



2008 Season Report



Diane had to run a few hundred yards to
Take a shot at this big old bull in velvet



Welcome to Silak Adventure's 2008 newsletter .
Let me start by saying that 2008 was not the easiest of Caribou Season ever, it took a lot of logistics twisting and head scratching to move some guests in the schedule to make sure everybody would be successful but in the end most of our guests came back home with 2 Bulls (89%) . This all cause by a very unreliable Caribou Migration, with very big pushes followed by dribbles of animals Then back to big pushes again, all that mix with bad weather And almost stopped migration in mid-September. At that point I contacted the guests and let them know what the situation was, giving them the chance to come later in the season to have a better chance at a good bull ! It was not a funny thing to do, but in the end I'm very glad I did because everybody that decided to come later had a very good hunt ! Consequently I would like to thank ALL our staff, field and office (you know who you are) for a great job, I couldn't have done it without you ! Finally I would like to thank all the guests that came up last season for understanding the situation, you made this outfitter's life a lot easier !

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2009 will see no changes to the way we do things in the field or during booking process. Our "No surprises and No gimmicks" hunting packages are exactly what they are expected to be. We stand by our words and we will do Everything in our power to make this trip a remembered Adventure. Great service plus a **Guaranteed Shot Opportunity** on 1 mature bull, is a sure way to go about this business. Compare us We have nothing to Hide !!!!



2010 Preview: Small changes with big impacts !!!! Starting in 2010 Silak Adventures will redefine What **ALL INCLUSIVE** means, will be the first in the industry to include everything needed for your trip with us, that was the next logical step in our Philosophy : **To serve Our Guests like Family !** Check our Website for details (coming soon)



13 year old Erik did very good on his first Caribou hunt, not only he was able to harvest a big bull in velvet, But he will remember that 300 yards shot for a long time


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2009 Package lineup



All the favorite packages are back again this season And after much consideration and request by our guests We decided to add a **FLY FISHING PACKAGE** For migrating River Brook Trout, to our list of Adventures . This will be the Ultimate Fly Fishing trip with the possibility of a Fly-Out for Atlantic Salmon or Sea-Run Artic Char, With ONLY 8 Guests per Week for a Maximum of 2 weeks of bookings All catch & release in Brook Trout Paradise. Needless to say that spots are very limited, so picked up the phone and let us tell you about this incredible fishing trip !!! The "Door to Door" was a very popular option last season This option makes your adventure start at the closest international airport from your home in a round trip manner, with this option everything is included, airfare, hotel on the way out and repackaging of your antlers in boxes for airlines purposes. You just have to get to the airport, the rest is on us ! Most of our fly-in guests are using this option, unless you have a lot of frequent flyer miles you will probably never beat that price !



John Grueneveld from Michigan with a great bull in velvet that he took the second week of September at camp Vanessa 



Last season our success rate was essentially unchanged with a final harvest percentage of 89% on 2 Bulls per or 1.78 Bulls per hunters on a possibility of 2






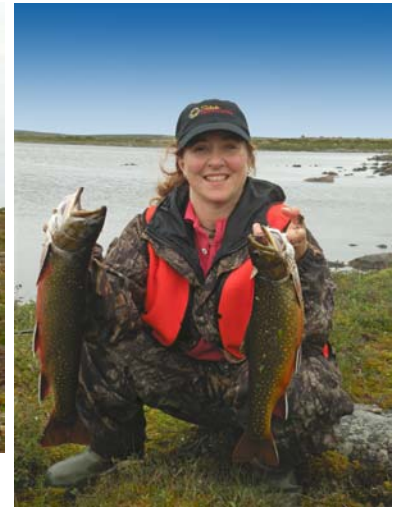
Silak Adventures always includes Fishing in all hunting Packages , (catch & release license). Every camp used for Caribou hunting are next to lakes or rivers, so after your done hunting Caribou you can try fishing brook or lake trout or maybe hunt for Ptarmigan ! (small game license is available in camp)



Russell Stacy of LA with a great bull After a tundra blizzard in mid Sept



Our long time Michigan Associate, Todd Maki took that great Bull in August 




This is the type of Brook Trout You can expect to catch at lake Vanessa On Our New :FLY FISHING PACKAGE

TRUE TROPHY HUNTS WITH SILAK ADVENTURES

For 2009 we continue to offer our True Trophy Hunt Package With a minimum score B&C or P&Y Guaranteed

365 points for B&C
325 points for P&Y
Call for details !!



George Luedtke & Mark Pagel from TX With good Velvet Bull shot on the last week of August at Vanessa camp 

2009 PACKAGES LINEUP

1X1 SOLO HUNT:
1 HUNTER WITH 1 GUIDE

1X3 FULLY GUIDED:
3 HUNTERS WITH 1 GUIDE
CARIBOU LICENSE \$335.00CND

FATHER & SONS, GROUP DISCOUNT and GRADUATION PACKAGES available



That was 1 of a couple thousands that Kent White of MO, saw on that last week of September 2008

2009 SHOW SCHEDULE

Jan 8-11	Dallas SCI , Dallas TX
Jan 15-18	ISE Sacramento, Ca
Jan 23-25	Huntin'time expo G- Rapids Mi
Feb 13-15	Deer & Turkey Lansing Mi
Feb 26-Mar	Outdoorama Novi, Mi
Mar 20-22	Deer & Turkey Columbus Oh
Aug 15-17	Texas Trophy Hunter Extravaganza Forth Worth, Tx

Hopefully you will be able to join us on our 2009 Hunting Adventures on this great tundra, I 'm Looking forward to see you all up there, For now I remain at your service to help you plan your trip to the Arctic .
Come and meet me at the our upcoming shows Looking forward to see you all !



Mare Ballard

---REMEMBER THAT A VALID PASSPORT WILL IS NEEDED TO RE-ENTER THE UNITED STATES AFTER A TRIP TO CANADA---

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