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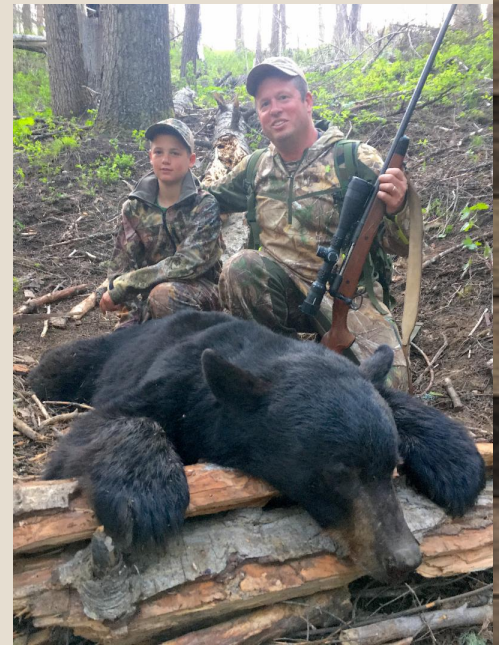
## *Spring Bear Season is Underway*

Black bear season kicked off with a week in the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness with our spot and stalk hunts. Our Father & Son pair (pictured left), along with our other hunter had an unforgettable adventure which we will be highlighting in our next [blog post](#) on our [website](#).



Bear season continues with lodge hunts, which began last week. Lodge hunts started strong with 3 generations of family and friends (shown at lower left and below). We will be sharing photos and stories from the season through our [Facebook](#) page and also on our [big game photo gallery](#).

**-- Now taking reservations for these hunts 2019--**  
Here is your opportunity to experience this once in a lifetime adventure for yourself.  
Call 800-472-1945 or email our big game manager, Corey Swanson at [coreys@flyingbranch.com](mailto:coreys@flyingbranch.com)





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**Guests, PLEASE Share your Experience!!!**  
It is because of guest feedback that we have been nominated for Orvis Wingshooting Lodge of the Year consecutively from 2012 to 2017. Not only does completing our survey on the Orvis site help others to learn about your experiences with the Flying B Ranch, but most importantly, it lets us know in detail, how we can help improve your experience

next time. Us managers read every single one of those surveys and attribute many important changes, upgrades, and offerings to the direct comments received from our guests. If you have not yet completed the survey from your last visit, please do so by [CLICKING HERE](#) and then clicking on "WRITE A REVIEW" in the middle of the page. We know time is precious and we thank you for taking a few minutes to tell us how we are doing. As always, your honest feedback is greatly appreciated.

### **FBR's Rich Coe honored as Orvis Wingshooting Guide of the Year Finalist**



**Above: Rich Coe pictured with Reid Bryant and Dave Perkins of the Orvis Company**

Jeremi Syron, Karen Syron, and Rich Coe recently attended the annual Orvis Guide Rendezvous in Asheville, NC. This is an event for leaders of Orvis Endorsed operations at which we cover important topics in our industry, namely service to our guests, conservation issues, and more.

Our Wingshooting & Fishing Manager, Rich Coe, is a long-time guide who got his start with us over 20 years ago, and continues to be a valued guide at the Flying B Ranch. Orvis took note of Rich's long history in the field at FBR, and honored him as an Orvis Wingshooting Guide of the Year Finalist.

**Congratulations, Rich!!!**

**LODGE RENOVATIONS--  
PHASE 2 THIS SUMMER!**



We are so happy with the renovations made to the common areas of the lodge last year, that we are continuing our work in to the guest rooms this Summer. Guest rooms (currently as shows at left) will be updated with new carpet, lighting, vanities, and showers. Work is to be completed by September 1st, just in time for the busy Fall season! One of the updates we are most excited about is our updates to the dining experience, making it even more the place for gathering and sharing stories, than it already is. And it goes without saying that it will feature the same unique and excellent food that our guests look forward to on every visit to the Flying B Ranch.

Follow us on Facebook for photos and updates throughout the Summer!

## ADOPT AN ALL STAR!

It's no secret that our dog team is the heart of the ranch. These well trained, exceptionally dedicated hunting partners work tirelessly for years to provide the very best upland bird hunting experiences for our guests. There comes a time for all of them to retire to a very well deserved, loving home with a soft bed and lots of love. We have been fortunate to pair retiring bird dogs with Flying B guests for decades now... bringing a new member into those families and providing those dogs with the retirement they so greatly deserve.

If you are interested in potentially adopting a Flying B Ranch bird dog in the future please email us to be added to the adoption list for future FBR all stars.



Above: One of Ruble's last working points in Laywer Canyon prior to his adoption. He is now a beloved pet of Tracy in Guest Services.

## QUESTIONS? COMMENTS?

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