"Hunting On Both Sides of the Fence"

Many people enjoyed the outdoors this past spring, summer and fall. We are thankful for having the opportunity to enhance people’s experiences with the outdoors through sharing Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. Action Trackchair with the community. The first use of the Action Trackchair in 2016 was with Skinny Sticks Maple Syrup owner, Mitch Hoyt. He collected sap without the help of his wife and daughters for the first time in years. He also used it several times bow hunting this fall. Our Action Trackchair was shared with USSA in Junction City, Wisconsin this past spring. Turkey hunters were able to utilize the Action Trackchair during the youth and disabled turkey season. A past Empowered Dream Hunt Inc. youth recipient from the DC Everest school district made use of the Action Trackchair around his yard last spring.

This past summer, a special person named Officer Jan Taylor took the opportunity to use the Action Trackchair for several months with her dogs before she enjoyed her Dream Hunt. This was a rewarding experience to give to someone who has served the community and has helped so many people during her career. Another local recipient, who is also Navy Veteran from Mosinee, utilized the Action Trackchair to explore the new ball fields being built and see the equipment being utilized by the National Guard.

Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. partnered with Wheel’em Inn, an organization that helps disabled hunters enjoy bear and deer hunts. Hunters were able to use our Action Trackchair during their hunts.
Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. partnered with Same Difference near Loyal, WI for the Nine-Day disabled hunting season. Multiple hunters were able to have great experiences being more involved during their hunting experience.

This year Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. provided three Deer Hunts and two Bear Hunts with the amazing support of this community and other supporters throughout the state. Local resident, Joe Stark of Mosinee, utilized the Action Trackchair both at his home and during his Dream Hunt. He was able to see the back part of his property for the first time in over three years. During Joe’s dream hunt, he was able to get around in the woods and even up to his deer that he harvested. This was a special time for Joe, as his wife and friends were able to partake in his experience.

An Omro native, Ivan Craig, hunted at a local deer farm. After going out twice, he successfully harvested a mature buck. Ivan hasn’t hunted in 16 years. He was nominated by a past Empowered Dream Hunt Inc. recipient. Ivan plays an active role in supporting those who need assistance in the outdoors.
Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. was able to assist with two bear hunts this fall. These hunts were made possible by two individuals who donated a bear tag. One hunt took place near Winter, WI and the other took place in between Wausau and Merrill area. Both hunters were successful. One hunter harvested a bear with 3 hours on the first day in Zone A. The other hunter hunted for 14 days. He did not see a bear until day 14, and successfully harvested the lone bear.

Other adventures that Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. has offered, includes a trip to Wild Rose for a Trackchair University educational event. We shared how the chair works, how to obtain one, and played in the sand and water. These who participated in this event have never done this before. It was a great day of camaraderie and fun. Lastly, we helped a man enjoy the Rib Mountain State Park with the Action Trackchair. He enjoyed traveling the trails and sightseeing without getting tired. Joe and a past Empowered Dream Hunt Inc. recipient that is a retired Army Veteran visited Rawhide Boy’s Ranch on Veterans Day to share about their lives challenges and the Action Trackchair.
Thank you to all who have donated their time, talents, and funding over the years. We enjoy helping others that share our vision in the outdoors. This was a big year for Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. With the latest equipment purchased last year, more hunters were able to get out into other areas that they did not expect to. There has been a great demand for Action TrackChairs by other organizations and individuals. At times, we needed to redirect people who requested use of our chair, as it was already being used by someone else. Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. has a goal of purchasing a second Action TrackChair to help meet the needs of the community and surrounding areas. The following is a list of ways you can help meet the needs of our fellow challenged outdoor enthusiasts.

Thank you to all who have donated their time, talents, and funding over the years to Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. We enjoy helping others that share our vision in enjoying the outdoors, God’s creation. This was a big year for Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. More hunters were able to get out into areas that they did not expect to this season, with the use of the Action TrackChair. Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. had a goal of purchasing a second Action TrackChair to help meet the needs of the community and surrounding areas. With a donation of $2500, from Mr. James Keller, J. J. Keller Foundation, Inc., we were able to finally purchase a second Action TrackChair in November 2016, which will be available for use in the Fox Valley Area. Great things can happen when people come together for a common cause. We are grateful for the support of helping challenged and terminally ill outdoor enthusiasts and giving them a better quality of life.

1. Monetary donation. Donations can be sent to Valley Communities Credit Union, Mosinee.

2. Volunteer to be a part of a committee to plan a fundraiser banquet May 13th 2017

3. Donate towards or sponsor a Dream Hunt for 2017 season.

4. Empowered Dream Hunts Annual Banquet Kafka Granite, 550 East Hwy WI-153 – Mosinee

5. Big Green Cash Raffle March 19th 2017, 2PM Coral Lanes, 1025 E Grand Ave – Rothschild
Empowered Dream Hunts Inc. would like to share our thanks to all Businesses and many individuals that have helped our organization over the past 10 years grow to what it is today.