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WHITETAIL FRENZY
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We are proud to announce...

the partnership between Beyond
the Backyard and Whitetail Frenzy.

Whitetail Frenzy is a national television show focused on relating to the everyday hunter, while harvesting mature whitetails in high pressured areas. Each show takes place in the Appalachian region of the United States. Known as the toughest and hardest to hunt terrain, no outdoor show in history has consistently taken down mature whitetails in this region, until now.

The show is hosted by West Virginia natives, Kenny Davis and Aharon Davis. Because of their love for our state and the outdoors, they have become a large supporter of the Outdoor Adventure Camp by donating hunting equipment to give away each year. They guys of White Frenzy agree that what Beyond The Backyard does for kids in West Virginia is second to none when it comes to educating kids and parents about what the great outdoors has to offer.

Be sure to check out their shows:

PURSUIT CHANNEL

Sunday's at 5:30pm and Thursday's at 6:00pm

SUDDENLINK WV CHANNEL 2

Thursday's at 8:30pm and Saturday's at 3:30pm



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Excited about your recent outdoor adventure and want to share with other members? Send us your photo with a brief description and we will add it to our trophy room. Email the picture and description to tbartlett@beyondthebackyard.org or upload them to our website.

Congrats to all!



Become a Fan To Stay Up-To-Date

Beyond The Backyard is asking all of its members to become a fan of our organization at www.facebook.com/beyondthebackyard. This is a great way for us to share stories and photographs of our outdoor adventures. This also allows us to keep all of our members up-to-date on events around the Mountain State. We also post all of our hunting and fishing adventures on Twitter and Instagram. Find us at twitter.com/beyond_backyard and instagram.com/beyondthebackyard

Member Spotlight

Would you like to be the next kid featured in our member spotlight?

Sign up at: beyondthebackyard.org



Dominic Taylor

Name: Dominic Taylor
Lives in: East Bank, WV
Siblings: Andrea and Jaxon Taylor
Parents: Michael Taylor
Activities: Playing basketball
Favorite Food: Pizza
Favorite Hobby: Building legos
Favorite TV Show: Tree House Masters





Tree Stand Safety Tips

Unfortunately, statistics have shown that tree stand accidents are currently the number one cause of hunter-related injury every season. In fact, it's estimated that one out of every three deer hunters who hunt from elevated stands are likely to experience a fall at some point in their lives that will result in serious injury. In order to avoid these accidents, follow these important safety tips when hanging, climbing, hunting or descending from a tree stand this fall. Remember, always follow your tree stand owner's manual before taking your tree stand into the woods.

- Be sure to select the proper tree before hanging a fixed-position stand or using a climbing stand. The tree should be alive and healthy without any noticeable rot or damage. Your tree should also meet the size specifications and restrictions set by the tree stand company.
- NEVER hunt from a tree stand without a secure and high-quality safety harness. It only takes one fall to suffer a serious injury or permanently end your hunting career.
- A strong and sturdy safety rope (or strap) should be attached to both your harness and the tree to prevent you from falling more than 12-inches.
- Continuously monitor and inspect your safety harness and tree stands before and during the season to check for wear and tear or possible damage.
- When hunting from a fixed position or hang-on stand, always inspect the ladder steps and tree stand attachments to make sure everything is tightly secured to the tree.
- Always use a haul line to pull-up your gear, bow or unloaded firearm. Never climb with anything in your hands or attached to your back. Before climbing down, utilize the haul line to safely lower all of your equipment on the opposite side of the tree.
- Be sure to let family and friends know the exact tree stand location that you're currently hunting. When at all possible, hunt with a buddy and always carry a communication device like a cell-phone or walkie-talkie that can easily be reached on your body at anytime.
- Follow the 3-Point rule, which says always have 3-points of contact to your steps or ladder when climbing or descending from your stand.
- Be aware of slippery and hazardous climbing conditions that may result from rain, sleet, snow or ice and take the appropriate precautions.
- When using a climbing stand, make slow, steady and even movements of no more than 12 inches at a time. You should also make sure the climbing section and platform of your stand are attached together by some type of safety cord or rope.

Follow these tree stand tips and you'll return safely home to your family and loved ones after each and every hunt.

Good luck and good hunting!

Check us out online at beyondthebackyard.org to volunteer, donate, join, or tell a friend!

We Need Your Help to Get More Kids "Beyond The Backyard"

In the past year, Beyond The Backyard reached over 11,000 members. Since founding this organization in 2008, it has always been a goal of Bobby's to reach out to as many kids as he could. He realizes how important the bond is between those who share outdoor adventures together. Beyond The Backyard was started to get children more involved in the outdoors and give parents the tools that they need to get their children active in hunting, fishing and camping.

Another goal of our is to continue to allow kids to join Beyond The Backyard at no cost. We also strive to provide free events, contests and activities for our members to learn about and enjoy the outdoors. However, with the growing number of members, we cannot do it alone. We have many corporate sponsors who graciously donate their resources to help make Beyond The Backyard successful.

But now we are reaching out to you. Won't you please consider making a tax-deductible gift? Help us to continue to our mission to educate kids and parents about outdoor activities.

**You can make a donation today by visiting www.beyondthebackyard.org/donation or by sending a check or money order to:
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Together, let's get more children passionate about the outdoors and help get them "Beyond The Backyard."

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