

Points for the Kingdom 3rd Annual Big Buck Contest

By San Augustine County Cowboy Church

The San Augustine County Cowboy Church located at 539 FM 711 in San Augustine will host a Points for the Kingdom Big Buck Contest for the upcoming 2017-2018 General Season beginning November 4th and ending January 7th.

Rules for the contest are as follows:

*Contestants must be entered by **November 3rd on the church website prior to midnight or text your NAME and Date of Birth to [936-201-0023](tel:936-201-0023)**. *Youth hunting during Youth Weekend must be entered by October 28, 2017.

*The entry fee for the contest will be free just as the gift of salvation from Jesus Christ is free.

***Entries must be taken by legal, no high fence, no MLD Tags, fair chase means in accordance with all state and federal game laws during general hunting season.**

*Contest is during General Hunting Season November 4th through January 7th and will be open to the Division 1 (17 and under) on Youth Weekend October 28th through October 29th.

*Deer may only be taken in San Augustine, Sabine, Shelby, Angelina, or Nacogdoches County.

*Contestants may enter more than one legally harvested buck but may not win more than one prize.

*Deadline for check-in will be no later than noon January 8, 2018.

***Biggest Buck** will have Two Division of the Contest- Division 1 is 17 and under as of October 27, 2017; and Division 2 is 18 and over as of October 27, 2017.

*Biggest Buck Entries will be scored as Typical inside spread of the main beams (as defined by Boone and Crockett scoring rules) and number of typical points (as defined by B&C scoring rules) which would equal the final score. As a tiebreaker the buck with the longest point will be the winner.

*Big Buck entries and Spike entries must be checked in and scored at the San Augustine Tribune, Sowell's Taxidermy in San Augustine, or The Deer Shed in

Broaddus. Biggest Doe must be submitted through a texted picture to [936-201-0023](tel:936-201-0023).

***Division 1 (17 and under) Spike Buck Contest**– it must be a TRUE SPIKE; spike length will be used form longest beam. In the event of a tie then the combined length of both beams will be used.

***Division 1 (17 and under) Doe Contest** – must be killed during October 28th & 29th or November 4th – 19th and a pictured submitted to [936-201-0023](tel:936-201-0023). Then all entries will be entered into a drawing.

*The top 7 entries in each division will be rescored at the end of the contest by an official judging team. Their decision will be final.

*PRIZES

* Biggest Buck Prizes will include in each division: Shoulder Mount by Sowell's As Real As It Gets Taxidermy, Steven Sowell, Savage Package Gun, or free deer processing at The Deer Shed in Broaddus by Joey Holloway. Prizes will be awarded as 1st place pick of all 3 prizes; 2nd place prizes left after 1stplace pick; 3rd place the remaining prize.

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*Division 1 Doe Contest Prizes will be Deer Camera*Prizes will be awarded at the San Augustine County Cowboy Church on Sunday, January 21, 2018 after the morning church services. A covered dish luncheon will be provided by the church for all who attend. Lots of door prizes will be award and you must present to win. Some of the prizes include Deer Feeder, Deer Cameras, bibles, etc.

* On firearm prizes – you must be at least 18 years and a legal resident of the United States to obtain a firearm. Winner or Winners guardian must be at least 18 year old to take possession of the firearm and successfully pass applicable background checks. All Federal Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco and Firearms (BATF) rules apply. All firearm transfers will be done through a Federal Firearms Licensed (FFL) dealer, and all applicable Federal and State laws will apply, including the state laws for legal residence