



# BLACK BEAR HUNT IN ALBERTA / LONE PINE



Experience the excitement and challenge of a bear hunt in the Canadian wilderness of Alberta. The hunt is carried out as "spot and stalk" in a district with a dense population of bears and has a high rate of success – 1 black bear and 1 wolf are included in the price!



Challenging hunt



Requires moderate level of fitness



Accommodation in a tent



Spot-and-Stalk Hunt





# HIGHLIGHTS & DESCRIPTION

## Black Bear Hunt in Alberta / Lone Pine



### Overview

We have recently signed an exciting deal with a new outfitter who can offer a traditional black bear hunt in an area of north/central Alberta in Canada, which is home to a dense population of black bears.

The hunt takes place in North-Central Alberta, in a district where the black bears experience very little local hunting pressure, as the district is a non-baiting zone and hunting here is exclusively carried out as spot and stalk. Our outfitter has been organising sustainable hunting for black bears in this district for the last 5 years. The district is home to a dense population of bears. Hunting in Northern Alberta, gives you the possibility of finding different colour phases of black bear which are only still found in the north of Canada, including the brown and the more rarely seen blonde colour variations.

The hunting district consists of mixed areas of forest, large open oil fields, areas of newly cleared forest together with more mountainous areas. To move around in the hunting district you will utilise Argo ATVs, standard ATVs, UTVs, and 4x4 cars, depending on which type of terrain you will be hunting in. You will hunt in the open forest clearances, the large oil fields and along the old forest roads. It is here where the new grass and fresh plant shoots, which are important food sources for the bears during the spring, grow. The hunt is exclusively carried out as spot and stalk; the hunters and their guides drive around the enormous area in all-terrain vehicles, until they spot the a promising looking bear, this is followed by an intense stalk on foot, as the hunters attempt to get within shooting range of the

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Exciting "spot and stalk" hunt for black bear
- 1 black bear per hunter included in the price
- 6 day adventure in the wilderness of Albertas
- Experienced and dedicated guides with a thorough knowledge of bear hunting
- Chance to shoot different colour variants of black bear
- Low local hunting pressure on black bears



DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS?



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bear.

This package includes 6 days hunting, from Monday to Saturday.

The outfitter takes care of transport to and from the airport. You will land at Edmonton airport on the Sunday where you will spend the night in a hotel at own expense. The hunters are driven to the hunting camp by the outfitter on Monday morning.

You should not expect to find any luxuries in the camp, instead simply enjoy it as part of a real wilderness adventure.

Meals in the hunting camp often consist of sandwiches or simple ready-made dishes that can be boiled or fried over the open fire.

After the hunt ends on Saturday, the hunters will be driven back to Edmonton, where they will stay at a hotel near the airport at own expense, before flying home on the Sunday or Monday.

**Possible hunting dates:**

**2023:**  
22.-27.may  
29.may - 3. june

**2024:**  
20.-25. may  
27. may - 1. june

**Program 2023:**

**21.05.2023**  
Arrival in Edmonton airport transfer to a hotel where you will spend the night (at own expense)

**22.05.2023:**  
The outfitter will drive you from the hotel to the hunting camp.

**22.-27.05.2023:**  
6 days of hunting from Monday-Saturday.

**27.05.2023:**  
Hunt finished - transport to a hotel close to the airport where you will spend the night (at own expense)

**28.05.2023:**  
Departure for home from Edmonton airport

Each hunting period is arranged for 5-6 hunters, and the guiding is 2:1. Naturally you are welcome to book as a single hunter, or in smaller groups of 2-6 hunters.

**Climate:**

Temperatures in May can swing from 0 - 20 degrees Celsius. We recommend you bring warm, windproof clothing.



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## ACCOMMODATION Camp in Central Alberta



Our hunters will be met by the outfitter on their arrival at Edmonton airport in Alberta, they will then be driven to a hotel in the town of Barrhead, where they will spend one night. On day 2 they will again be collected by the outfitter and transferred to the hunting district, which is a 1-2 hour drive to the north.

The camp is situated in the midst of the hunting district, which means you can quickly get out into the Alberta's fantastic and beautiful wilderness. You must remember that the hunting camp is "just that" - a camp. It is simple but comfortable. There are both washing and toilet facilities in camp, and all meals are home made, often prepared over the camp fire.

The camp itself is like a classic Canadian hunting camp, consisting of a hunting cabin used for storing supplies etc., together with large heated tents, with wood burning stoves and camp beds. 2 hunters will sleep in each tent, unless otherwise agreed in advance. The tents have camp beds with mattresses, pillows, sheets and towels. It is therefore important you bring along a good sleeping bag on the tour.

Once the bears are shot, the guides will help skinning the bears and with field preparation of the skins, which will be delivered to a local taxidermist after the hunt. Here you can choose to have the bear mounted, so simply have the skins prepared so that they can be sent home to your own local taxidermist. Diana Hunting Tour can warmly recommend a number of professional taxidermists, who we often work with, and will ensure your trophy will remain a beautiful moment from your hunt for the rest of your life.



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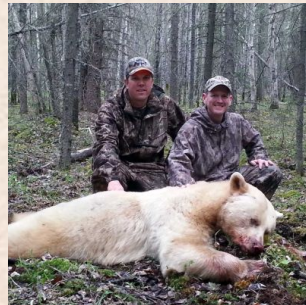
**PARTNER**  
**Swanspoint Outfitters**



Swanspoint Outfitters are our brand new partner in Canada. They are based in central Alberta, north of the city of Edmonton. Swanspoint Outfitter is operated on a daily basis by Matthew Swan. Matthew has specialised in organising black bears hunts and now has more than 15 years of experience in this field.

Matthew and his guides have great expertise in hunting black bears, and have spotted and stalked many bears over the years. Therefore they are fully geared to giving our customers an exciting, adrenaline-filled bear hunt. The hunt is always carried out with 2:1 guiding, which means 2 hunters share 1 hunting guide. Both hunters are big a part of each other hunting experience, taking turns to stalk designated bears, if they appear to be worth shooting.

During May 2017, we had 2 groups take part in test hunts for black bears with Swanspoint Outfitters. All hunters were lucky enough to shoot a minimum of 1 black bear.



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## HUNTING AREA Swan Hills



The hunting district lies in central Alberta, circa. 170 km north of the city of Edmonton and stretches over a few thousand square kilometers. The hunting district consists of mixed areas of forest, large open oil fields, areas of newly cleared forest together with more mountainous areas. To move around in the hunting district you will utilise Argo ATVs, standard ATVs, UTVs, and 4x4 cars, depending on which type of terrain you will be hunting in. You will hunt in the open forest clearances, the large oil fields and along the old forest roads. It is here where the new grass and fresh plant shoots, which are important food sources for the bears during the spring, grow. Black bears are omnivores, but largely eat vegetation such as, for example, grass, berries, roots and shoots etc. However during the spring black bears do eat many small mammals, insects and fish, as it has a great need for protein after its many months of hibernation.

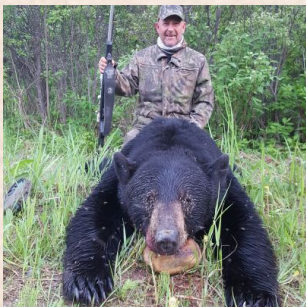
During the hunt you will have the chance of observing many of the region's game species, such as moose, deer, grizzly bear, wolves and of course black bears. If you have always dreamt of hunting a black bear in the Canadian wilderness, our partners will be happy to make your dream come true.

### What should I remember to pack:

- A good sleeping bag
- Hunting equipment
- Waterproof/ windproof hunting clothes etc.
- Rifle and ammunition
- Good rubber boots / Boots suitable for stalking
- Hunting knife
- Warm clothes/ clothes you can change into
- Binoculars
- Your personal effects (toiletries etc.)
- A camera

### Climate:

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# Price and info on your tour

## Specification of price

### Prices

Description	Possible Lodging Dates	Price from (per. person)
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#### The price includes

- 6 days accommodation and 6 days hunting
- Including 1 black bear per hunter.
- Hunting 2:1 (two hunters share 1 guide)
- Hunting licenses for 1 black bear + 1 wolf license
- Taxes, wildlife charge, fully equipped camp and all food and accommodation during the hunt.
- Return transport between Edmonton and the hunting district, all transport during the hunt.
- Field preparation of trophies.
- Transport of trophies from camp to the closest taxidermist.

#### The price does not include

- Return flights to Edmonton
- Rifle hire: USD \$150 + \$60 for ammunition
- Shipment of trophies back home
- Taxidermy
- eTA-application CAD \$ 7,-
- Gratuities and alcoholic drinks
- Cancellation insurance
- EU-public liability insurance € 10,00.-
- Overnight hotel accommodation before and after the hunt.
- Everything not listed under "The Price Includes"

#### Extra blackbear

It will be possible to add a second black bear to the hunt.  
 There Will be a Trophy fee of USD 700 prior to hunting for a second bear.

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**GAME**  
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Black Bear



Wolf (North America)

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## About us

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### Limpopo & Diana Hunting Tours

Limpopo & Diana Hunting Tours Limpopo Travel and Diana Hunting Tours – which today are one and the same company - are built on more than four decades of experience in the hunting travel industry. Diana Hunting tours was founded in Svendborg back in 1974 by the internationally known figure in the hunting tour industry, Jan Krossteig, who today remains shareholder and chairman of the concern.

Over the years the company has grown into the world's largest hunting travel office, with hunting partners in more than 40 countries and customers from around the world. This has only been possible because of the strength of our customers faith in our company, our partners and the service we provide. We take great pride in the fact that a significant number of our customers are "regulars" you not only travel with us frequently, but also bring with them new customers into our business.

The hunting travel market has never been as chaotic as it is at present. There have always been a mass of small and medium sized agencies trading on the market, but in recent years the rise of the internet has really opened up the market for direct booking and packages sold by "agents" of more or less transparent character and by agencies based abroad.

A large number of hunters have had their fingers burnt booking "cheap" packages, which rarely proceed as promised. Generally it is only when things go wrong that the unfortunate hunter who bought the tour first realises what the difference between a good Danish travel agency - with all the security that entails - and a questionable foreign seller, really is.

What we offer our customers is a rather unique level of security. Our experienced staff really know our destinations and can provide highly qualified advice tailored to the customer's individual requirements. If you book your hunting tour through us you also have a guarantee against the unlikely event of bankruptcy through the Danish Travel Guarantee Fund. Our long standing membership of the Danish Travel Agency Association is also a guarantee for professional service throughout all the proceedings that a hunting tour entails - also in the event of something not going quite as planned. As one of our customers you can expect around the clock support, via our emergency hotline, in the event of anything at all going wrong.

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