



Triple D Game Farm Winter Newsletter 2015



Message from the Triple “D” Staff

Northwestern Montana is now experiencing its first taste of winter with several recent snowfalls and more in the forecast. All of our filming locations are now snow covered and are ready for use. In anticipation of winter, the Triple “D” Staff has made all the necessary preparations for our specially designed winter filming locations. Winter snows are expected to remain through March. Snow conditions will vary throughout the winter; powder snow will be more prevalent during December and January. February and March will receive periodic powder snow

fall with a packed base allowing our animals to walk on top of the snow.

Photographing our animals in this winter wonderland is a wildlife photographer's dream come true. Viewing our 25 species of animals with their beautiful winter fur in our gorgeous natural settings is breath-taking!

Some people hesitate to visit us during the winter, because of the cold. It really isn't that bad! Come prepared with the proper clothing and you will enjoy winter wildlife photography at its best. Some of our sites have warming sheds or propane heaters for the colder weather. Return from a morning of photography and join us for hot drinks or stay in our cozy Howling Wolf Lodge.

Road Trip for 2015

It has been a tradition of the Triple "D" to travel every April with a selection of our animals to scenic locations throughout the U.S. We are now making plans to return to the stunning red rocks of Southern Utah near the town of Hurricane and close to the west entrance of Zion National Park. The "Birds of Prey" Event (April 10, 17 & 24) is an optional choice.

We will be offering a total of seven, three-day wildlife events. The first 3-day event will begin on April 4, 2015 and the final event will end on April 27, 2015. Included in each of the seven Wildlife Events, photographers will have the opportunity to photograph our animals in a variety of natural settings, to include a high elevation red rock site, a crystal clear stream, majestic red rock cliffs, red rock arches, famous for that part of the country and of course a jumping mountain lion photo session with Zion N.P. as a back drop. Be prepared for a three-day photography event that will meet your every expectation!

We have hosted the Utah Special at this location numerous times and during those

visits we have located the ultimate in filming sites, featuring the red rocks common to that of Zion N. P. The backdrops will include bright red rocky outcrops, sand swept desert environments with desert flowers and the magnificent peaks of Zion N.P.



Participants will be guaranteed eight photo sessions during the three-day event with an option to attend additional sessions. The group size for each event will be limited to 12 photographers.

Some of the three day events will be reserved for participants who would like to join an organized group (referred to as a guided session). Jeff Wendorff, a professional photographer and group leader will provide instruction and manage the logistics for his participants during Event No. 2 (April 7-9) Julie Chapman and Greg Beecham, world renowned Artists will co-host Event No. 5 (April 18-20). Contact us for more information on joining an organized group.

The other events (unguided) will be reserved for individuals who prefer not to have the assistance of a group leader.

Professionally Led Photography Workshops

(Winter Workshops based out of the Triple "D" Ranch)

Many photographers interested in visiting us will benefit from the experience of joining a professionally led workshop. These full featured workshops focus on teaching various aspects of wildlife photography to include digital techniques and image processing. Experienced workshop leaders will provide instruction at the filming location and also back at the Triple "D" Conference Room. Our objective is for you to return home with the best possible images.

Click on the underlined dates below for links to more information.

January 2 - 5, 2015 - Winter Special Event

With Jeff Wendorff's **Wildlife Workshops** in conjunction with Triple "D"

January 8 - 11, 2015 - Animals in Winter Event

With Jeff Wendorff's **Wildlife Workshops** in conjunction with Triple "D"

January 16 - 19, 2015 - Winter Wildlife Photography

With Kathleen Reeder's **KAR Photo**

January 23 - 26, 2015

With Paul Burwell's **Burwell School of Photography**

February 7 - 9, 2015 - Animals in Montana Winter

With Jeff Wendorff's **Wildlife Workshops** in conjunction with Triple "D"

February 26 - March 1, 2015

With Nick Fucci's **Outdoor & Nature Photography**

March 12 - 15, 2015

With Chas Glatzer's **Shoot the Light**

March 17 - 20, 2015

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April 7 - 9, 2015 Utah Road Trip

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Triple "D" Events for Winter 2015

(Events without workshop leader)

Montana Winter come soon after the fall colors diminish, by then our animals are wearing their finest coats of the year. We have designed special snow filming sites with a back drop of nothing but snow for our animals like Arctic wolves, Arctic fox and snow leopards. These and several other species look their best in these settings. All of our other locations will have a blanket of snow for our winter events.

Click on the underlined dates below for links to more information.

December 5 - 9, 2014 December Special

It's the beginning of winter in NW Montana featuring, your choice from 25 species.

January 2 - 5, 2015 Winter Special

Featuring all species in winter conditions.

January 8 - 11, 2015 Animals in Winter

Featuring all species in winter conditions.

“NEW” January 30 - February 2, 2015 Sweetheart Weekend

It's designed with you and your sweetheart in mind!



Animals in MT Winter February 7-9, 2015

Featuring all species in winter conditions

February Special February 13-17, 2015

Featuring, your choice from 25 species)

March Special March 6-9, 2015

Featuring, your choice from 25 species.

Artist Workshops 2015 - 2016

The Triple "D" is offering numerous workshops for wildlife artists to expand their horizons. Join a workshop instructed by some of the best wildlife artists in their field. How often do you get an opportunity to attend a workshop with instruction by a renowned artist, learn their techniques in the classroom setting and photograph wildlife for your reference material? Well it is possible! Please consider joining one of the following events. You can photograph, sketch or even use the Triple "D" animals as your subject for a sculpture course. Imagine yourself viewing a gorgeous snow leopard, cougar, bear, wolf pack or many other Triple "D" animals in their natural habitats.

Click on the underlined dates below for links to more information.

April 18-20, 2015 Utah Road Trip

With **Julie Chapman & Greg Beecham** in conjunction with Triple "D"

May 29 - June 1 , 2015 "The Total Wildlife Workshop" Wildlife Art w/ Colored Pencil

With **Gemma Gylling**

"NEW" July 31 – August 3, 2015 "Sculpting Wolves From Life"

With **Veryl Goodnight**

August 27 – 31, 2015 "The Art of Seeing" August 27 – 31, 2015

With **Julie Chapman**

February 19-23, 2016 "Sculpting with Paint Workshop"

With **Greg Beecham**

February 25-29, 2016 “Wilderness Workshop”

With **John & Suzie Seerey-Lester**

Horse Roundup and Birds of Prey Events in 2015

Horse Roundup Events in Montana

Wild West authentic western photography events are schedule for 2015 with a herd of running horses accompanied by western dressed wranglers.

January 6-7, 2015

February 10-11, 2015

June 17-18, 2015

July 22-23, 2015

August 12-13, 2015

September 23-24, 2015

October 13-14, 2015

[Click here to register for any of the Horse Roundup events.](#)

Birds of Prey Events in Montana

Spend a morning with MT Wild Wings Recovery Center and their wonderful birds of prey. Expect 3-5 birds in natural settings.

January 6, 2015

February 12, 2015

April 10, 17 & 24, 2015 in Utah

June 16, 2015

July 21, 2015

August 12, 2015

September 23, 2015

October 13, 2015

[Click here to register for any of the Birds of Prey Events](#)

Thank You!

Kim and I and the Triple "D" Staff would like to wish you a very pleasant Holiday Season!!

We've enjoyed being in business for well over 40 years, helping artists, photographers and cinema photographers capture wildlife images. Thank you for your patronage and your interest in the conservation of wildlife and the service we provide.

We look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Jay and Kim

Owners, Triple "D" Game Farm, Inc.



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