

Quarterly Newsletter



Welcome

Welcome to the Outdoors For Our Heroes quarterly newsletter. This is our chance to stay in contact with all of our fellow veterans, partners, and valued donors. We are excited to be able share what is going on with the organization including recent news, a partner spotlight, veteran spotlight, and of course just a few of the many hunts all your generosity supplies for our very deserving disabled veterans. With that in mind, let's see what OFOH has been up to in the 4th Quarter of 2018.

News

-OFOH received a very generous grant of \$15,000 from the Chehalis Tribe. This will go a long way in providing hunts and equipment for our disabled veterans. Thank you Chehalis Tribe!

-OFOH is looking for blind veterans to take on hunts. Yes, you read that right! Technology is available to assist blind veterans in their pursuit for normalcy while hunting. We would be honored to help. If you know a veteran who has lost all or some of their vision please get them in contact with us. We will make sure they experience all of the excitement and healing that an OFOH hunting adventure provides.

-Because of your generosity OFOH has been able to secure property to operate as a hunting base camp in Eastern WA. More to come...

Sportsman Shows

Be on the lookout for OFOH at the upcoming sportsman shows this spring!!!

3rd Annual Auction & Banquet

Get ready, the OFOH Annual Auction & Banquet is fast approaching! Join us on July 20th for a great time to support an amazing cause. Time and place to be announced soon. Stay tuned.



Miller Ranch pheasant hunt with veterans Mark Bush, Ryan Caldwell and Kent Cartmill. Special thanks to John McKeever, Tyler Hayne, and OFOH board member Derek Fecht.



PARTNER SPOTLIGHT

Barney McClanahan-Small business owner and President of Our Glory Coffee. Barney is a veteran of the Air Force and served in Vietnam. Barney was introduced to OFOH by way of a pheasant hunt in Cheney, WA at the Miller Ranch. That experience changed his life and he started Our Glory Coffee which donates portions of its proceeds to OFOH. We greatly appreciate your partnership and friendship Barney!



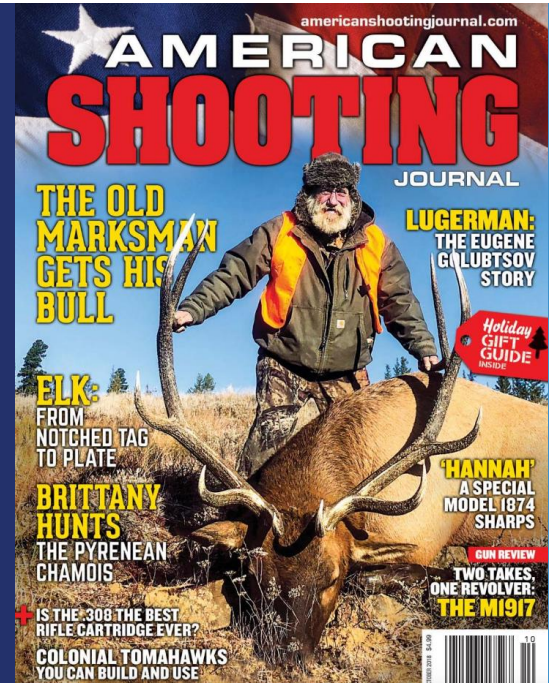
Sam Shockley on a disabled veteran mule deer and antelope hunt in Montana with OFOH. Nice pronghorn Sam!



Veteran Spotlight

Bill Allen- Bill is a former sniper who served in the Vietnam War. Bill is one of the most down-to-earth guys that you will ever know. I had the pleasure of spending time with Bill during a bear hunt this year. Bill is in failing health and when OFOH caught wind of this they worked hard to coordinate a once in a lifetime, terminally ill elk hunt with the state of Washington. In September OFOH took Bill on this hunt of a lifetime where he harvested this monster bull! Bill and his bull were featured on the cover of American Shooter Journal. Thank you for your service and thank you for your friendship Bill...congrats again!

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 Pastor Bill Davis with his 13.5" pronghorn antelope on the mule deer and antelope hunt in Montana.

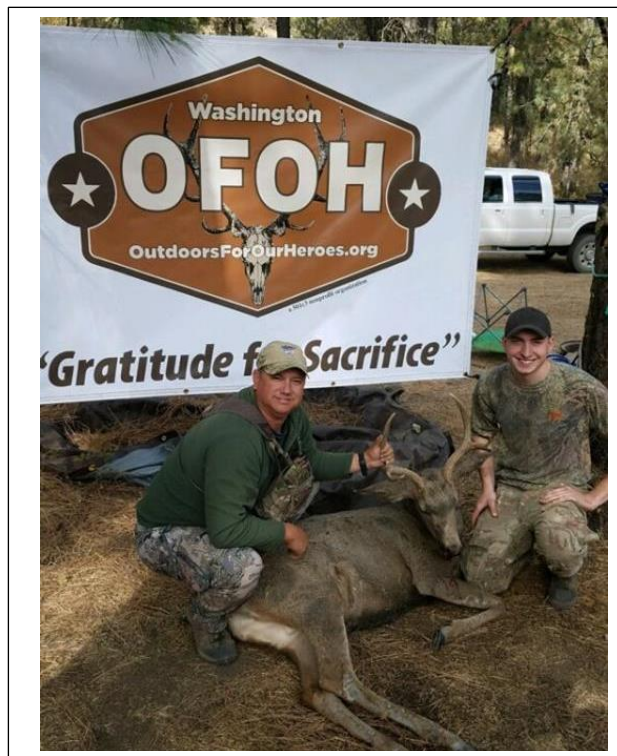
Ed Rafferty Sr, a terminally ill disabled veteran working with OFOH's team of volunteers, supporters, and friends successfully harvested this monster bull elk. Special thanks to Chuck Bellard, Steve Plesha and Teanaway Custom Meats, Ed Rafferty Jr, Rita Rafferty, Jim Mallett, Marc Eyler, Mathew Trenda, and Jason Brown. Well done everyone, and thank you for your service!





Disabled veteran hunt in Sonora, Mexico with El Jefe Outdoors. Disabled veteran Franz Walkup was able to make the most of his once in a lifetime mule deer hunt in Mexico. Congrats Franz! Franz joined the Army after losing his brother in combat. While in Afghanistan, Franz sustained 5 gunshot wounds; ultimately losing a leg. Like many of our vets, Franz is a fighter! El Jefe Outdoors is a first-class operation. If you are looking for a mule deer trip of a lifetime, check out El Jefe.

Disabled veteran Kelly with guide Colton Imholt of YJ Outfitters in Davenport, WA. If you want a great local deer hunt you won't find better than YJ Outfitters! Craig, Joyce, Colton, and Scotty treat their clients like family. That's a nice Muzzy mule deer Kelly!



Thank You!

We really appreciate all the generosity from our donors, partners, and volunteers. This newsletter is just a small token of our appreciation and a way for us to share with you where all your money and hard work go. You are making a huge (and potentially life-saving) difference in the lives of our nation's heroes. Thanks again and we'll see you next quarter!