



# Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation

Bay State Chapter

You are cordially invited to come celebrate the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation's six millionth acre conserved in the company of the finest hunter-conservationists anywhere, the members of the RMEF, at the Bay State Chapter's Annual banquet Saturday, February 11th, 2012.

There are at least six million reasons to join us. On top of helping the Elk Foundation toward the next million acres, scores of banquet attendees will go home with brand new rifles, big game hunts, and countless other raffle and auction prizes while raising vital funding for America's foremost conservation organization, the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation.

RMEF big game banquets are legendary for their high-energy camaraderie. You will see old friends and make new ones, enjoy fine food and drinks, and help the Elk Foundation get well on its way to conserving another million acres.

This year's fundraiser is on Saturday, February 11th, 2012 at Stockbridge Sportsmen's Club. Doors open at 5:00 PM. During the social hour you'll enjoy drawings, raffles, games, drinks and silent auction. Dinner and live auction will follow. If you are not able to attend please consider passing this on to a fellow conservationist.

## Win a hunt, Maxxis bow, or Browning rifle

Become or recruit a new volunteer for RMEF and gain the opportunity to win one of 8 outfitted 5-day whitetail deer and waterfowl combo hunts in Northern Missouri's legendary big-buck country. But that's not all that is up for grabs. The drawing will also include 6 Hoyt Maxxis 31 bows and 6 Browning X-bolt Carbon Fiber .338 rifles. With 20 prizes, we have now given you 20 more outstanding reasons to become or recruit a new volunteer with RMEF. For details contact a local committee member, Regional Director or go to RMEF.org



*RMEF firmly believes everyone should have the opportunity to learn to hunt, fish, shoot a bow, or learn other outdoor skills. In 2011, RMEF launched the S.A.F.E. (Shooting Access for Everyone) Challenge program with the goal of introducing 50,000 young and novice shooters to safe, responsible, enjoyable firearm use and our conservation traditions. Midway USA owners Larry and Brenda Potterfield have stepped in to help with broad financial support, and RMEF volunteers across the nation have begun staging dozens of S.A.F.E. events to get youth involved and invested in the future of shooting and conservation.*

## Made in the USA Buck PakLite Membership Premium

**FREE!\***  
**Buck**  
**Knife**



Made in  
USA



\*with your new or renewed membership when you attend the event

Don't forget, with every membership you purchase to come to our fundraiser you will receive this awesome Buck PakLite Skinner with carbon steel RMEF logo'd blade and heavy-duty nylon sheath. **FREE!**

If you're a fan of wildlife you'll love what the Elk Foundation has accomplished. Local banquets raise the lion's share of the funding for Elk Foundation conservation work across elk country. Yet RMEF is working hard for conservation even in non-elk states like Massachusetts. A portion of funds raised here stays here to support hunting heritage and conservation education efforts that introduce young people and women to the outdoors, promote hunter safety and responsibility, provide physically challenged individuals with a hunting experience, and involve youth in conservation including: S.A.F.E. (Shooting Access for Everyone) Challenge events, 4-H



Shooting Sports, Becoming an Outdoors-Woman, and National Archery in the Schools programs.

The Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation now has upwards of 180,000 members and growing. RMEF is awfully proud of the more than 632,000 acres of previously off-limits land it's opened to public hunting, and prouder still of the **six million acres** of great elk country people like you have helped conserve. But 180,000 members is barely 10 percent of the active elk hunters in North America. Imagine what we could accomplish with 300,000 or even half-a-million members? Help us get there by inviting a friend to have a good time for a great cause.

**Here are a few highlights to consider:**

- \* A tasty Prime Rib dinner will be a highlight of the evening! Chicken or Fish are also available upon request! Dinner is at approx. 6:30 PM!
- \* The Progressive Rifle Drawing winner will receive a Remington 700 SPS Rifle .280 and a chance at a 2013 Premium Elk and Deer Hunt for One with Bighorn Outfitters!
- \* A great selection of merchandise for the whole family!
- \* Several outstanding drawings will be held throughout the evening for some of our finest prizes yet!
- \* Please get your reservations in early, so we can plan on your attendance!

**\*SPECIAL TABLE HEAD DRAWING:** Reserve a "Table of 8" today and you'll be entered in a Special Table Head Drawing! Please use the enclosed form to identify members of your table. Tables will only be reserved if completed in advance! If you have any questions, please feel free to call Gary (413-298-3623) or Howard (413-528-2497) and they'll be happy to assist you!

**\*GENERAL DRAWING EARLY BIRD SPECIAL:** Don't miss out on the 2 for 1 Early Bird Special! \$20 gets you \$40 worth of tickets - \$100 gets you \$200 worth, and so on! We have an outstanding selection of General Drawing and Bonus Items this year! Deadline is February 4, 2012!!!

Yours in Conservation,

*Gary D. Johnston*

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*Howard Wilson*

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Join us February 11th for the Bay State Chapter Banquet where fun and fundraising combine for a memorable event - all in a spirit of camaraderie shared by folks who love the outdoors.

**Stockbridge Sportsmen's Club**  
 Route 102  
 Stockbridge, MA 01262



**FREE** with your new or renewed membership when you attend the event!

<b>What</b>	Bay State Chapter Banquet
<b>When</b>	Sat, Feb 11th 2012 5:00 PM
<b>Where</b>	Stockbridge Sportsmen's Club

See the other side of this invitation to learn more about our auctions & raffles.



## Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation RSVP & Membership Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member# \_\_\_\_\_

Buy online at [events.rmef.org/@FIV](http://events.rmef.org/@FIV)

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

**YES! I'll be at the banquet!**

	Quantity	Total Price
Single Supporting Ticket (includes 1 meal & 1 supporting membership)	\$70.00 _____	_____
Couple Supporting Ticket (includes 2 meals & 1 supporting membership)	\$105.00 _____	_____
Single Sponsor Ticket (includes 1 meal & 1 sponsor membership)	\$335.00 _____	_____
Couple Sponsor Ticket (includes 2 meals & 1 sponsor membership)	\$370.00 _____	_____
Life Member Single Ticket (includes 1 meal for current life member)	\$35.00 _____	_____
Life Member Couple Ticket (includes 2 meals for current life member & guest)	\$70.00 _____	_____
Meal Only Ticket (For Current Member or Guest of Current Member)	\$35.00 _____	_____
General Drawing Tickets (2 for 1 if received by Early Bird Deadline of February 4, 2012)	\$20.00 _____	_____
Progressive Rifle Drawing (\$20/ Ticket, \$50 for 3, \$100 for 7)	\$20.00 _____	_____
2012 Hunting Heritage Cased Set Drawing (\$20/Chance, \$50 for 3, \$100 for 7 - Only 150 Chances will be sold!)	\$20.00 _____	_____

Don't forget to send in your table of 8 reservations!!!

**I can't make the banquet. Please process my membership now!**

Annual Supporting Membership	\$35.00 _____	_____
Annual Family Membership	\$75.00 _____	_____
Annual Sustaining Membership	\$100.00 _____	_____
Annual Sponsor Membership	\$300.00 _____	_____
Life Membership (minimum \$300 down)	\$1,500.00 _____	_____

**I would like to further the RMEF mission with a donation!**

donation of \_\_\_\_\_

(Please print clearly)

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed  Visa  MC  Discover  AMEX (Security Code \_\_\_\_\_)

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date \_\_\_\_\_

PRINT Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

For questions or to order: Call Gary D. Johnston at (413) 298-3623

# Take home a bit of elk country. And leave a bit for the future.

Join fellow hunters at your Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation banquet. In addition to possibly taking home some of the exclusive Elk Foundation merchandise below, you'll be ensuring the future of elk and elk country.

## Drawing



### 2012 Banquet Edition: Hunting Heritage Cased Set

Browning BLR, .270 Win & Browning BL-22. Features unique serial numbers that incorporate the limited edition number of the set

## Live Auction



### Ladies Gift Package

Includes checkbook wallet, sling backpack purse and junior meeting folder with pen

## Live Auction



### Bearfoots Welcome Bear Grand

Reproduced in durable resin eliminates cracking

## Progressive Drawing



### Remington Model 700 SPS, .280

The winner of the Progressive Rifle will be entered in a drawing to win a premium Idaho Elk and Deer Hunt for One with Bighorn Outfitters!

Let us know who will be attending as well as which membership you have purchased for them.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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## Return To:

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## Have you changed your contact information?

New Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

New Email: \_\_\_\_\_

New Phone: \_\_\_\_\_