

Rules for Registration West Virginia Big Buck Display

1. To submit a deer for the West Virginia Big Buck Display, the hunter/owner must complete the registration form provided, and include a copy of an official score sheet.

Mail to:

**WV Division of Natural Resources
Attn: Rob Silvester
163 Wildlife Road
French Creek, WV 26218.**

2. All entries will be date and time stamped upon arrival and **only the first 30 entries** will be eligible for the event. All accepted entries will receive an acceptance letter by return mail which will also provide directions to Stonewall Resort State Park and instructions regarding delivery of your trophy to the park.
3. All deer entered for display must have been legally taken in West Virginia and must have been scored by an official Pope & Young or Boone and Crockett scorer with a minimum **NET** score of 140. A copy of an official score sheet is required with the registration form. Scorers are located at all DNR district offices.
4. The respective hunter/owner of each trophy deer (head or antlers only) must transport or arrange transportation of his/her trophy to and from the NH&FD event at Stonewall Resort State Park, Lewis County, West Virginia.
5. Trophy deer must be delivered from 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Friday, September 16 and must be removed no later than 5:00 PM on Sunday, September 18. ******* To be eligible for the exclusive drawing for prizes, each deer entered *must be delivered to the display site by no later than 10:00 AM Saturday, September 17 and remain on display until the closing ceremony concludes (around 4:00 PM) Sunday, September 18, 2016.***
6. A person can enter more than one deer but they are limited to one entry into the prize drawing.
7. The NH&FD staff will provide a display wall for exhibiting trophy deer and will provide reasonable security and protection for trophy deer on exhibit. However, neither the WV Wildlife Federation nor the WV Division of Natural Resources will assume responsibility for the damage, loss, or theft of any trophy.
8. All participants and entries in this year's WV Big Buck Display, will be eligible for future year's WV Big Buck Displays, should they wish to participate.
9. The West Virginia Wildlife Federation reserves the right to refuse any participant's big buck entry based upon poor sportsmanship, questionable legal status, violation of fair chase, failure to complete the registration form or failure to comply with any part of the above rules.