

OFFICIAL TOURNAMENT RULES

1. To participate in the 2024 JCHA Big Buck Bash Hunting Tournament, hunters must register and pay their entry fees by **6:30 pm. Thursday, October 24, 2024.**
2. Official hunting dates and times: **October 25 & 26, 2024** during legal hunting hours.
3. Weigh-ins will be held at the Jones County Fair Grounds, 236 South King Street, Trenton, 11:00 am to 9:00 pm on the days of the tournament.
4. Hunters may hunt anywhere in North Carolina where they have a legal right to hunt. The Big Buck Bash Hunting Tournament does not provide property on which to hunt and accepts no responsibility for providing property on which to hunt.
5. No game will be taken in an illegal manner. All wildlife laws, rules, and regulations must be obeyed.
6. All legal weapons may be used including but not limited to bow & arrow, compound bow & arrow, rifles of legal caliber, and shotguns. Snaring and bludgeoning are not permitted.
7. Game must be weighed and scored on the same day that it is taken. No carry over game is allowed. (Day Game was shot)
8. No injection of any substance for the purpose of adding weight is allowed.
9. All deer must be properly registered and identified in accordance with NC laws, rules and regulations when taken. Any unregistered deer will be disqualified.
10. Any person with a valid N.C. Hunting License may enter the tournament. (Exception Youth)
11. No person may win more than one daily prize and one tournament prize.
12. Deer must be field dressed, i.e. gutted with reproductive organs removed and head and hooves still attached. All deer will be cut through the breast bone to the base of the neck (Hunter will be asked to go to the back of the line if the deer is not properly dressed).
13. Each hunter will be required to sign a legally-binding statement swearing under oath that he/she killed the deer he/she is entering, Prize winners may be subject to additional verification at the discretion of the JCHA.
14. All deer will be weighed by the JCHA Big Buck Bash Hunting Tournament Weigh Master Team. Each animal will be weighed and recorded to the nearest tenth. (.10) of a pound on the digital scales.
15. Only two deer (either sex) per day can be entered by hunter.
16. All Raffle Prizes must to be picked up by Nov. 6th.
17. Prizes maybe substituted at the JCHA's Discretion.

Jones County Hunters Association
BIG BUCK BASH
674 Henderson Road
Trenton, NC 28585

- ☐ Open Division
☐ Youth Division

Mail this Portion & Check
Payable to: JCHA Big Buck Bash

Big Buck Bash Hunter's Entry Form

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
PHONE: HOME _____ WORK _____ EMAIL _____
DATE OF BIRTH ____/____/____ (Parent or Guardian must sign below for hunters under age 16)

Entire Hunter's entry Form Must Be Filled Out To Be Eligible for Prizes.

Early Bird Entry Fee shall be \$40.00 per hunter/Open Division or \$20.00 per hunter/Youth Division and must be received along with entry form before 6:30 pm Monday, October 14, 2024. With your EARLY BIRD registration, participants will be entered into a gun drawing. Registration fee after **October 14, 2024** shall be \$50.00 per hunter/Open Division or \$30.00 per hunter/Youth Division and participants will not be eligible to enter gun drawing at that time. I, as Entrant, do hereby Release, discharge, and hold harmless. Jones County Hunters Association, its officers, directors, sponsors, and agents, whether individual or corporate, from any claim for damages to my person or property incurred by my participation in the tournament. By signing the entry for and paying entry fee. I acknowledge that I have read this release and am bound by the same. This release shall also be binding on my heirs, executors, administrators or assigns.

Official ticket will be mailed or held at Registration desk located at Jones County Fair Grounds.

Signature (Required) _____ Date ____/____/20____

JONES COUNTY HUNTERS ASSOC.

THIRD ANNUAL BIG BUCK BASH

TOURNAMENT PRIZES

Biggest Deer By Weight

BUCK:	First Place	\$1500
	Second Place	\$700
	Third Place	\$300
	Fourth Place	\$100
	Fifth Place	Free Entry for Next Year

DOE:	First Place	\$1200
	Second Place	\$700
	Third Place	\$300
	Fourth Place	\$100
	Fifth Place	Free Entry for Next Year

DAILY PRIZES

Biggest Deer By Weight

BUCK:	First Place	\$125
	Second Place	\$100
	Third Place	\$75
	Fourth Place	\$50

DOE:	First Place	\$125
	Second Place	\$100
	Third Place	\$75
	Fourth Place	\$50

YOUTH DIVISION TOURNAMENT PRIZES

Biggest Deer By Weight

BUCK:	First Place	\$250
	Second Place	\$100
	Third Place	\$75
	Fourth Place	\$50

DOE:	First Place	\$250
	Second Place	\$100
	Third Place	\$75
	Fourth Place	\$50

BONUS PRIZES will be awarded if the 2024 Tournament 1st Prize buck or doe exceeds the heaviest weight of any previous Pollocksville Big Game Hunting Tournament.

Record Buck – 218.3 lbs.
Record Doe – 118.8 lbs.

Title Holder, Joseph Winters, 2001
Title Holder, Megan Barwick, 2023

Prize – \$200
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