

NZPHGA Guide Standards Training Program – High Peak – 28th August - 3rd September 2023

	7.30am – 9.45am	MT	10.00am – 12.00pm	Lunch	1.00pm – 3.00pm	AT	3.15pm – 6.00pm	Evening
Day 1 Monday 28/Aug/23	Course Welcome (7.30 - 8.00 am) Serial 1: Intro to Industry & NZPHGA (8.00 - 8.45 am) Serial 2: Role & Attributes of a Professional Hunting Guide (8.45 – 11:30)		Serial 2: Role & Attributes of a Professional Hunting Guide (8:45 – 11.30) Serial 5: Equipment (11.30 – 12.00)	12.00 - 1.00	Serial 6: Rifles & Shooting (Theory) (1.00 – 3.00)		Serial 6: Rifles & Shooting (Rifle Preparation) (Gunroom) (3.15 – 4.00) GAC - (Roger) (4:00 - 4:30) Serial 7: Game Estate Considerations (4.30 – 5.00)	
Day 2 Tuesday 29/Aug/23	Serial 6: Rifles, Shooting - Range Session (Range) (7.30 – 2:00)		Serial 6: Rifles, Shooting - Range Session (Range) (7.30 – 2:00)	Packed lunch at range	Serial 6: Rifles, Shooting - Range Session (Range) (7.30 – 2:00) Serial 6: Rifles & Shooting (Rifle cleaning – practical) (Gunroom) (2:00 - 3:00)		Serial 4: NZPHGA SMS (3:15 - 5:15)	
Day 3 Wednesday 30/Aug/23	Serial 8: Planning a Hunt (7:30 – 8:15) Serial 9: Guiding a Client on a Hunt (Theory) (8:15 – 9:45)		Serial10:Trophy Photography (Theory) (10:00 - 11:00) Serial 11: Field Dressing & Caping (Theory) (11:00 - 11:30) Serial 12: Carcase recovery & Break Down (Theory)(11:30 – 12:00) Including Food Safety Video	12.00 - 1.00	Serial 21: River Crossing (1:00 – 4:30)		Serial 21: River Crossing (1:00 – 4:30) Hunt day brief (groups) (4:30 - 5:00)	
Day 4 Thursday 31/Aug/23	Serial 9: Guiding a Client on a Hunt (practical) Including practical aspects of Serial 10: Trophy Photography, (6:30am – 5.00pm)		Serial 9: Guiding a Client on a Hunt (practical) Including practical aspects of Serial 10: Trophy Photography (6:30am – 5.00pm)	Packed lunch on hill	Serial 9: Guiding a Client on a Hunt (practical) Including practical aspects of Serial 10: Trophy Photography, (6:30am – 5.00pm)		Serial 9: Guiding a Client on a Hunt (practical) Including practical aspects of Serial 10: Trophy Photography, (7.00am – 5.00pm) If all back early - Start Serial 11: Field Dressing - Skinning	
Day 5 Friday 1/Sep/23	Serial 11: Field Dressing & Caping, Skinning (Practical) (7:30 - 9:45)		Serial 12: Carcase Recovery & Break Down - Butchery (Practical) (10:00 - 11:30)	Early lunch 11:30 - 12:00	Serial 13: Head Skinning & Trophy Care (Practical)(Tyron Southward) (12.00 – 4.00)		Serial 13: Head Skinning & Trophy Care (Practical) (Tyron Southward) (12.00 – 4.00) Serial 17: Hosting and Lodge Skills (Theory) (4.00 – 5.00)	Serial 17: Hosting and Lodge Skills (Practical) – (Dinner and hosting Evening)

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Day 6 Saturday 2/Sep/23	Serial 15: Working Around Helicopters Serial 16: Aerially Assisted Trophy Hunts (7.30 – 12.00) (Rakaia Helicopters at High Peak)		Serial 15: Working around Helicopters Serial 16: Aerial Assisted Trophy Hunts (7.30 – 12.00) (Rakaia Helicopters at High Peak)	12.00 – 1.00	Serial 14: Trophy Measuring (1:00 – 3:45)		Serial 14: Trophy Measuring (1:00 – 3:45) Field Trophy Assessment (3:45 - 5:15)	
Day 7 Sunday 3/Sep/23	Serial 3: Compliance, Permits & Admin (7.30 – 9:15) Serial 20: DoC Environmental Care Code (9:15 - 9:45)		Photo Assessments (10:00 - 11:00) Serial 23: Outfitter’s Perspective (11.00 – 11:30) Serial 22: Filmed Hunts (11:30 - 12:00)	12.00 – 1.00	Serial 19: Small Game & Game Bird Considerations (1:00 - 1:20) Serial 18: Client Considerations (1:20 - 2:00) Serial 4: Avalanche Awareness/Alpine (2:00 – 2:30) Group Course Critique (2:30 - 3:00)		Individual end of course debriefs (3:15 - 5:00) Depart for Home at 5.00 pm	

Course participants, please endeavour to be at High Peak by 5:00 pm on Sunday the 27th August for meet and greet and dinner.

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