



Newsletter 2-2014



In June and July we had a lot of return hunters and plenty of new ones.

Mark Ross, from Adventures Archery, one of our long time hunters, returned once again this year, unfortunately Katie had other obligations and couldn't accompany her Dad. Mark arranged a special with Dries that he will be advertising to his clients for 2015.

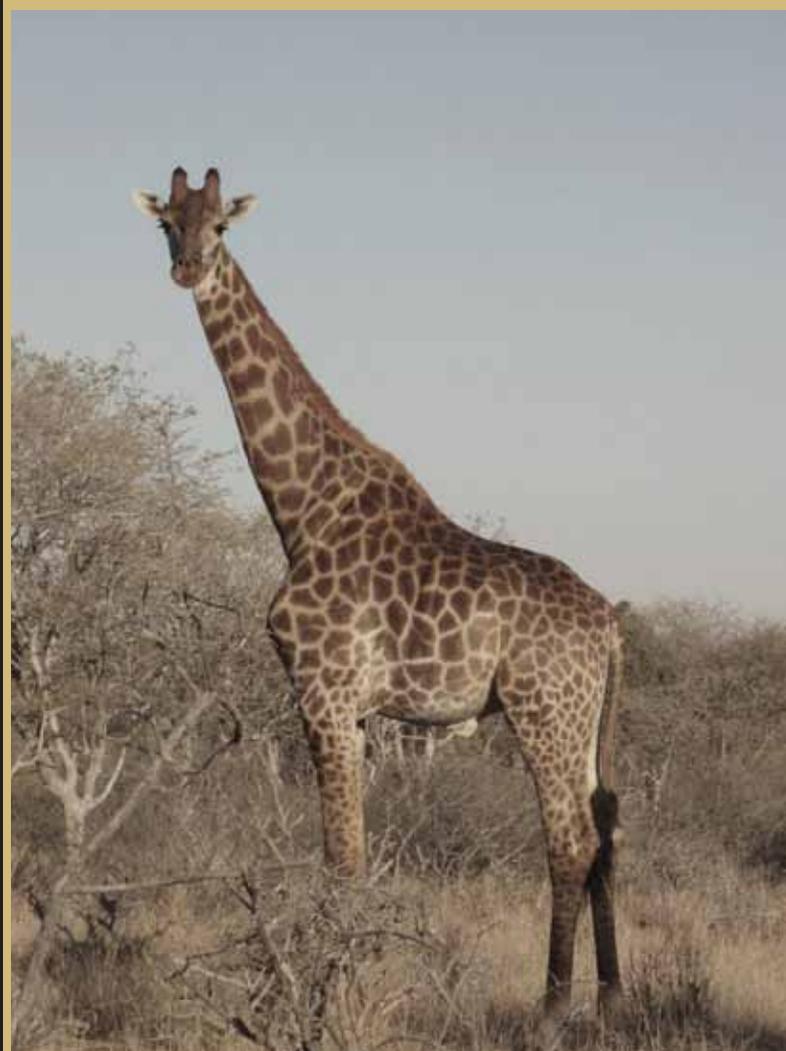
Josh and Anna Gunn, along with Josh's brother Jared, were first time hunters to Africa. They fulfilled a long time dream about a hunt to Africa, and went away with all their wishlist trophies in the bag.

Doug and Nikki Tyrrell were with us again after skipping one year. Great people to have in camp! Unfortunately Doug had to return home with only the end piece of his Honey Badger's tail, but this gives him the perfect excuse to return once again!

Ronald Uilkie and Peter Kelley were at Blue Wildebeest Lodge (Hein's property) for a cull hunt. They were very impressed with the lodge, PH's and Magda's superb cooking. They went home with plenty of stories to tell the children and grandchildren for a long time to come.

Mark Terry, also a long standing hunter with us, returned this year with his friend Brandon Strew, and stayed at Hein's new Lodge for the first time.

Both were very impressed with the lodging, meals, lunch boxes and the actual hunt. Mark is an old friend who always hunts with Hein Lottering, and he thinks this year's hunt was the best one yet!



Mark Ross



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Josh and Anna Gunn

This was my husband and I's first time to Africa. We fulfilled a lifetime dream.

Dries Visser Safaris far exceeded our expectations. Both us came with a list of animals we wished to take. By the end of the hunt we had an opportunity to fling an arrow at everything on our list.

PH, Willem van Dyk, was extremely knowledgeable and helpful, he did everything within his power to help us achieve success.

All of the staff were professional. We loved our accommodations, and food was amazing. The variety of food for the 10 days was awesome, we got to try a little bit of everything!

Between my husband and myself we shot an animal every day, and had 2 opportunities to shoot animals back to back and have them photographed together.

We saw so many animals and started our list for the next time. We are truly thankful to everyone at Dries Visser Safaris for making our dreams come true.

We had the time of our lives and made memories that will never be forgotten!

We thought this time may be a "once in a lifetime" trip, but I can tell you now, we cannot wait to come and do it again!



Jared Gunn

This is a hunt of a lifetime for somebody from the United States.

I never figured I would take all of my game but I sure did! With the great help of my PH, Armand, and tracker.

I would recommend this hunt to anyone who is looking to do something like this.

Thank you very much!



Doug Tyrrell

Our second visit to Dries Visser Safaris exceeded our expectations. Thanks to PH Johan for helping me get almost everything on my list and a huge Waterbuck.

You really did a good job planning. The night hunt with PH Johan, PH Hein and the other client Mark for steenbuck and bushbuck will be a hunt I'll never forget. I can honestly say I've never shot my bow while standing on the cab of my PH's truck in the middle of the night before, and I will not forget what a mad hippo sounds like. That bushbuck was beautiful!

Thanks to Zelma and Mariana and the Kids for your kind hospitality to my wife Nikki at the Lodge. We miss South Africa already and hope we can come back soon.





We stayed at Blue wildebeest Lodge.

The accommodation and food was outstanding.

Our PH, Geoff, was very knowledgeable, not only about hunting but South Africa as well.

The tracker, Katlas, is extraordinary.

I was confused in a few yards by the volume of tracks, but he never wavered and tracked each animal that was shot.

The quantity and variety of animals was wonderful, so exciting to see animals I have only dreamed of before coming home.

Thanks to Dries, Zelma, Geoff, Magda and all for an excellent experience.

Pete Kelley

I am very fortunate to have gained many experiences during this hunt that I'll be telling my children and grandchildren about for a long time.

Seeing animals in their habitat while most people only see them in a zoo.

Not only did I see them, but I was hunting them and able to harvest 9 animals in 10 days. If we had another hour of daylight on my Impala hunt, I would have had 10 animals.

She was fatally shot, we were sure that she wouldn't last the night.

The tracker, Katlas, and I tracked her, and were astounded at times at the tracker's ability to anticipate the animal's movement.

When I had lost the track, he would come, and time and again find the blood trail through thick brush and sand.

At last light it became clear that the jackals would feast that night!

Ronald Uilkie



This was my 3rd trip to Africa and my best one yet! I always come to Dries Visser Safaris and hunt with Hein. Hein, as always was the perfect PH. Each time I come hunting, Hein goes over the top to ensure I get my wish list trophies. Dries runs a great organization and provides excellent animals.



Mark Terry



As always I will be back for my 4th hunt with Dries Visser Safaris!

I will tell everyone what a great experience I had with Dries Visser Safaris. From beginning to end it was awesome!

Willem, my PH, did an outstanding job! He is very knowledgeable and fun to hunt with. He truly made my hunt the best of my life. The food was great, animals were plenty, accommodations were fantastic and the Ph exceptional!

Brandon Strew

