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#### **DRIVEN WOLF HUNT**

Location: St. Petersburg, Karelia, 200-300 miles from St. Petersburg

Season dates: January 25-March 15

**Hunting method:** Traditional driven flagged hunt **Accommodations:** Fully equipped hunting lodge

Group size: 4-8 Price: \$2500

Additional day of hunting: \$300

**Trophy fee:** wolf \$600, lynx \$4000, wolverine \$1500

## Included in the price:

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area;

Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of several guides; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Preserving, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities; Trophy fee; CITES permits.

## **Itinerary**

Day 1: Arrival to St. Petersburg and transfer to the hunting lodge.

Day 2-8: 7 days of hunting

Day 8-9: Return to St. Petersburg for a flight home.

**Details:** The number of wolves in the St. Petersburg region and Karelia has been increasing for the past two decades despite active hunting, which has a huge adverse impact on the number of moose and wild boar in this part of Russia. We offer a traditional driven flagged wolf hunt. This requires locating a pack, consisting of 3 to 6 animals, surrounding it with a rope approximately 3.5-5 miles (5-8 km) long with a narrow opening where shooters are located, and pushing wolves towards the shooting line. Shots are taken from a short distance, usually using 12 gauge shotguns loaded with buckshot. Drives are organized every other day. Hunters should be in good physical condition, dressed in layers and wearing snow camo suites. Additionally, hunters can choose to hunt lynx or wolverine with the dogs.







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#### **DUCKS IN THE VOLGA DELTA**

Location: Volga River Delta

Season dates: September 1-December 31

Hunting method: from the boat blind over decoys

Accommodations: floating hotel

**Price per person:** \$3600 group of 4 -5; \$3900 group of 2-3; \$4500 solo

## **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Moscow; Reception in Astrakhan airport and transfer to the hunting area; Accommodation during the hunt; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Motorboat; Services of 1 guide per 1-2 hunters; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Gun rent or gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; Unlimited bag; Trophy freezing.

## Not included in the price:

Ammunition (approximately \$20 per box of 25); Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Hotel in Moscow; Bird skinning; Preservation, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Moscow, overnight in Moscow

Day 2: flight to Astrakhan, ground transfer to the hunting area

Day 3-8: 6 days of hunting

Day 9: return to Moscow for a flight home

**Details:** Volga River Delta, a breeding ground for almost 1 million birds, is one the best locations in Europe for waterfowl hunting. The region offers a wide variety of waterfowl, among which there are over a dozen species of ducks, including mallard, gadwall, northern shoveler, northern pintail, smew, ruddy shelduck, European wigeon, greater scaup, tufted duck, red-crested pochard, garganey, and green-winged teal, as well as grey lag, bean, and white-fronted goose. The best time is the first few days of the season and from November 15 until the end of the season. Late-season weather is usually not cold, with temperatures generally staying above freezing.



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#### WINTER/SPRING EASTERN CAPERCAILLIE

Location: Yelizovo district, Kamchatka peninsula

Season dates: January 12-February 28; May 12-21

**Hunting method:** stalking

Accommodations: hunting cabin, hotel

Price per person: \$3300 group of 4-5; \$3600 group of 2-3; \$4500 solo Additional

trophies: second capercaillie \$500, wolverine \$2000

#### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Petropavlovsk; Accommodation during the hunt; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Transfer to the hunting area; Transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Gun rent and ammo or gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 capercaillie; Trophy freezing.

#### Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Bird skinning; Preservation, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Petropavlovsk, transfer to the hunting area.

Day 2-7: 6 days of hunting

Day 8: return to Petropavlovsk, for a flight home

**Details:** Black billed or Western capercaillie hunt is done by stalking along the roads during the winter season and on the lek during the spring season. Unlike western capercaillie, which loses hearing during a particular part of mating song, Eastern capercaillie maintains good hearing at all times, making stalking very difficult. Bringing winter clothes in layers is important to adjust to any air temperature.







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#### **EURASIAN LYNX HUNT**

Location: St. Petersburg, Karelia

**Season dates:** November 15 – March 15 **Hunting method:** Tracking with dogs

Accommodations: Fully equipped hunting lodge

Group size: 1-2 Price: \$5700

Additional day of hunting: \$400

Additional trophies: wolf \$600, wolverine \$1500

## Included in the price:

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of at least two guides; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; hunting license; CITES permit

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Preserving, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

## **Itinerary**

Day 1: Arrival to St. Petersburg and transfer to the hunting lodge.

Day 2-6: 5 days of hunting

Day 7: Return to St. Petersburg for a flight home.

**Details:** Eurasian lynx found in Russian taiga forests is the largest among the species. Mature males can exceed 30 kg (65 lbs). Lynx is almost exclusively hunted with dogs. The best time is early in the season when the snow cover is not too deep, and the dogs can move freely, or later in the season when it is deep enough to use snowmobiles. Temperature can be as low as -25C to - 40C (-10F to -40F). This hunt has been 100% successful. Additional trophies include wolf or wolverine.







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#### FALL AMUR BROWN BEAR HUNT

Location: Sovetsko-Gavansky district, Khabarovsk krai

**Season dates:** September 10 – October 30

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock

Accommodations: Remote cabin with an electric generator, satellite phone, sauna

Price: \$8,900 group of 2; 9,500 solo

Additional trophies: Manchurian wapiti \$3000

## **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Khabarovsk airport; Accommodation in the hunting area;

Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; CITES permit; 1 bear.

### Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Khabarovsk before or after the hunt; Conservation, shipping or transporting trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Khabarovsk, overnight in Khabarovsk

Day 2: 10-12 hour drive to the hunting area

Day 3-9: 7 days of hunting

Day 10: return to Khabarovsk, overnight in Khabarovsk

Day 11: flight home

**Details:** This spot and stock hunt takes place in Siberian pine forests and along small streams during keta (chum) salmon spawning period, where bears congregate in very large numbers to fatten up on ripening pine nuts and fish. Finding bears at this time of the year is easy and most hunters take their trophy.





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#### FALL EURASIAN BROWN BEAR HUNT

**Location:** St. Petersburg, Karelia, 200-700 miles E or NE from St. Petersburg

Season dates: August 20-September 30

Hunting method: From high stand over oat fields or meat bait

Accommodations: Fully equipped hunting lodge or remote log cabin

Price: St. Petersburg \$6350/Karelia \$6550 for 2-3 hunters; St. Petersburg \$6750/Karelia \$7050 solo Additional day of

**hunting:** \$400

Additional trophies: second bear \$3500, moose \$2500, wolverine \$1500

### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area;

Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 bear.

### Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Preserving and shipping trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; CITES permit; Gratuities.

## **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to St. Petersburg and transfer to the hunting lodge.

Day 2-8: 7 days of hunting

Day 9: return to St. Petersburg for a flight home.

**Details:** These are some of the best hunts in the European part of Russia. The bear population during the past 20 years has been very stable. The usual trophy size is about 7 ft., although 8 - 8.5 ft. bears have been taken by our clients every year. The record bear taken in the Pskov region in 1999 had a scull measured in excess of 27 inches (69 cm) The success rate is about 90%. Some hunters take more than one bear. The weather is usually mild and can be rainy. Moose hunt can be added from September 5 and wolverine can be added from September 15. Bating by meat in the northern part of Karelia makes this hunt suitable for bow.

Baiting by planted oats is used in the areas closer to St. Petersburg. Each additional trophy requires 3 extra days of hunting. Moose requires extra 3 days of hunting.





### FALL EUROPEAN WOODCOCK HUNT IN KAERLIA AND ST. PETERSBURG

Location: St. Petersburg, Novgorod, Karelia

Season dates: September 15 – October 20

**Hunting method:** Over dogs

Accommodations: Fully equipped hunting lodge

**Price per person:** \$2500 group of 3-6; \$2800 group of 2; \$3000 solo **Our dog:** 

\$150 per day

## Included in the price:

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Gun rent and ammo; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; Unlimited woodcocks.

#### Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Preservation, shipping or transportation of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to St. Petersburg and transfer to the hunting lodge.

Day 2-6: 5 days of hunting

Day 7: return to St. Petersburg for a flight home.

**Details:** St Petersburg region and Karelia offers some of the best fall woodcock hunts in Russia. Hunt takes place during fall migration. With good dogs during the peak season, hunters can expect to have 15-30 flashes per day. For best results, hunters should be prepared to walk up to 15 kilometers over heavily forested terrain each day. Other birds, including black grouse, hazel grouse and snipe can be taken too. Package prices are based on hunters bringing their dogs. Our dogs can be provided for an additional fee.







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#### FALL KAMCHATKA FAR EASTERN BROWN BEAR HUNT

Location: Ust-Kamchatsky district, Kamchatka peninsula

**Season dates:** August 20 – November 1

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock

Accommodations: Remote cabin with electric generator, satellite phone, hot shower, sauna

**Price:** \$12,000

## **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Petropavlovsk airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Veterinary permit; 1 bear.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Petropavlovsk before or after the hunt; Conservation, shipping or transporting trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities; CITES permit;

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Petropavlovsk, 9-hour drive to Kozyrevsk, overnight in Kozyrevsk.

Day 2: 55-minute helicopter flight to hunting camp

Day 3-12: 10 days of hunting

Day 13: return to Petropavlovsk, overnight in Petropavlovsk Day

14: flight home

**Details:** The camp is located south of 15,000 ft. Kamen volcano, and north of a large federal wildlife preserve. The preserve provides a constant supply of trophy bears. Bear hunt in the fall season is conducted by spot and stalk over blueberry patches, dwarf pine thickets, reach in pine nuts and salmon streams. During this time of the year, bears are so preoccupied with eating that often they allow hunters to come within 50-100 yards. Hunters should expect to spend 2-3 days at a time away from the base camp, staying overnight in hunting tents or shacks. Rains are common, sometimes keeping hunters inside of cabins for a few days.







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#### HIMALAYAN SNOWCOCK AND DAURIAN PARTRIDGE

**Location:** near Chaldybar, Kyrgyzstan **Season dates:** September - November

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock, no horses

Accommodations: Base camp - cabin with electric generator and running water; spike camps

**Number of hunters: 2-4** 

**Price:** 2 hunter \$7,500; 3 hunters \$6,500; 4 hunters \$6,000

Additional trophies: Daurian partridge (no charge)

## Included in the price:

Reception and assistance in Bishkek airport; Ground transfers; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Dedicated cook in a camp; Gun permit (rifle); Shotgun rent; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 cock

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel and meals in Bishkek before or after the hunt; Trophy skinning and conservation; Shipping trophies from Kyrgyzstan; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

## **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Bishkek, car ride to the base camp, overnight in base camp

Day 2-10: 9 days of hunting Day 11: rerun to Bishkek Day 12: flight home

**Details:** The Himalayan snowcock is a solitary and elusive bird, requiring excellent knowledge of the habitat, patience, and stamina for a successful hunt. We recommend using rifles chambered for small caliber ammo, including 17 Hornet, 17 Rem, 22-250, 220 Swift, 223 Rem, and 22 Hornet, loaded with FMJ bullets. Shooting distance is between 100-200 meters. 22 LR may not work. If time allows, hunters may shoot Daurian partridge, native pheasants, and red-legged partridge at lower elevations. The best time is late October - early November when the show pushes the birds from higher elevations, and the birds form flocks. The base camp is approximately a 5-hour drive from Bishkek at 2000 m (7,000 ft) above sea level. The spike camp is 3-4 hours away from the base camp, at 10,000 ft above sea level. The snowcock hunt is by foot, at about 3-3,500 m (1011,000 ft).







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#### MOOSE HUNT IN KAMCHATKA PENINSULA

Location: Ust-Kamchatsky district, Kamchatka peninsula

Season dates: September 27 – October 10

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock

Accommodations: Remote cabin with electric generator, satellite phone, hot shower, sauna Group size: 2-

4

**Price:** \$16,000

Additional trophies: brown bear \$5000

#### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Petropavlovsk airport; Accommodation in the hunting area;

Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip bus transfer to Kozyrevsk; Roundtrip helicopter flight to the camp; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 bull; arctic char fishing during free time.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Petropavlovsk before or after the hunt; Conservation, shipping or transporting trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Petropavlovsk, 8-hour drive to Kozyrevsk, overnight in Kozyrevsk.

Day 2: 55-minute helicopter flight to hunting camp

Day 3-12: 10 days of hunting

Day 13: return to Petropavlovsk, overnight in Petropavlovsk

Day 14: flight home

**Details:** Kamchatka moose, genetically identical to Chukotka moose (Alces alces buturlini), is one of the largest moose subspecies in the world. Kamchatka peninsula moose population is close to 6000 and it is getting larger. Hunt is conducted by spot and stock. Later in the season, with the foliage down, spotting moose above the brush becomes easier. Hunters should expect to spend 2-3 days at a time away from the base camp, staying overnight in hunting tents or shacks. Rains are common, sometimes keeping hunters inside of cabins for a few days.







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#### KAMCHATKA SNOW SHEEP HUNT

**Location:** Ust-Kamchatsky district, Kamchatka peninsula

**Season dates:** August 3 - September 18 (Aug 3-16, Aug 14-27, Aug 27-Sep 7, Sep 5-18)

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock

Accommodations: Heated tents, electric generator, satellite phone, radio

Number of hunters: 1-4

**Price:** \$24,500

**Additional trophies:** Bear \$5000

### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Petropavlovsk airport; Roundtrip transfer to the hunting area, including a helicopter flight; Accommodation in the hunting area in heated tents equipped with cots; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Dedicated cook in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Veterinary certificate; 1 ram.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Petropavlovsk before or after the hunt; Preserving and Shipping or transporting trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; International phone calls from the camp; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Petropavlovsk, 9 hour bus transfer to the village of Kozyrevsk, overnight in Kozyrevsk

Day 2: 1hour helicopter flight to the base camp, unpacking, sighting weapons

Day 3-12: 10 days of hunting

Day 13: return to Petropavlovsk, overnight in Petropavlovsk

Day 14: flight home

**Details:** The camp is located in the middle of the sheep country at 3000 ft (900 m) above sea level. Hunters can expect to see several rams during the trip. The hunt is not very demanding physically, requiring walking about 6 miles a day. Trophy size ranges from 35 to 43 inches, 37 inches average. Hunters capable of walking longer distances tend to get better trophies. The daytime temperature hovers around 70F (20C) in August. Long rains with strong winds are not uncommon. There could be occasional nighttime snowfalls towards the end of the season, but the snow does not stay on the ground for more than a few hours. Hunters can take a brown bear near the base camp, a half-day walk from the spike camp if time allows.







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#### MARAL STAG AND SIBERIAN ROE DEER IN KAZAKHSTAN

Location: Shal-Akyn district, Kazakhstan

Season dates: July 15-December 15

Hunting method: stalking, driven hunts for groups of 3-6

Accommodations: fully equipped hunting cabin with electricity, running water, bathroom and shower

Price per person: \$4700 group of 3-6 hunters; \$5600 1-2 hunters

Trophy fees: marql stag \$4500, roe deer \$1500

Additional trophies: moose \$3300, wolf \$550, wild boar \$900

#### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Astana airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; Preserving, shipping or transporting of trophies from Kazakhstan; Trophy export permit; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Astana, 6-hour ground transfer to the hunting cabin.

Day 2-8: 7 days of hunting

Day 9: return to Astana

**Details:** The hunting area consists of grassy fields and forested hills, totaling over 1000000 acres. The best time for maral hunt is September 15-December 15. The best time for Siberian roe deer is July 20-November 30. In December, when snow cover gets deep, hunters may have to use skis. Maral and roe deer hunts can be combined between September 15 and November 30. Trophies are excellent, with stags reaching 17 kg and Siberian roe deer often exceeding 1000 gr. Wolf can be taken as a trophy of opportunity. Shooting distance is between 100-400 yards.







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#### MARAL STAG IN ALTAI

**Location:** Ust'-Koksa, Altai, Russia **Season dates:** October 15-December 31

**Hunting method:** stalking

**Accommodations:** rustic hunting cabins **Price:** \$8100 group of 2 or 3; \$9100 solo **Additional day of hunting:** \$400

Additional trophies: brown bear \$4000, ibex \$3000, musk deer \$1500

## Included in the price:

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 bull.

## Not included in the price:

International airfare, Domestic airfare (approximately \$450); Insurance of any kind; Preserving, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

## **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Moscow.

Day 2: overnight flight to Gorno-Altaysk, 400 mile (600 km), 4x4 ride to the village of Ust'-Koksa, overnight in Ust-Koksa

Day 3: two hour ATV ride to the hunting camp, sighting weapons, getting used to the horses

Day 4-10: 7 days of hunting

Day 11: return to Gorno-Altaysk, overnight in Gorno-Altaysk

Day 12: flight to Moscow

**Details:** This will primarily be a horseback hunt. In December, when snow cover gets deep, hunters may have to use skis. Maral and ibex hunts can be combined between October 15 and November 30. Bear, wolf and musk deer can often be taken as trophies of opportunity. Shooting distance is typically 300-400 yards.







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#### MARCO POLO SHEEP HUNT IN KYRGYZSTAN

**Location:** Issyk-kul district, Kyrgyzstan **Season dates:** August 10 – December 5

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock

Accommodations: Cabins, electric generator, satellite phone, radio

**Number of hunters: 1-2** 

**Price:** \$32,000

Additional trophies: Wolf \$1,500; Ibex \$4,000

## Included in the price:

Reception and assistance in Bishkek airport; Ground transfers; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Transportation during the hunt; Horses; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Dedicated cook in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; CITES permit; 1 ram.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel and meals in Bishkek before or after the hunt; Shipping trophies from Kyrgyzstan; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Bishkek, car ride to the hunting area.

Day 2-11: 10 days of hunting

Day 12: return to Bishkek, overnight in Bishkek

Day 13: flight home

**Details:** Kyrgyzstan argali is, on average smaller than Tajikistan. However, trophies well over 50 inches and up to 60 are not unusual. A car ride from Bishkek to the hunting area takes about 7 hours. The base camp is located at 3,200 meters (10,500 ft.) above sea level. The camp has warm cabins, an indoor toilet, running water, and electricity from the generator. There is a satellite phone for emergencies. Hunting takes place at altitudes of 3,000 - 4,000 meters (9,500 - 12,500 ft.) and requires good physical endurance. Hunters should expect to spend up to 6-8 hours per day riding horses. Daytime temperature is around +10C (+50F) in the fall and -20C (-4F) in the winter. At night it can drop to -40C (-40F). Hunters must bring sleeping bags, camo clothes according to the season, sunglasses, spotting scope, binoculars, and sunscreen. Shots are expected within 300-600 yards range, therefore flat shooting rifle with good optics and a range finder is necessary.







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#### MID-ASIAN IBEX IN KRGYZSTAN HUNT

Location: Issyk-Kul region

Season dates: August 10-December 3

**Hunting method:** stalking

Accommodations: rustic hunting cabins, electric generator, hot water, indoor toilet

**Price:** \$7500 group of 2 or 3; \$8500 solo

Additional day of hunting: \$375

Additional trophies: wolf \$1500, second ibex \$4000

### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Bishkek airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and horses during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 ibex.

#### Not included in the price:

International airfare, Insurance of any kind; Preserving, shipping or transporting of trophies from Kyrgyzstan; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Hotel in Bishkek, Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Bishkek, 6-8 hour car ride to the hunting camp

Day 2: getting used to the horses and high altitude environment, zeroing rifles, rest Day 3-8: 6 days of hunting

Day 9: return to Bishkek, overnight in Bishkek

Day 10: flight home

**Details:** The camp is located south of the Lake Issyk-Kul at 10,000 ft. (2700 meters) above the sea level, and the hunt takes place at 11,000 to 14,000 ft (3300-4300 meters), which can be a challenge for those who are not acclimatized to high altitude environments. Hunters will be moving on horses, but getting into a shooting position will require dismounting horses and moving on foot. Shooting distance is typically 300-500 yards. Wolf can be taken as a trophy of opportunity.







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#### **OKHOTSK SNOW SHEEP HUNT**

Location: Khabarovsk Krai

Season dates: August 1-12, September 20-30

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock

Accommodations: Tents, electric generator, satellite phone, radio

Number of hunters: 2-4

**Price:** \$22,000

Additional trophies: second ram \$5000, brown bear \$4000

### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Khabarovsk airport; Accommodation in the hunting area;

Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Dedicated cook in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 ram.

### Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Khabarovsk before or after the hunt; Preserving and shipping or transporting trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Khabarovsk, overnight in Khabarovsk.

Day 2: flight to the town of Okhotsk; helicopter or a motor boat transfer to the hunting camp Day 3-11: 9 days of hunting

Day 12: return to Okhotsk; overnight in Okhotsk

Day 13: flight to Khabarovsk; overnight in Khabarovsk

Day 14: return home

**Details:** The camp equipped with heated tents, portable toilet, portable sauna, gas stove and electric generator is located near the shore of the sea of Okhotsk. The altitude of the mountain ranges does not exceed 5900 feet (1800 meters). Hunters can expect to see several rams during the trip. Trophy size ranges from 34 to 41 inches. The typical shooting distance is under 660 feet (200 meters). The daytime temperature stays at  $50/77^{\circ}$  F ( $+10/+25^{\circ}$  C), at night the temperature falls down to  $41^{\circ}$  F ( $+5^{\circ}$ C).







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#### RUTTING SEASON EUROPEAN MOOSE HUNT

**Location:** St. Petersburg, Karelia, 200-700 miles E or NE from St. Petersburg

Season dates: September 5-September 30

**Hunting method:** Bugling

Accommodations: Fully equipped hunting lodge or remote log cabin

Price: \$5500 group of 2; \$6000 solo Additional day of hunting: \$400

Additional trophies: brown bear \$3500

## **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance at St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 bull moose.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Preparation, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

### **Itinerary**

Day 1: Arrival to St. Petersburg and transfer to the hunting lodge.

Day 2-8: 7 days of hunting

Day 9: return to St. Petersburg for a flight home.

**Details:** Russian European moose population does not have as high density as other European countries, like for example, Sweden, but Russia offers by far better trophies. The usual trophy is similar to Canada moose found in Ontario and Quebec. The temperature can range from 0 to  $+15\Box$  C. Hunters should bring water proof tall boots, gloves and camo silent clothes. Brown bear can be added during the first half of September.







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#### SAKHALIN TAIMEN AND CHERRY TROUT

Location: Kabarovsky Krai, Koppi river

Season dates: July 1- September 15

Fishing method: Fly fishing, spincasting, catch and release

Accommodations: Modern cabins with plumbing and electricity

**Price per person:** \$4200 group of 5-6; \$4700 group of 4; \$5500 group of 3

#### **Included in the price:**

Meeting at the airports, ground transfers, license, interpreter, guides, lodging, three meals a day, motor boat, invitation and voucher.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Moscow if required; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Moscow, overnight in Moscow

Day 2: flight to Khabarovsk, transfer to the boat launch site

Day 3-9: 7 days of fishing

Day 10: return to Abakan

Day 11: flight to Moscow

**Details:** Koppi river is one of the best fishing rivers in the area. Fishing is essentially non-stop, catch and release. There is no commercial or sport fishing anywhere else in this area. Best time for catching Sakhalin taimen trout is July-August.



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### SIBERIAN IBEX, ALTAI

Location: Ust'-Koksa, Altai, Russia

Season dates: August 1-November 30

**Hunting method:** stalking

Accommodations: rustic hunting cabins

**Price:** \$7500 group of 2 or 3; \$8700 solo

Additional day of hunting: \$400

Additional trophies: brown bear \$4000, maral stag \$3500, musk deer \$1500

#### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 ibex.

#### Not included in the price:

International airfare, Domestic airfare (approximately \$450); Insurance of any kind; Preserving, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Moscow.

Day 2: overnight flight to Gorno-Altaysk, 400 mile (600 km), 4x4 ride to the village of Ust'-Koksa, overnight in Ust-Koksa

Day 3: two hour ATV ride to the hunting camp, sighting weapons, getting used to the horses Day 4-9: 6 days of hunting

Day 10: return to Gorno-Altaysk, overnight in Gorno-Altaysk

Day 11: flight to Moscow

**Deatails:** This will primarily be a horseback hunt. In December, when snow cover gets deep, hunters may have to use skis. Maral and ibex hunts can be combined between October 15 and November 30. Bear, wolf and musk deer can often be taken as trophies of opportunity. Shooting distance is typically 300-400 yards.







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#### SIBERIAN TAIMEN FISHING IN TUVA

Location: Tuva republic, Russia

**Season dates:** August 20 – September 30 **Fishing method:** Fly fishing, catch and release

Accommodations: Tent camp

**Price per person:** \$4200 group of 5-6; \$4700 group of 4; \$5500 group of 3

## **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Moscow and Abakan airport; All ground transfers; Meals and soft drinks during the trip; Use of airboats; Services of 1 guide, 1 cook and 1 interpreter; Invitation letter and voucher; Fishing license.

### Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Moscow if required; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Moscow, overnight in Moscow

Day 2: flight to Abakan, transfer to the boat launch site

Day 3-9: 7 days of fishing Day 10: return to Abakan Day 11: flight to Moscow

**Details:** This taimen trophy expedition takes you to one of the most remote places in Russia. Tuva is a mountainous republic located on the border of Russia and Mongolia. The area is very sparsely populated and has few roads. As the result, it has seen very little fishing pressure and offers outstanding fishing for many species of trout, including Siberian taimen. The tour starts in the town of Abakan with a 360 km (200 mi) drive to a tiny village on the shore of Yenisey river. The expedition will then board two large airboats for a spectacular ride along Yenisey and Hymsara rivers. Taimen fishing will start on the evening of the first day following 200 km trip and will continue for the duration of the journey during frequent stops at the mouths of tributaries feeding the Hymsara River, the favorite places for Taimen to feed.







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#### SPRING EURASIAN BROWN BEAR

**Location:** Karelia, 500-700 miles NE from St. Petersburg

Season dates: May 10-May 25

Hunting method: From high stand over meat bait

Accommodations: Fully equipped hunting lodge or remote log cabin

**Group size:** 1-3

Price: St. Petersburg \$6250/Karelia \$6650 for 2-3 hunters; St. Petersburg \$6750/Karelia \$7050 solo Additional day of

**hunting:** \$400

Additional trophies: capercaillie \$300; black cock \$150; second bear \$3500

## **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area;

Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; CITES permit; 1 bear.

### Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Preparation, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: Arrival to St. Petersburg and 4 hour transfer to the hunting lodge in St Petersburg and 12 hour in Karelia. Day 2-8: 7 days of hunting

Day 9: return to St. Petersburg for a flight home.

**Details:** These are some of the best hunts in the European part of Russia. The bear population during the past 20 years has been very stable. The usual trophy size is about 7.5 ft. square, although 8.5 ft. bears have been taken by our clients every year. The record bear taken in the Pskov region in 1999 had a scull measured in excess of 27 inches (69 cm) The success rate is about 90%. The weather is usually cool and dry, with melted snow water on the ground. Capercaillie and black cock hunt can be added if mating season is still active. High stands can be placed within 30 to 40 yards from the bate, making this hunt suitable for bow.





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#### SPRING KAMCHATKA FAR EASTERN BROWN BEAR HUNT

Location: Tigilsky district, Kamchatka peninsula

Season dates: April 22 – May 25

Hunting method: Spot and stock from snowmobiles

Accommodations: Remote cabin with electric generator, satellite phone, sauna

Price: \$12,000

## Included in the price:

Reception and assistance in Petropavlovsk airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; CITES permit; 1 bear.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Petropavlovsk before or after the hunt; Conservation, shipping or transporting trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Petropavlovsk, overnight in Petropavlovsk.

Day 2: flight to Palana village, Tigilsky district, transportation to the hunting cabin

Day 3-9: 7 days of hunting

Day 10: return flight to Petropavlovsk, overnight in Petropavlovsk

Day 11: flight home

**Details:** Kamchatka peninsula has the largest population of big salmon eating bears and currently holds the world record. The average trophy size taken during the spring season is over 9 ft. square. Spring hunts take place when bears emerge from hibernation, with the snow is still present on the ground, which aids in locating best trophies. The daytime temperature range is from -10 C to +5C in the spring (+20F to +40F). Shooting distance is within 200 yards. Hunters should bring white camo suites, warm clothes, sun glasses and sleeping bags.







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#### SPRING OKHOTSK FAR EASTERN BROWN BEAR HUNT

Location: Ayano-Maysky district, Khabarovsk Krai

Season dates: June 3-14

**Hunting method:** Spot and stock

Accommodations: Remote rugged cabin with electric generator, satellite phone, sauna

Group size: 2-4

Price: \$10,900 per hunter

Additional bear trophy: \$4000

## **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in Khabarovsk airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals, including seafood, caught right before cooking, and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip boat ride from Okhotsk; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Field trophy preparation; Gun permit; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 2 bears.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic airfare; Hotel in Khabarovsk before or after the hunt; Preservation, shipping or transporting trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; SITES permits; Gratuities.

## **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to Khabarovsk, overnight in Khabarovsk.

Day 2: flight to Okhotsk town followed by a 14 hours boat ride to the hunting camp located near the abandoned village of Kekra.

Day 3-9: 7 days of hunting.

Day 10: return boat ride to Okhotsk and a flight to Khabarovsk, overnight in Khabarovsk.

Day 11: flight home.

**Details:** Located on the mainland across the sea from the Kamchatka Peninsula it is a huge landmass with a tiny human population, which guarantees very little hunting pressure. In the spring and early summer, bears concentrate along the shoreline, eating dead smelt, fish roe, and shellfish, which can cover a shoreline to the depth of 2 inches. The bears are about the same size as the coastal bears of Kamchatka Peninsula, or Alaska. The average size of the bears' trophy is around 8.5 ft square. In some areas along the sea of Okhotsk shore during the spring hunt, it is possible to observe 30-50 and more bears at once from a single location. The success rate is over 100% because all hunters take 2 and sometimes more bears. Rocky terrain and short brush allow approaching bears within a short distance making this hunt perfect for bow hunters.







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#### SPRING WESTERN CAPERCAILLIE AND BLACK COCK HUNT

Location: St. Petersburg, Novgorod, Karelia

Season dates: April 20 – May 10

Hunting method: Capercaillie - stalking on the lek; black cock - from the blind on the lek

Accommodations: Fully equipped hunting lodge or cabin

**Price per person:** \$3400 group of 4 and more; \$3600 group of 3; \$3900 group of 2; \$4400 solo

#### **Included in the price:**

Reception and assistance in St. Petersburg airport; Accommodation in the hunting area; Meals and soft drinks during the hunt; Roundtrip ground transportation airport-hunting area and transportation during the hunt; Services of 1 guide per hunter; Services of 1 interpreter in a camp; Gun rent and ammo; Invitation letter and voucher; Hunting license; Trophy export permit; 1 capercaillie, 1 black cock, unlimited woodcocks.

## Not included in the price:

Insurance of any kind; International and domestic travel before and after the hunt; Bird skinning; Preservation, shipping or transporting of trophies from Russia; Cost of sightseeing tours; Ground transportation unrelated to hunting; Gratuities.

#### **Itinerary**

Day 1: arrival to St. Petersburg and transfer to the hunting lodge.

Day 2-6: 5 days of hunting

Day 7: return to St. Petersburg for a flight home.

**Details:** Capercaillie and black grouse is as plentiful in Russia today as it was in Europe hundreds of years ago. Capercaillie, the largest bird from the grouse family is very elusive. Stalking a capercaillie may require some practice. If you are unfamiliar with this hunt, our guides will explain all the tricks. Still you may need to make more than one attempt. The temperature can range from -10C to +15C (10F to 60F). Trophies must be either frozen, or skinned by a taxidermist. Bring a pair of rubber hip boots, warm gloves a hat and a waterproof, quiet jacket. Hunters should be prepared to face a major sleep disruption, because capercaillie hunt starts around midnight and black cock just before sunrise. Hunters who have enough energy could hunt woodcocks during the evening mating flight.



