# HOSSACK STATION

**TROPHY HUNTING SOUTH ISLAND NEW ZEALAND** 

# **Red Stag**





# **Fallow Buck**





# **Bull Tahr**





# **Buck Chamois**







# **Seasonal Activity of New Zealand Game Animals**

Red Deer	Fallow Deer	<u>Tahr</u>	<u>Chamois</u>
Sep	Sep	Sep	Sep
Oct	Oct	Oct	Oct
Nov	Nov	Nov	Nov
Dec	Dec	Dec	Dec
Jan	Jan	Jan	Jan
Feb	Feb	Feb	Feb
Mar	Mar	Mar	Mar
Apr	Apr	Apr	Apr
May	May	May	May
Jun	Jun	Jun	Jun Dood
Jul	Jui	Jul	Jul
Aug	Aug	Aug	Aug
Antlers Cast	Antlers in Vel	vet Young Born	Rut



## Hossack Accomodation The Quarters (4 queen rooms)















## Hossack Accomodation The Homestead (1 king and 1 queen rooms)









# Hunting Areas













## **Testimonials**

"Hunting free range red stag had always been a dream of mine and in 2014 I started the planning process. After much research and talking to outfitters in Argentina, Europe, and New Zealand; The Hossack seemed to be the clear choice. After hunting at the Hossack in 2015, there's no doubt in my mind I made the right call and they surpassed all my expectations. Their skill and knowledge of the land is top notch. Just the property itself is something to be seen. I was able to harvest a SCI top twenty free range red stag on the first evening, and topped it off with a SCI top ten free range fallow deer later on in the week. Throughout the week we continued to see quality stags, chamois, and fallow deer. After we were all done hunting, there was still plenty to do. Fishing for brown trout, shooting pigs & hares, and visiting the nearby town of Hanmer Springs were all bonuses we got to do in our down time. I am actually returning to the Hossack for a Tahr and Chamois hunt in 5 days from the time I am writing this review and couldn't be more excited to get back out there. John makes the planning process an absolute breeze and all you basically have to worry about is getting yourself there. Even if you want to hunt something that's not on the Hossack, John will make it happen and will take you to where you need to be. Hunting at The Hossack in New Zealand should be on every hunter's bucket List."

#### Tyler Shanks, USA (2017) tyshanks50@yahoo.com - +1-775-762-7187

From the moment I got off the phone with Jonh Angland I had a feeling this was going to be an amazing time in New Zealand. The second we landed John and the other guides had everything sorted and the transition from Christchurch to the Hossack Station was seamless and we were boots on in the field glassing in no time at all. We booked our hunt for the famous Red Stag roar at the end of March for 5 days. The abundance of quality free range animals amazed me and I managed to dispatch my dream Red Stag only after doing some seriously hard climbing. The rest of my party hunted in the game park and the size of the animals in there are nothing short of astonishing! This hunt suited these guys as they prefer a less strenuous style of hunting. Once our main hunt was over we continued to the north of the property slowly making our way there on varmint patrol, knocking over hares, possums and some good size boars until we reached the breath taking fishing grounds on the Clarence River where the fishing kicked off for brown trout. The team who looked after us at the Hossack felt like family by the end of the trip! The years of hunting experience all over the world between Willy, Darren and John was seriously enjoyed around the fire with great food, great wine and very cold beer. The communal dinning area and outdoor fire was the centre stage for great stories and many laughs. The sleeping quarters were perfect after a hard day in the mountains, clean and warm! Its never hard getting out of bed at 5am with stags roaring outside your window! The moment I landed back in Sydney after this trip I booked again with another 3 mates and my father to come and take a bull tahr with John and the gang for the 2017 season. Well done guys what a special experience!

#### Andrew Lovell, Australia (2016) andrew@berkerleyconstructions.com.au - +61-499-123-400

"My wife, son and I visited New Zealand on vacation. While there, we spent a few days at the Hossack Station hunting with John and his crew. One of the highlights of our trip, was without a doubt the time spent at the Hossack Station. The hunting with John is world class, the scenery and accommodations are picture perfect, the meals are outstanding and the hospitality and comradery are priceless. It was a dream come true to visit New Zealand, I hope one day return the the Hossack!Thank You John, William and Pete for a experience of a lifetime."

Marshall Alexander, USA (2016) marshallblaine02@gmail.com

"It felt a lot like a great hunt at home in Nevada with a group of close friends; everybody hunted hard, walked hard, glassed hard, and had a great time talking about the day over dinner and a nice bottle of wine..."

#### Tony Shanks, USA (2015) tshanks@jensenprecast.com - +1-775-35206320

"After just finishing a six day hunt at The Hossack Station for free range Red Stag and Fallow Buck I have to say it was an unbelievable experience. The hospitality and hunting was great. From day one of the hunt saw excellent quality and size Red Stags. Was able to shoot a fantastic Red Stag after a great stalk and a nice Fallow Buck. The guides John Angland and Dean Kinzett were great at their knowledge of the terrain and advise in hunting the game.

On down time was able to do some brown trout fishing and stay at The Hossack Station hut on the Clarence River where we caught some nice brown trout. There were also feral goats, pigs, rabbits and hares to shoot at throughout the trip. I plan to hunt again at The Hossack Station."

# Arnold Esslinger (2014) aesslinger1@gmail.com

"Sooz and I have returned home and checked back into the rat race, but we both often reflect on our time at the Hossack. Wanted to thank both of you and Jeremy for going above and beyond to make our time at the Hossack both comfortable and enjoyable. The accommodations were great and the New Zealand hunting was both interesting and exciting, we were thrilled with our stag (He is at our taxidermist) and would recommend the Hossack to anyone who might be entertaining the idea of a red stag hunt in combination with a family outing. It was great to get to know you all and thanks again for a nice introduction to NZ."

#### Steve Crutchfield, USA (2012) scrutchfield@hmh.com - +1-916-317-7459

"The Hossack is great and way more than what I ever dreamed it would be. The guys here are the best and make it very comfortable. I can't wait to come back. I am ready to book another trip. I shot my first red stag, a 21 pointer. I can't say enough good about this place. We can't wait to see you again."

#### Dru McDonald, USA (2011) mcdonalddru@aol.com - +1-530-5264-222

"The Snow was coming down big fluffy and harder now. We spotted a couple excellent Chamois just up above us. We could just make them out through the flakes. Then we saw the hinds right there too but a bit below them. Just around the bend, and there was our stag. Pete caught sight of him first, and yes, the big ones look big right away. The stag at seeing us, jumped down a small ravine as John got the binoculars on him and I maneuvered into a shooting position. When he popped back up to see what we were he gave us a perfect broadside look at him. "That's what we're looking for" John said. "Take him if you've got a shot and want him". I didn't need to hesitate and think. He is why I came to The Hossack from Minnesota, and more then I could have hoped for a chance at. My aim was true and the Hossack Royal Stag was down. Congratulations, hand shakes, and big smiles all around. My first New Zealand, Red Stag and what a great trophy. The Hossack is a big and beautiful place with the huge free range hunting area stretching far and wide. You guys are fantastic, and I especially appreciate the care you took allowing my father and I to spend some treasured time together. While dad at 87 still gets around, a much different pace and plan was required. John and Pete, you made it all run smooth and never missed a beat. I can't thank you all at the Hossack enough for such a wonderful experience. Yours is some wonderful scenic, well managed country with quality animals in those mountains. The surroundings, new friends and memories made will long be cherished. Thanks guys.... Well done!"

Ron Herrmann, USA (2009) herm3@usfamily.net

## **Trophy Hunting Price List at The Hossack**

All prices quoted are in US\$ and include New Zealand Goods and Services Tax (GST) of 15% where applicable. This price list is valid from 1st Janurary 2018. Hossack Station Limited reserves the right to amend the fees quoted, general conditions and terms of business.

Observer day rate (per person)	\$250
Two hunters one guide day rate (per person)	\$350
Hunter day rate (per person)	\$450
Red Stags	Trophy Fee
Red Stag (Management hunt)	\$2,500
Wild Red Stag (With Hossack Royal Guarantee)	\$4,000
Red Stag SCI Bronze Medal	\$4,000
Red Stag SCI Silver Medal	\$5,500
Red Stag SCI Gold Medal	\$7,500
Red Stag SCI 380 - 399	\$10,000
Red Stag SCI 400 - 449	\$15,000
Red Stag SCI 450 - 499	\$20,000
Red Stag SCI 500 - 525	\$25,000
Please <u>contact us</u> for quotes on Red Stags above SCI 525	
Other Game Animals	
Goat	\$750
Ram	\$1,000
Boar	\$1,000
Buck Chamois	\$3,750
Fallow Buck	\$3,750
Himalayan Bull Tahr	\$4,500

### Hunting Packages at The Hossack Station

HOSSACK ROYAL GUARANTEE (for Free Range Red Stags) If for whatever reason (other than wounding a stag) you do not harvest a wild and free red stag, you will have the option to hunt our 2000 acre game park and harvest a royal (6x6) red stag at no additional cost. Free Range Red Stag Hunt This is a professionally guided 5 day hunt for a majestic Wild and Free Range Red Stag on our private 25,000 acre ranch. Additional animals and extra days can be added to this exciting hunt. Best times are during the roar (rut) in March and April. The "Hossack Royal Guarantee" applies to this hunt. The Trophy Fee and Hunter Day Rate (see below) is included in the cost of US \$6,250 per hunter.

**Classic Hossack Hunt (Free Range Red Stag & Free Range Buck Chamois)** This is a professionally guided 5 day hunt which takes you into both the Hossack's native bush valleys and alpine pastures in search of the majestic Wild and Free Range Red Stag and the inquisitive buck chamois. Limited numbers of this classic hunt are available each season. Additional animals and extra days can be added to this exciting hunt. Best times are during April and May. The "Hossack Royal Guarantee" applies to this hunt. The Trophy Fees and Hunter Day Rate (see below) is included in the cost of US \$9,250 per hunter.

**Free Range Red Stag and Free Range Fallow Buck** This is a professionally guided 5 day hunt for a majestic Wild and Free Range Red Stag and the elusive Fallow Buck on our private 25,000 acre ranch. Additional animals and extra days can be added to this exciting hunt. Best times are during late March and April. The "Hossack Royal Guarantee" applies to this hunt. The Trophy Fees and Hunter Day Rate (see below) is included in the cost of US \$9,250 per hunter.

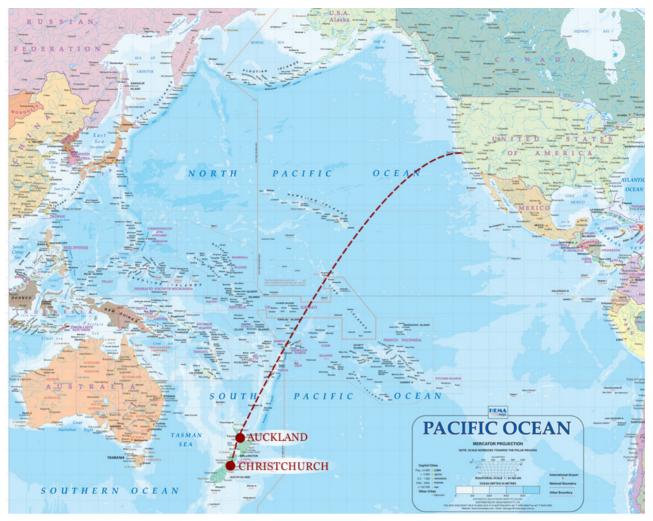
**Free Range Red Stag and Bull Tahr** This is a professionally guided 7 day hunt for a majestic Wild and Free Range Red Stag on our private 25,000 acre ranch and a formidable Bull Tahr in the mountains near by. Additional animals and extra days can be added to this challenging hunt which takes you to the Hossack's valleys and the heights of the South Island's mountains. Best times are during April, May or June. The "Hossack Royal Guarantee" applies to this hunt. The Trophy Fees and Hunter Day Rate (see below) is included in the cost of US \$10,250 per hunter.

**Management Hunts** We have estate and wild hunting for management stags for US\$2,500 per stag plus the Hunter Day Rate (see below). Management stags are of inferior quality carrying antlers or 10 points or less. There is also some free culling of wild pigs (non trophy) at the Hossack plus small game eg. rabbits, hares and possums, including spotlighting at night.

**Hunter Day Rate** The day rate of US\$450 per day reduces to US\$350 per day if it is a 2x1 hunt ie 2 hunters, one guide. This includes all transport to and from Christchurch International Airport to and on the hunting areas, all food, accommodation, guiding services, field preparation of your trophies, wine and beer, and visit to a local taxidermist. Free use of our rifles and shotguns is also included.

**Observer Day Rate** For observers the day rate is US\$250. Side trips include sightseeing and shopping in Hanmer Springs plus hot pools, golf course, horse trekking, etc. A local bungy jumping, jet boating and quad motorbike business operates nearby which is suitable for both adults and children. Most observers prefer to simply relax in the privacy and peacefulness that the Hossack offers.

Local Venison We always feed our guests on venison and wild pork from the Hossack during their stay. A young red deer can be harvested by you on the day of arrival at no charge.



12 hours and a half from Los Angeles to Auckland and 1 hour and 20 mins from Auckland to Christchurch





We recommend that you contact Kit Schultze at Esplanade Travel in Boston (kit@esplandetravel.com phone / 1-800-626-4893) to obtain a quote on discounted US and NZ add-on airfares.



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