



# OHIO ARCHERS ASSOCIATION BIG GAME AWARD APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ O.A.A. ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Full photo of animal required with application \_\_\_\_\_

B. Tag number / Hunting license number \_\_\_\_\_

Application must be returned within 90 days of kill. Application must comply with the O.A.A. Bowhunter rules. All state laws must be honored on any game entered. For big buck entries – rack must be taken to an O.A.A. certified measurer. Forms must be in the Bowhunter Director office before February 10<sup>th</sup>.

1. Animal killed: \_\_\_\_\_ Points: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight (Field Dressed): \_\_\_\_\_

2. Date animal killed (month / day / year): \_\_\_\_\_

3. Where killed (state and country or hunting area): \_\_\_\_\_

4. When shoot, was animal standing: \_\_\_\_\_ Walking: \_\_\_\_\_ Running: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Were you "still hunting": \_\_\_\_\_ Walking: \_\_\_\_\_ Driving: \_\_\_\_\_ Stalking: \_\_\_\_\_ Tree Stand: \_\_\_\_\_

6. How many arrows hit animal: \_\_\_\_\_

7. At what distance was the animal first hit: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Where did the arrow strike: \_\_\_\_\_

9. How far did the animal travel after being hit: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Was it dispatched in any other way than with an arrow: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Was a firearm present at any time during the entire episode: \_\_\_\_\_ If so, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Was a dog used in hunting: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Other big game animals killed this year for which you have applied for an O.A.A. big game award: \_\_\_\_\_

14. How many other big game animals have you killed with a bow: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Have you previously been awarded an O.A.A. big game award: \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, how many: \_\_\_\_\_

16. How many seasons have you hunted with a bow: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Description of tackle used: \_\_\_\_\_

Bow Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ Trade Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight(lbs): \_\_\_\_\_

Material Laminated: \_\_\_\_\_ All Wood: \_\_\_\_\_ All Glass: \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Arrow Trade Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Metal: \_\_\_\_\_ Wood: \_\_\_\_\_ Dimensions: \_\_\_\_\_

Broadhead Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Blades: \_\_\_\_\_

18. Style of shooting used to take this animal – Sights/Fingers: \_\_\_\_\_ Sights/Release: \_\_\_\_\_ No Sights/Fingers: \_\_\_\_\_

The young of the big game animals are not considered for the big game award. All animals MUST be taken under the rules of "Fair Chase" BOWHUNTING FAIR CHASE RULES DEFINED: Any animal taken under any of the following circumstances should not be considered for an Ohio Archers Big Game Award: yarded in deep snow, helpless in water, helpless in ice, helpless in a trap, while confined behind fences as on a game farm, etc...In defiance of games laws or out of season. By jack lighting or shining at night. From power vehicles or powerboat. Any other method considered by the Ohio Archers Association Bowhunting Committee as unsportsman like.

Comments and Explanation: \_\_\_\_\_

## AFFIDAVIT

We hereby CERTIFY that the information is correct and true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_ Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicants Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Return application to: Clyde Hinton 4572 Fredricksburg Rd, Wooster OH 44691