



## **HARRISBURG CHAPTER 25<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

Dear Friends, Old and New:

**It is with great pleasure that we announce the 25th Anniversary** of the RMEF Harrisburg Chapter Annual Big Game Banquet. Our event is on Saturday, February 4, 2012 with doors opening at 4:00 p.m. with the buffet dinner starting at 6:00 p.m. **This year's banquet will be held at the Radisson Hotel Harrisburg (1150 Camp Hill Bypass, Camp Hill, PA 17011). The Radisson is located off Walnut Street (Route 11 and 15) in Camp Hill. For directions and room reservations call 1-800-276-7415.**

**In our 24 years of service to Wildlife** we have generated approximately \$920,000.00 that was used for the acquisition and preservation of over 6,000,000 acres of elk and other wildlife habitat. Our goal for this year is to reach the \$1,000,000.00 mark. We can only accomplish this lofty, but achievable, goal with your support!

**General raffle tickets will be offered 2 for 1 if the envelope containing registration and full-payment is postmarked by January 15, 2012.** If you purchase your raffle tickets prior to the deadline date, you will be able to spend \$40 - get \$80 worth; Spend \$100 - get \$200 worth (\$20 increments only please). You set the limit! For every \$100 spent (prior to the deadline date), you receive three chances for the upper tier prizes. These tickets will be held at the registration table for you.

**If you would like to do more for the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation** consider becoming a RMEF Life Member or a Habitat Partner. One out of every 5 new life members signing up for life membership at our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Banquet will win a Tikka T3 Camo Stainless 7MM high power rifle. Additional information regarding life membership enrollment and benefits can be found at [www.elkfoundation.org](http://www.elkfoundation.org) and on the back of this letter. Please let us know if you would like to be on our committee. We always welcome help with our banquet and the Harrisburg Sportsman Show.

**Hunts – Our Live Auction this year will feature some great hunts** such as an elk hunt with Russell Pond and B BAR C Idaho Outfitters ([www.russellpond.com](http://www.russellpond.com)), a bear hunt at Hendersons Hunting Camp in N.B. ([www.hendersons-hunting.nb.ca](http://www.hendersons-hunting.nb.ca)) and a Colorado elk hunt with Star Valley Outfitter. Additional hunts and great merchandise will be offered on the silent and live auctions.

**Once again, the "Harrisburg Chapter Habitat Raffle"** will give you the chance to win quality firearms as listed on the enclosed ticket. The ticket donation is \$5.00 each. You will find 6 tickets in your mailing. If you sell 5 tickets, you get the 6<sup>th</sup> ticket for FREE. Let us know if you would like more to buy or sell by calling Al Sunday at 717 571-1006.

**New for 2012** – Each new member, renewing member, sponsor, or life member attending the banquet will receive a RMEF Exclusive Buck Paklite Skinner Knife with a \$35.00 fmv (one knife per member).

**Reserved Seating:** In appreciation for your support, every group that reserves a table for eight (sends in registration and payment for all eight group members in the same envelope), the group will receive \$100 worth of general raffle tickets. **Plant the seed for new growth – invite someone who has never attended a RMEF banquet.**

**2012 Banquet Edition Rifle Set** this year includes a Browning BLR 270 Winchester, a Browning BL-22, and a Double Rifle Case sponsored by Larry and Brenda Potterfield.

**We expect this year's banquet will be a sellout. Register early as seating is limited to 300 people.** The committee is looking forward to seeing you on February 4, 2012.

Working for Wildlife,

Grant Bollen, Chairman  
Harrisburg Chapter

**Committee Members:** Allen Aungst; Chas Aungst; Karen Aungst, Doug & Celeste Barnes; Douglas Blauch; Grant & Becky Bollen; Clyde & Tavia Dehart; Rob Diehl; Chuck Fegley; Chad & Robin Hartzell; Ben Hoffman; Mike Konz; Gary Lautsbaugh; Chip & Tina Luciano; Tom and Kathy Drebot, Ruth Minnich; Gene & Kathy Odato; Meredith Odato; Nicholas Odato; Dave Ravegum; Dave Regan; Lon Strayer; and Alan & Marti Sunday.

## **Become a Life Member during our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

- 1. \$1,500.00 in full**
- 2. \$300.00 down and \$300.00 every quarter, or**
- 3. \$300.00 down and \$100.00 a month**

### **Life Member Benefits Include:**

**Lifetime subscription to Bugle Magazine    Permanent Membership Card**  
**Engraved Plaque    Life Member Jacket, Cap, Lapel Pin, and Decal**  
**Invitations to Local Events    Substantial Tax Deduction.**



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[www.pennsylvaniarmef.org/store.html](http://www.pennsylvaniarmef.org/store.html)



**RMEF HARRISBURG CHAPTER  
25<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL BIG GAME BANQUET  
AND BENEFIT AUCTION  
FEBRUARY 4, 2012**

**BANQUET REGRISTRATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF#: \_\_\_\_\_ (found on the "Bugle" magazine mailing label)

**Qualify for the "Early Bird" Deal – Paid & Postmarked By 1/15/2012.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$70 Single** (Meal with one RMEF Membership)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$105 Couple** (2 Meals with one RMEF Membership)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$335 Single Sponsor** (Includes Sponsor Membership and 1 Meal)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$370 Couple Sponsor** (Includes 1 Sponsor Membership and 2 Meals)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$1535 Life Member** (Life Membership Includes Membership and 1 Meal; *a life membership is payable by various options, see back of announcement letter.*)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$35 Life Members** (per person) – meal only

\_\_\_\_\_ **The General Raffle "Early Bird" Deal** – Two for one if postmarked by 1/15/2012. For example: Spend \$40 for General Raffle Tickets, get \$80 worth. Spend \$100 or more, get double Raffle Tickets plus 3 Upper Tier Tickets! **\*\*\$20 Increments Only\*\***

\_\_\_\_\_ **Cash Donation**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Total Amount Enclosed** Checks made payable to: Harrisburg Chapter, RMEF.  
If paying by credit card: please fill in the proper information below.  
Circle card type: Master Card, Visa, American Express, or Discover.

Card#: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail to: RMEF Banquet Committee, 742 Suedberg Road, Pine Grove, PA 17963**

**\*\*\*Reserving table/s for your group/s of 8 will be accepted\*\*\* (See Other Side)**

**NOTE: BANQUET AT RADISSON PENN HARRIS THIS YEAR**

**Full Table Application Form for Groups of 8**  
**(To ensure your full table of 8, please provide the following information...)**

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. Name \_\_\_\_\_ RMEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Remember, if you send the 8 reservations and payment in one envelope, your table will receive \$100.00 worth of general raffle tickets.