

WHAT IS HEROES RISING OUTDOORS® ?

The Arizona Elk Society started Heroes Rising Outdoors® in 2015 to provide hunting opportunities for Arizona military veterans who have been left with disabilities sustained while serving our nation. Many veterans return from duty with injuries that have impacted their ability to enjoy their favorite outdoor activities. For some veterans, this contributes to a feeling of void in their lives. Heroes Rising Outdoors® was created to address those issues by offering healing opportunities in Arizona's diverse outdoor settings.



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Hunting for Heroes
HEALING THROUGH HUNTING

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HEALING THROUGH FISHING

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HEALING THROUGH HORSES

Outdoors for Heroes
HEALING THROUGH OUTDOOR EXPERIENCES

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for Arizona's Veteran Heroes



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Empowering
Arizona's
Veterans



**HUNTING FOR
HEROES**
HEALING THROUGH
OUTDOOR RECREATION

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Heroes Rising Outdoors® mission is to provide Arizona veterans the chance to participate in activities that they may have felt were no longer possible. Our program focuses on giving veterans the opportunity to relax and unwind while enjoying various outdoor experiences.

Arizona's great outdoors provides some of the best natural therapy there is. Heroes Rising Outdoors® delivers comfortable, all-inclusive guided hunts and fishing trips free of charge. In addition, we offer equine therapy non-riding programs. These programs offer men and women the chance to immerse themselves in nature and discover healing through outdoor activities.

AES' Heroes Rising Outdoors® program is for our nation's heroes here in Arizona. We hope you share our passion and commitment to the men and women who have sacrificed so much to protect our freedoms. As an organization with a hunting and outdoor heritage as part of our mission, we are in an excellent position to offer community members the opportunity to give back to military veterans in a meaningful way.



AZGFD BIG GAME TAG DONATION PROGRAM

The Arizona Game and Fish Department offers a successful big game tag transfer program allowing a donated tag to go to a qualified 501c3 organization. That organization then offers the tag, along with the outdoor experience, to qualified Arizona veterans. The AES participates in this program as we believe there is a need to offer healing experiences to the veterans of Arizona. If you are interested in donating your tag, please call 623-444-4147 or email us at HRO@arizonaelksociety.org.



HOW YOU CAN HELP

Volunteer: Please go to www.arizonaelksociety.org and fill out a volunteer form, or call Heroes Rising Outdoors® at 623-444-4147. We have many needs for volunteers including assisting hunters and fishers, camp set-up, cooking, coordination, and fundraising. All are opportunities waiting for you!

Donate a Tag: Donate your tag and be a hero yourself --- don't waste it! If you purchased Point Guard with your AZGFD big game application, donating your tag to Heroes Rising Outdoors® will qualify you to get your bonus points back. Please contact us at 623-444-4147 or HRO@arizonaelksociety.org if you are interested in providing a big game tag.

Support Heroes Rising Outdoors®: To support healing for our veterans and help offset the program's many costs, *please use the DONATION* button on the Arizona Elk Society website.

Donations to a 501c3 organization, such as the Arizona Elk Society (86-1035639), are generally tax-deductible. Consult your tax professional.

Donations or Sponsorship: If you own a business and have products to donate or would like to become a sponsor of "Heroes Rising Outdoors®," please contact Stephen Clark, Executive Director, Arizona Elk Society stevec@arizonaelksociety.org or call 623-444-4147.

