

ADA Northern Branch Tasmania

ADA NORTHERN BRANCH Social Meeting

Sports Hut
5 Doyne Street
Invermay

Friday 8th August 6 – 9 pm

THE BUCK SNORT

NEWSLETTER





🐪 Australian Deer Association – Northern Tasmania Branch

Members' Social Meeting & BBQ Night

Location: Sports Hut, 5 Doyne Street, Invermay

Date: Friday, 8th August 2025 1 Time: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

BBQ (Venison Sausages & Hamburgers): 6:00 – 7:30 PM



Guests welcome when accompanied by a member

Mhat's Happening:

- Giveaways on the night
- **Exclusive member-only specials**
- **Expert talks & gear showcases**

Guest Speakers & Brands:

- Mark from GroundForce Nocpix Thermals, Army Teck Torches & Redshield Gun Safes
- Stewart from Swarovski Optics Premium optics & hunting gear
- Matt from Spika Performance hunting apparel & accessories

Bring your appetite, your questions, and a guest — and enjoy a relaxed night with fellow members of the Tasmanian hunting community.



We look forward to seeing you there!

Upcoming Events & Reminders

2025 Branch meeting dates

The upcoming branch and committee dates are detailed below. Please put these in your calendar, more information will be disseminated prior to each branch meeting.

All members are welcome to attend the committee meetings.

Month	Committee Meeting	Branch Meeting
August		8 August
September	9 September	
October		3 October
November	4 November	28 November

Northern Tasmania Branch Facebook

Just a reminder to follow us on Facebook by following Australian Deer Assoc Norther Branch Tasmania

If you have any items you would like posted on the Facebook page, please send these to the Secretary at northerntas.sec@austdeer.asn.au.

New ADA Northern Tasmania Branch Committee

As a result of the Annual General Meeting the new Northern Tasmania Committee comprises:

President Phil Kimpton

Vice President Andrew Lockett

Secretary/Treasurer Lyndal Kimpton

BHG Coordinators Leigh Dennis

Alex Grodski

Committee members Scott Freeman

John Turnbull

Heath Hall

John Kerr

Tanja Hodges

Nathan Menegon

Gary Pearce

We would like to thank the outgoing committee member Leonie Kirkhope for her contribution and assistance during her term.

From around the grounds

It is always interesting to hear stories from the membership. If you have any hunting or related stories that you would like to share with the membership, send them through to northerntas.sec@austdeer.asn.au.

Dear ADA Members,

I discovered a salami recipe online that can be prepared in the refrigerator without any specialized equipment.

When I made this recipe, I used a 50/50 mix of venison and fatty pork. I added extra dry spices to my taste. Make the recipe to the directions or make it to your tastes experiment with it and enjoy. I enjoyed it and will be making it again.

Best regards,

Leigh Dennis



Homemade Salami Recipe

Most importantly, you need good quality pork meat with some fat in it. Buy a nice and super fresh piece of pork meat and mince it yourself. For 500g minced pork you need:

- · 15g salt
- 5g ground black pepper
- · 2g ground dry garlic
- · 30ml cognac, brandy, scotch or what you got
- · optional some thyme, rosemary, mustard seeds, dry chili, or any other herbs to your liking. Note! All spices must be dry!

Mix all ingredients for at least a couple of minutes until the meat gets sticky. Using gloves is best.

Divide into 4 pieces and form nice sausages. Roll each sausage in fine yellow corn flour or instant polenta.

Place the sausages on a clean plate in the fridge. Turn them daily for the next four weeks. After four weeks, the salami is ready to enjoy.

Store the salami in a paper bag in the fridge. Enjoy!



THE SAUSAGE **SHOP BUTCHERY**

69 MAIN ROAD, PERTH, TASMANIA





NORTHERN BRANCH

Committee Meeting held on the 8 July 2025

at Longford Meeting Room: 7:30 pm

Present: Lyndal Kimpton, Phil Kimpton, Scott Freeman, Heath Hall, Andrew Lockett, Leigh

Dennis, Martin Peters, Gary Pearce, Nathan Menegon, Tanja Hodges, Alex Grodski

Apologies: John Turnbull, John Kerr

Previous minutes:

Minutes were emailed out prior to the meeting for the meeting from 13 May 2025, these minutes were approved:

Moved - Leigh Second - Scott

Correspondence:

In: 3 new members April

3 new members May

Tasmanian Heritage & Militaria Fair – Deloraine Showgrounds 29-30 November, want to know if we want a site. A couple of members to go and have a look and make a decision for next year.

Out:

Treasurers Report:

Available funds at 11 May 2025 \$13,080.59

Reimburse clothing \$555.00

Committee clothing (\$496.00)

Prizes (\$100.00)

Balance at 6 July 2025 \$13,039.59

Moved - Lyndal Second - Leigh

Action items from previous meeting

	Action Item	Responsibility	
1	Need to organise a working bee for maintenance and cleaning of the marquee. To be organised in April	All	Done
	Phil & Leigh to organise a spare wheel and tyre for the marquee trailer.	Phil & Leigh	
2	Longford Show Committee wants contribution towards power.	Andrew & Lyndal	Waiting on Show Committee
	Letter sent to Longford Show Committee based on Andrew's calculations. A response received, waiting on their next meeting for further communication.		
3	Trainer to run a session on firearms safety	Scott, Alex & Lyndal	Park for the moment
	This should be run for all ADA North members, to be looked at for a future meeting.		
	Discussed that this should be mandatory for BHG members as part of their membership. To look for appropriate courses.		
4	Training potential new hunters, a BHG member wants to bring a friend who is not a member of BHG. To come up with a proposal on how this will work at next meeting	Alex	
	Talking about introducing a mentoring program, take as a non-hunting BHG member can attend 3 times with their BHG mentor.		
	Need to develop a mentoring program and the required processes. Alex to develop a program.		
5	Andrew to speak to John relation to a demonstration of the booking system	Andrew	
6	Fern to ask David White from NRE to come and talk about Deer at some point	Fern	

7	End of year meeting – suggested Newstead Hotel	Scott	Scott to organize a speaker from the mainland Talk to Newstead re room size and potential for meal.
8	Write to the Agfest committee about the location allocate this year.	Lyndal	Scott responded to a survey in relation to this.
9	Need to follow-up Doug re North West meetings	Lyndal	
10	ADA website wording needs to be updated for North West	Lyndal	
11	New BHG members need to undertake the ADA Deer Management course, need to work out how we can record when this has been completed	Scott to talk to Sean	In progress
12	Tasfarmers Marquee hire 21 August. Tuesday 19th, John, Phil, Martin, Scott at 3pm at Longford meeting rooms to erect the marquee. Take down on the Saturday.	John, Phil, Martin & Scott	
13	Ernie Spencer award Fern to organise the plague to be engraved and medallion. Lyndal to organise a Sports Hut voucher	Fern & Lyndal	Done
14	Introduction to deer scoring night to be held at the Longford meeting rooms Wednesday 25th June 7:30pm. Lyndal to let the show committee know we will be using the room. Fern to arrange for this to be advertised on Facebook. RSVP's to Lyndal.	Fern & Lyndal	Done

Advocacy update:

A letter was sent around to all political parties re:

- Commitment to the Tasmanian Game Council.
- Commitment to the current Wild Deer Management Plan.
- Continued funding of the Wild Deer Management Plan.
- Commitment to maintain recreational hunting seasons for all our game animals.
- · Position on Public Land Hunting.
- Position / Policy on Recreational Hunting as valued traditional activity in Tasmania.

Shooters & Fishers – are in support of all items

Greens – are not in support of any of the items

Liberal and Labour haven't officially responded.

Unofficial chat with Jainie Finlay (shadow minister) wants a collaborative approach before any rash decisions made. Aware of TasFarmers wish for deer outside zone 1 to be classed as vermin. Formal response on its way.

Liberal coming out with a recreational hunters policy shortly.

Public land hunting

Meeting with Dean Vincent from National Parks to get access to parks reserves to hunt deer.

They want hunting at Douglas Apsley National Park, but can't have firearms in the National Park unless they are under the same scheme as the Walls of Jerusalem. There are 2 properties that abut the National Park that Game Services are trying to get access to for hunting.

We need to identify some Crown Reserve or Regional Reserve that have deer to organise hunting v population control.

Private land hunting

Working with Tasfarmers to put hunters on farms to assist with game control.

ADA Tas Hunters Education Program

Course outlines for a hunters education program that will be a prerequisite for access to the public and private land hunting.

Modules covering

- ADA Deer Management Plan
- Avenza Mapping system
- Garmin InReach
- Safe handling of firearms in the field
- ADA Tas Hunt booking system
- Douglas scoring Fallow Deer introduction
- Introduction to reloading

Scott to continue working on developing this program and Lyndal to assist. Gary to provide materials from previous hunter education courses.

North West Branch

Doug coming back with meeting dates.

BHG

Hunt Report for the 1 Jan 2025 to 3 July 2025

 Bucks
 7

 Does
 66

 Bennets Wallaby
 118

 Rufus Wallaby
 143

 Po0ssum
 193

 Rabbit
 8

 Other
 5

 Total
 540

Robert Jetson was shown blocks as part of induction into program.

Forico are replanting Pig Run Topside areas 3 & 4 Early July 2025 and Camelford North Area 2 in 2025-2026 financial year.

Trespassing was discussed with Bree and unless the hunters are willing to report the trespass to the Police take photos and submit with an affidavit there is not much they can do about it. Forico's doesn't want anyone to put themselves at risk. ADA will continue to push for gates on all entrances.

There are a couple of rogue dogs at the moment at Camelford on block 5 with pups. BHG members have been warned.

There are a lot of hours being spent on Camelford rather than the other blocks. Need to encourage members to hunt other blocks.

An email to be sent to members encouraging them to go to other blocks, otherwise members will lose access to Camelford.

Next General Meeting

Friday 8th August 2025 6-9pm

• Speaker/ Theme Sports Hut

Giveaways one at 6:30pm, 7:30pm & 8:30pm

Meat TrayRefreshmentsBBQ

General Business

- Photographic awards, Gary to organise a sponsor for a photographic award.
- Tea and coffee should be provided for members, Gary to organise for the meeting in September.
- Deer heads from members, include in Newsletter to bring heads in from recent trips to show. There is no pressure for people to talk about their trips in public.

Buck Snort

- Lyndal & Phil's hunting trip to New Zealand
- Sports Hut General Meeting

Guest Speaker Ideas for upcoming meeting:

• Roo boning out –James Groves (multiple carcasses for members to partake)

• Wildlife Photographer

YouTube movie night Andrew

Pack fitting – Aspire

• Zoom in Billy Moles

• Wilderness First Aid

Getting hunt fit
 Crystal, Health Revival

GMA – Hound hunting or Duck WIT potentially August meeting

Next committee meeting

Tuesday 9th September 2025

Meeting closed 9:40pm

<u>President</u> <u>Secretary</u>

Phil Lyndal



ADA COMMUNICATIONS

To ensure you are up to date with what is going on nationally and locally, remember to update your details via your personal login on the ADA website or with the NMO.



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