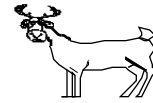


Deer Talk



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What are most people thinking of these days that starts with **D**, and I don't mean **Deer**? It's **DOLLARS**. They're falling harder than a Buck hit with a .58 cal. slug. What does that mean to us? An old rule of economics: "When Dollars go down, prices go up." Businesses are "down sizing" others are closing their doors, and gas prices... "forget-about-it IS THERE ANY GOOD NEWS? You ask. Most definitely!!



WE ARE OPEN AND DOIN' BUSINESS.

Here's what happened last season:

How many of you did not bother to read the NJ Hunting Digest? A friend of **Gregory M.** had a fine **BUCK** under his stand very first day, and didn't shoot it... And you know the Rest-of-That-Story.

Alex Agnoletto, a young boy in his teens shot his first buck, ever. Alex and his father came to pick the deer up. **Alex** couldn't believe how much deer he got back. He thought he was going to get 5-10 Lbs ground, and a steak or two. He got more venison than he bargained for. We are proud to be part of a very pleasant experience, that has affected a young (very young) man for the rest of his life.

Maurice Jones got his 9 pointer the hard way. With a car.

Has any one ever heard of an "Expander" broadhead? You'll have to find and talk to **Mike Beckage** or **Ken McCayley**. All I heard was, "The blood trail is impressive and entry hole 5" across."

Andy Kowalski brought a deer in for us to process. He asked for 5lb Kielbasa. Our son, Jim, gave him a small sample to take home to make sure his family would like it. **Andy** called us that night and said, "I'm Polish and, your kielbasa is the best I've ever tasted." He changed his order from 5lb to 25lb

Meet the Tagliareni family.

Most of them live in Bayonne, but come out to Hunterdon County to hunt. This past season this hunting family bagged 11 deer. Earlier this year members of the **Tagliareni** family used a kitchen in their Bayonne Church and cooked venison eight different ways. City dwellers came from all over to partake in this charitable fund raiser. Sorry, but our photo only shows three of the six family members.



Two years ago **Bill MacEllara** ordered 10 **LEBANON BOLOGNA**. Last year he doubled it, and ordered 20. Boy, I can't wait till this year.

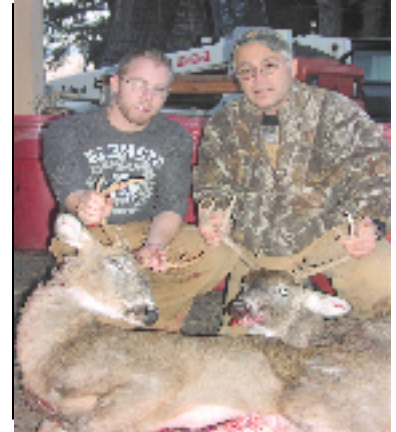
New This Year Tender Cube Steaks

Hunters Helping the Hungry

To the delight of most hunters, Fish & Wildlife did away with having to "earn-a-buck and bank-a-doe", last season. That meant you could shoot your trophy very first day. Believe it or not many hunters had their chance, but apparently didn't read The NJ Digest. The flip side of the rule changes was bad for us (200 deer less). More importantly the HHH Food Bank Donation did not receive the number of deer as in the past.

Mendham has a group of hunters that agree to hunt all season and donate most of the deer to the Food Bank. Steven Summerer and his son Chance, (photo to the right) shot a lot of deer in Mendham and donated them to our food bank. We in turn cut them up.

This last season the harvest was down, due to the State changes in hunting regulations. **NORWESCAP**, our local food bank, reported total of 8,506 lbs of venison was donated by hunters, and other venison donated by a few Municipalities. The Food Banks could use double that amount, but there is no money to support the program. As for giving money: You, the hunters, are really stepping up to the plate and contributing both deer and dollars.



THANK YOU SO MUCH!!

Vince C. Just closed on some property in PA, middle of October. He decided to hunt his new property, first day out **BANG** 10 point buck. I think he said he was going back and see if he could buy some more surrounding property.

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