



February 3, 2012

Dear Fellow Bowhunters and Supporters;

The 33rd annual Arizona Bowhunters Association Awards Banquet is scheduled for April 14, 2012. This year's banquet will be held at Phoenix Mountain Preserve Center, located at 1431 East Dunlap Road, Phoenix AZ. The event starts at 4:30 p.m. with a social hour followed by dinner at 5:30 p.m. Upon conclusion of dinner the remainder of the evening will be filled with awards presentations, raffles, silent auction items, live auction items and special ladies and kid's raffles.

Once again this year we will be auctioning off the special commissioner tags for Black Bear, Buffalo and Javelina. As always we will have several top of the line bows that will be auctioned or given away in raffles or raffle blitzes. One of the huge successes last year at our banquet was the inclusion of guns. Again this year we will have several guns to auction and raffle off. The kids table is always a very popular raffle for our future outdoorsman and outdoorswoman. Then there is our specialty the Ladies table, we will have a variety of items for silent auction and raffle prizes.

Please do not forget to fill out your application for your ABA awards. Attached is the application for the awards to be given the night of the banquet. We love to recognize the archery feats of our children, so please do not forget to fill out awards applications for the kids.

Again this year if you purchase your tickets by April 7, 2012 you will be eligible for \$25 dollars in free raffle tickets along with the opportunity to buy \$150 dollars of raffle tickets for the price of \$100.

I look forward to seeing past friends and ABA members along with making new friends and having new ABA members join one of the greatest sportsman clubs.

Carl Brashears
Arizona Bowhunters Association
Banquet Chairman