii) suspend the collection of entries if the Sweepstakes becomes unfairly impaired in any way and to select winners from among all eligible entries received prior to such action. All images shown on Sweepstakes materials are for illustration purpose only and are not intended to be an exact representation of the prizes offered.

7. Legal: This Sweepstakes shall be governed by and interpreted under the laws of the State of Montana without regard to its conflicts of laws provisions. Any and all disputes, claims, and causes of action arising out of or in connection with this Sweepstakes, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action, and brought only in the state or federal courts serving the County of Missoula, Montana. Any attempt by an individual, whether or not an entrant, to deliberately damage, destroy, tamper with or vandalize or interfere with the operation of the Sweepstakes, is a violation of criminal and civil laws and Sponsor reserves the right to seek damages and diligently pursue all remedies and criminal prosecution against any such individual to the fullest extent permitted by law. Per California law, this release includes claims which the entrant does not know or suspect to exist at the time of the release. ANY CLAIMS, JUDGMENTS AND/OR AWARDS SHALL BE LIMITED TO ACTUAL OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH ENTERING THIS SWEEPSTAKES. ENTRANT HEREBY WAIVES ANY RIGHTS OR CLAIMS TO ATTORNEY'S FEES, INDIRECT, SPECIAL, PUNITIVE, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OF ENTRANT, WHETHER FORESEEABLE OR NOT and WHETHER BASED ON NEGLIGENCE OR OTHERWISE.

8. Release: Entrants, on their own behalf, and on behalf of their respective heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns ("Releasing Parties"), agree to release, defend and hold harmless Sponsor, any entity involved in the fulfillment of the prizes or the administration of the Sweepstakes, and the respective employees, officers, directors and agents of each ("Released Parties"), from any and all actions, causes of action, suits, debts, acts, controversies, lost profits, indirect or direct damages, consequential damages, incidental damages, punitive or exemplary damages, judgments, executions, claims, liabilities and demands whatsoever, in administrative law, law or equity, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, against Released Parties which any one or more of the Releasing Parties ever had, now have or hereafter can, shall or may have which in any way arise out of or result from entrant's participation in the Sweepstakes promotion, and/or the acceptance and use or misuse of any prize, including property damage, personal injury, or death.

9. Privacy: By entering, you may be contacted by the Sponsor or its agents with future promotional offers. Information provided by you to participate in this Sweepstakes is subject to Sponsor's privacy policy, located at www.rmef.org/PrivacyPolicy.

10. Warning: Some of the products offered as prizes and premiums in this sweepstakes can expose you to chemicals which are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

11. Winners List: When each winner is confirmed, winner names (first name and last initial only) and hometowns will be posted online at www.rmef.org/events/raffles-sweepstakes. Alternatively, to receive a winners list (available after 10/15/24), send a self-addressed, stamped envelope by 12/12/24 to: "RMEF 2024 Ultimate Elk Hunter Sweepstakes Winners List Request, P.O. Box 8249, Missoula, MT 59807.

12. Opt-Out: To opt-out of Sponsor's future sweepstakes mailings, send your request to: RMEF, Customer Service, P.O. Box 8249, Missoula, MT 59807.

Sponsor is the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, 5705 Grant Creek Road, Missoula, MT 59808. Sweepstakes proceeds will be used to support RMEF's mission and/or initiatives to ensure the future of elk, other wildlife, their habitat, and America's hunting heritage.

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