

SAFARI NJEMA NEWS 3rd FOR 2010

Dear Friends and Clients,

I never knew a bad man who was what I'd call a sportsman"

I never knew a true sports man who wasn't a gentleman.

So if you are a gentleman and a sportsman, then you can't be a bad man, is that clear

Extract from "The old man and the boy" BY Robert Ruark

I have in my time of dealing with hunters not come across anybody that wasn't a gentle man and a sports man. Maybe it got to do with the fact that we hunters respect the animals we hunt dead or alive. Such were these gentlemen that hunted with Safari Njema this year.

For a very long time Uncle Jim Thompson from Atlanta Georgia were talking about taking a Cape buffalo. Uncle Jim had hunted with safari Njema a few times before and always had the goal of hunting the BIG BLACK one. This year after a few setbacks Uncle Jim and his son in law Mr Brooks Dempsey were back in South Africa near the Diamond town of Kimberly. Here Jim would realize his dream a take a grand old buffalo. Jim had spent endless HRS walking and preparing for this hunt he knew how difficult it could be. But he was prepared he knew his gun. We did get lucky but we as hunters would take luck any day if it comes our way. Jim made some excellent shots and only two bullets from his 375 H&H Ruger were necessary to down the magnificent bull. Congratulations on a GREAT trophy.

Brooks also took some animals on his first hunt like this nice springbuck hunted with De-Wald



Then there were father and son hunt and adventure safari with Stu and Tanner Nylund this hunt was conducted in the Zululand (Natal) area of South Africa. We did a great deal of hunting but also some controlled burning before the summer rain. Here is Stu with the rake busy making the fire break before the big fire arrives.

Tanner on his first hunting trip to Africa took some very special animals like this Njala female that would be full mounted with the Male that would be hunted a few days later.



The main aim for the safari for Stu and Tanner was Njala and that is why we went to Natal. Both Stu and Tanner's Njala measured over 28" and are magnificent specimens they are and well into the record book. Well done guys!!! But there were more to come !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



One morning Stu woke up and say let's go to Mozambique. And so we did; only 4 hrs drives from camp to Ponta Du aura we left the morning and by 12PM we were at Fernando's drinking R&R's. We slept at a beach cottage right on the edge of the Indian Ocean. The next day we left on a trip for tiger fishing on Lake Jozini. We had a great time but Tanner out fished us all with this nice Tiger.



The last days of the safari was not without excitement and these gold medal trophies were taken. Stu took this beautiful Common waterbuck with a length of 33" on the longest horn. This was much unexpected and if it wasn't for Stu listen to the PH he might not have got it. Well done Stu these are really once in a life time Trophies.

We at Safari Njema are looking forward to your return to South Africa and Tanzania; this is what memories are made of. Life is toooooo short not to experience adventure and great hunting in the Dark Continent.

To all who regularly receive my newsletters I apologize for the long delay in getting them out. If you know of any one that would like to receive my news letter please forward the e-mail address or direct them to WWW.SAFARINJEMA.COM

Best regards

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