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2025 Hunting Season – Newsletter 1

Dear friends

The 2025 rainy season has been a mixed blessing for us. Last year we had a terrible country wide drought but this year the rains where plentiful and prolonged. This has resulted in the pans all filling, springs gushing and lots of grass for the animals which is wonderful. It has however made the early season hunting very challenging indeed.





Having said that CMS prides its self in employing not only the best PHs but as importantly the best trackers and each and every PH and his team have given it their all and the results have proved that!

Some beautiful buffalo have been taken so far this season. Dugga boys have been the main focus as we try not to hassle the herds but rather focus on the lone or bachelor groups of Dugga boys. These are the true warriors and true trophies to focus on!!!

















The early season ele hunting has been super exciting and adrenaline filled! The final approaches on the bulls often got us into yards and we still could not make out head from tail!! Many many miles were put in tracking and all but one case so far success was the final result. On one occasion the beautiful protected bull Boswell was tracked! What a privilege to track him take pics of him and walk away! Knowing he is still spreading his great genes through the Valley!!











Early season cat hunting is very productive even though finding bait can be challenging! We have done two lion hunts so far. one in Dande and one in Nyakasanga and two beautiful lions have been taken. We have a third lion hunt in Nyaksanaga at the moment and Myles has got some great cats on baits so I am sure we will be having further excited news soon.





Early season hunts are always slim pickings on the plains game front but when your focus on a particular species you normally get an opportunity despite the thick bush. This was the case with our two hunts that had sable on their tags. There is nothing more impressive that a sable from its true environment! The Kudu have just started the Rutt and we have take a few already plus several other nice plains game.

















DAPU

Dapu has been very busy during the cropping season chasing elephant out of the community fields. They have also removed a lot of snares arrested several poachers as well as illegal charcoal makes that cut huge swaths of trees down to make charcoal. We have also arrested a few ivory dealers with tusks that are coming out of Mozambique.

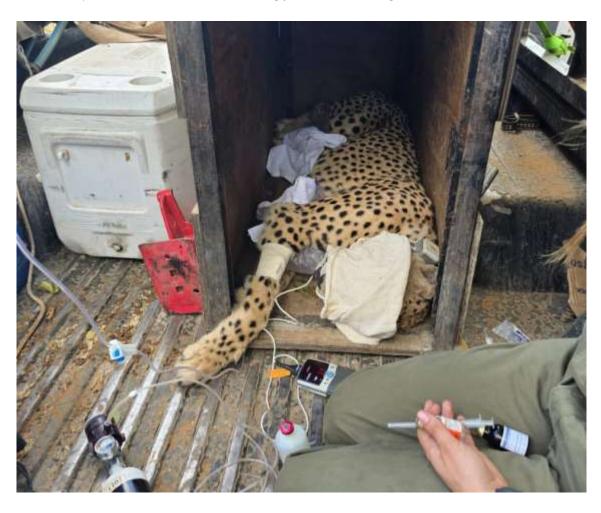








DAPU has also assisted to returning a wayward Cheetah to our neighbours in Mozambique who have done an amazing job reintroducing Cheetah to their area!



Excitingly DAPU now has its own 501c3 charity set up now which you can kindly donate tax free to help our 25 member DAPU scouts carry on their invaluable work.

<u>Prosperity Bank – 501c3 Domestic Incoming Wire Instructions</u>

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SPECIALS 2025

At the shows we were sold out which is always a great position to be in. Unfortunately a hunter in our Makuti area has had to postpone his hunt. This has freed up a buff hunt in this amazing area that we operate. It is an area that has outstanding dugga boys and is one of the most scenic areas you could ever hunt. It is a mountainous area and is for the hunter that really likes hiking!!!

2026 Hunts

We do have a few buffalo, 2 leopard, 1 lion and 1 big ele bull tag in our Maitengwe area. In this area we did get to 80 lbs last year - but it is an area that you have a realistic chance at 60 lbs or bigger as seen by the pics of 3 we shot there last year







On another note, our You tube Channel has really taken off and has some great hunts on there. You can watch or join our You tube by visiting the below link

https://www.youtube.com/@CMSafaris1

All the best Buzz Myles and the CMS team!

