



The Maine Sportsman



MAINE BLACK BEAR CLUB

An Association of Hunters Who Have Taken a Black Bear in Maine.
(This is not an application for a state record)

Mail this completed application along with \$15.00 to:
The Maine Sportsman, 183 State Street, Suite 101, Augusta, ME 04330

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Yes, I want to add a one-year subscription and have enclosed \$38 (\$23 subscription plus \$15 patch).

Photo Print Included: Yes No Emailed

Please include your full name on the back of the photo along with any information you'd like to see published. Email your digital trophy photos to photos@mainesportsman.com.

Hunter's Contact Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

If the Hunter is under 16, please provide the hunter's age, and the name and phone number of the person who accompanied the minor: _____

Bear Harvest Information

Date Harvested: _____ Town Harvested From: _____

Tag Number: _____ Sex of Animal: _____

Firearm Caliber Used: _____

Dressed Weight: _____ Live Weight (Add 20%): _____

Certified By (see rule #5) _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Affidavit of Hunter

Under penalties of perjury, I swear or affirm that I (or the youth I supervised) harvested the wild fish or game described in this application and as depicted in any accompanying photographs, legally and in the manner described in this application.

Signed: _____ Date of this application _____

RULES

1. Open to anyone, resident and non-resident, holding a Maine hunting license.
2. Limited to only black bears taken in Maine in accordance with game laws.
3. No animal known to have been shot by anyone other than applicant him/herself will qualify.
4. Dressed weight of bear must be without heart, lungs or liver.
5. Tagging station attendants, Maine game wardens and state game biologists can certify weight. If possible, please have witnesses also. If applying for a Maine state record scales must be officially calibrated.
6. A shoulder patch and packet will be awarded to qualifying members.