



Safari Club International

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New Zealand's Fastest Growing Hunting Conservation Organisation

WHY JOIN SCI?

When you join SCI New Zealand, you join with this country's most pro-active and concerned sportspeople who form the membership of New Zealand's fastest growing hunting conservation organization. SCI New Zealand is an organisation that cares about responsible hunting and conservation ... and does something about it. As a member, your benefits include:

- **Conventions:** All New Zealand members are invited to our Annual General Meeting and Safari Show where members come to be informed, entertained, and join in the fellowship. Enjoy our Annual Fundraising Auction where you can purchase New Zealand and International hunts. SCI International members may also attend the International Convention held annually in the United States.
- **Credentials:** Members receive a wallet-sized individual membership card
- **Recognition:** All New Zealand Chapter members are welcome to submit their trophies for inclusion in the New Zealand Trophy Register which is available to all Chapter Members at token cost. SCI International members may also enter their trophies in SCI's Record book of Trophy Animals and participate in the Medallion Program, Major Awards, Grand Slams and Inner Circle Achievement programs.
- **Hunter Access:** All members are encouraged to take advantage of the SCI New Zealand Hunter Access Program where hunting opportunities are made available to our SCI New Zealand members.
- **Publications:** All members receive our award winning, quarterly Safari News magazine. SCI International members also receive the bi-monthly magazine from International, "Safari Magazine". Considered by many, the finest hunting magazine in production in the world, and the monthly newspaper, "Safari Times".
- **Reports:** SCI International members may request from International, hunter submitted reports on International guides and their operations to help you make the right decision before purchasing international hunts.

Conservation of Wildlife - Protection of the Hunter"

Safari Club International is the world's largest hunting and conservation organisation based in Tucson, USA, with more than 55,000 members belonging to 190 Chapters spread around the world. Members are conservationists who hunt. There is no irony in this statement because conservation and hunting are not only compatible, but are inseparable.

Habitat and wildlife must be kept in balance and wisely managed hunting is one the best ways to accomplish this objective. Hunting is a cherished heritage but opportunities and species available to hunt, not only internationally but locally, are threatened by political neglect, political intervention, or believed habitat loss. Safari Club International steps in with money and effort.

As a Chapter of Safari Club International this New Zealand Chapter is in a particularly unique position. No other New Zealand hunting conservation organisation has an International umbrella available at all times for advice, guidance and when necessary, finance.

Since 1971, SCI and its Chapters have contributed more than US\$140 million to improve or restore habitats, reintroduce indigenous species, propagate and manage resident species, combat poaching and habitat encroachment, encourage better rules and regulations, and conduct research and surveys. This expertise is available to this Chapter and the New Zealand recreational hunter will see the result of this type of effort in the very near future.

CODE OF ETHICS

All members are expected to abide by the following Code of Ethics –

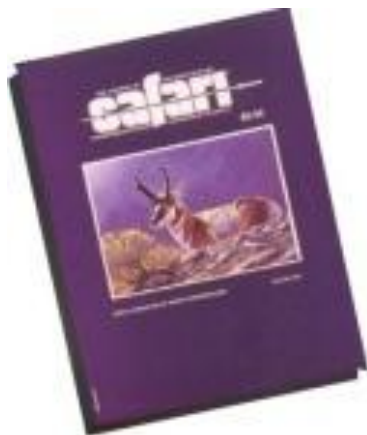
Recognising their responsibilities as a hunter to wildlife, to the habitat necessary to its survival, and to future generations, and accepting these principals of superior sportsmanship promulgated by Safari Club International: -

They pledge:

1. That they shall unfailingly conduct themselves in the hunting field so as to make a positive contribution to the welfare of both game and non-game species of wildlife, as well as to the ecosystems they occupy.
2. That they shall never cease to try to improve their personal skills in bushmanship and marksmanship, to assure humane harvesting of wildlife surpluses and to avoid waste of those precious resources.
3. That they will comply with all laws regulating wildlife harvest and shall accept their responsibility to provide all possible assistance to Conservation and Fish and Game enforcement officers.
4. That they shall always, by word and behaviour, reflect only credit upon the great fraternity of sportsmen-hunters, and demonstrate their abiding respect for the game, for its habitat, for their fellow hunters and those who will come after them, and for the property, whether private or public, whereupon they are privileged to hunt.
5. That they will waste no opportunity to teach young people, by their personal example and otherwise, full meaning and practice of this Hunters Code of Ethics.

PURPOSE AND INTENT

- a. To promote good fellowship among all who love the outdoors and hunting
- b. To promote conservation of the world's renewable wildlife resources, recognizing hunting as one of the many management tools.
- c. To educate youth, sportsmen and the public in conservation of our wildlife and our forests which are our natural heritage
- d. To share our hunting experiences and information among our membership
- e. To operate the association, consistent with its charitable purposes, while providing enjoyment for our members, always with the goal of helping to conserve the animals that we love to hunt today - for those who will come to love the sport tomorrow.



MEMBERSHIP CLASSES AND FEES:

Membership Acceptance - All Membership is subject to acceptance of their application for Membership by the Executive of this Association.

1. **NZ Chapter Member** - A person must be of good moral character, provide sufficient evidence, if required, as to his/her character and have demonstrated an active interest in both hunting and conservation. Receives all publications from SCI New Zealand. May vote in all elections and submit trophies to the New Zealand Trophy Register. Annual Cost NZ\$80.00
 2. **NZ Chapter Family Membership** - Be a family satisfying all criteria for membership and will include: Two (2) New Zealand Chapter Memberships; and as many dependent family members, using the same address, but receiving only one set of SCI(NZ) correspondence per household. NZ Family Membership \$95.00
 3. **NZ Chapter Life Membership** – A person would satisfy Chapter membership criteria but wishes to be a life member and save on annual subscriptions. Once only cost of NZ\$790.00.
 4. **SCI International Chapter Membership:**
Available by internet from SCI at <http://member.scifirstforhunters.org/join/> or by completion of the following membership application via credit card. International Membership is available at a cost of US\$ 90 or for a discounted 3 year membership of US\$225
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1. **(Non voting) Memberships** - There are three classes of unqualified Membership. None shall have voting rights in this Association and shall only be registered with the New Zealand Chapter and therefore only receive New Zealand Chapter publications.
 1. **Associate Membership** - Associate Membership: Any person or organisation, whether or not a member of Safari Club International may become a member of this Chapter providing they have a supportive interest in hunting and conservation. Annual Cost NZ\$80.00
 2. **Junior Membership** - Any person who shall not have reached his/her 18th birthday on the 30 June of that year, be of good moral character, provide sufficient evidence, if required, and have demonstrated an active interest in hunting and conservation. Annual Cost NZ\$25.00



APPLICATION FORM FOR SCI NEW ZEALAND CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP

Thank you for wishing to join Safari Club International New Zealand Chapter. Please mail the completed form to the address at the end of this form.

Please tick the membership class you wish to join.

- ☐ New Zealand Chapter
- ☐ NZ Family Membership
- ☐ NZ Chapter Life Membership
- ☐ SCI International Membership
- ☐ Associate Membership.
- ☐ Junior Membership

Please fill in the form below and send to us.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

POST CODE: _____

PH DAY: _____

PH NIGHT: _____

MOBILE: _____

EMAIL: _____

SCI MEMBER REFERENCE NAME (IF POSS): _____

CONTACT PHONE AND/OR EMAIL: _____

Would you like to pay by Credit Card?

☐ Yes

☐ No. I am posting a cheque to PO Box 11320, Christchurch 8443

If you answered "Yes", please fill in the following

Credit Card Type: ☐ Visa, or ☐ MasterCard

Card Number _____

Cardholder's Name _____

Card Expiration Date _____ Security Code: _____ Signature: _____

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