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Photos of the Season 2013 Fall & 2014 Winter

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Fall 2013/Winter 2014 Season Hunt Report

Another season has come and gone here at Mackin Outfitting, and an excellent one it was! Our fall began in early September with velvet Mule Deer bow hunts; here repeat clients **Dale Gaugler** and his son in law **Brian Schroyer**. Both harvested awesome bucks (Brian 172" and Dale a 163" 3- point !) As bow season rolled along another repeat client **Mike Castillo** shot a great hard horned 174" with his wife Jill filming it all at his side.

Early October found **Chris Endres** and his father **Ben** rifle hunting big high country mule deer in our mountain area by horseback. It was a fantastic hunt, besides watching grizzly bears and riding through beautiful country Chris managed to harvest a tremendous heavy horned 179" buck, his father Ben was close but after hurting his knee we had to focus on the trout fishing!

We then headed back home and started our rifle mule deer hunts here in porcupine hills, these hunts were near 100% successful with many great bucks harvested. Some are the highlights were are old friend and client **Nick Jorae** long ranging a beautiful typical 4 point to life size for his trophy room. As the rut progressed new clients **David Perry** and **Calvin Mason** came on their first mule deer hunt and we had a blast, both gentlemen brought home awesome bucks. Next hunt **JR Kellogg** and his pal **Gary Robbins** of New York came back for another action packed week and JR and I made a great stalk and he tagged a dandy old character buck that scored 186". For our final mule deer hunt I was joined by friend and guide Paul Pierunek and we took three new clients into the foothills for the last week of November. Despite constants blizzards and sub-zero temperatures we had an excellent hunt and made some great new friends and to top things off **Jim Kenny and Paul** horse backed into a "honey hole" and got a brute of an old warrior buck that has over 40" of mass. Another fall was in the books.

After the New Year our focus for the next four weeks was cougar hunting and what an adventure it was. Our first hunt with client **Troy Chandler** was probably the most memorable cougar hunt yet. During the ten day hunt we had record snow falls, high winds and frigid temps but that did not stop us from treeing many cougars and snowmobiling through hundreds of miles of breath taking country. The next hunt repeat client **Doug Bennet and his son** worked hard traveling through the snow to complete his quest of harvesting a large mature tom cougar, good job Doug! For our last hunt good friend and client **Eric Kuhlman** arrived just in time as the snow was just about gone, fortunately day one luck was on our side and Eric tagged out on a HUGE tom cougar!

To conclude our season **Chris Endres** returned to Alberta with his son **Daniel** to do some exciting coyote hunting. We always have a great time on these hunts traveling throughout the hunting area doing multiple sets of calling and playing with our new accessories continuously striving to fine tune our skills. This year we were successful numerous times in collecting some fine Alberta coyote pelts. Thanks to all for making this another great and memorable season!

We are now getting excited for spring to arrive so we can begin our black bear hunts, I can't wait. If you are interested in booking a hunt with Mackin Outfitting please contact myself Tyson, we are now taking bookings for the 2015 season and only have a couple bow hunts left for mule deer this September.

Myself & my wife, Angie are directly involved in all aspects of our mule deer hunts, elk hunts, cougar hunts and coyote hunts, making sure that every detail of your hunting experience is looked after. For more information on our hunts please go to our website at www.mackinoutfitting.com or contact Tyson at (403) 625-0657. email: tyson@mackinoutfitting.com