



A personal invitation to

Bison Enthusiasts

For those who choose to stay informed on the Bison Industry

The Minnesota Buffalo Association (MnBA), is proudly a member-driven organization. MnBA consistently sets goals to improve and grow for the benefit of all its members.

Through the efforts of the many dedicated member volunteers, new trails are regularly explored on how best to assist members in the production of bison and the promotion of delicious buffalo meat.

Minnesota Buffalo Association members stand unified in the belief that together we can accomplish much more than individually.

Member Services

- A website that is constantly maintained
 - All your contact information and operation's offerings are listed in our searchable database.
 - Offering a *Member's Only* section that includes printable basic meat preparation & designed recipe handouts, the Association's by-laws and the MnBA's Youth booklet.
 - All *Trading Post* classified listings are available only to members for the first 48 hours. Members have the first opportunity to purchase or negotiate. Also members who post an ad receive 50% off the ad fee!
- A "cutting edge" Board of Directors that listen
- Media advertisements to raise bison industry awareness
- MnBA emphasizes the promotion of its members, not MnBA
- Five, information packed, newsletters mailed annually
- Marketing aids for all segments of the bison industry
- Minnesota State Fair educational booth promoting all segments of the bison industry
- Annual live animal auction ~ *Legends of the Fall*
- Annual Educational Conference offering numerous speakers on "today's" topics
- Your website listed free at MnBA's site: www.mnbison.org
- An Association office to assist in maintaining open, timely and consistent communications

Mission

Promoting the American Buffalo (Bison) and its many uses.

Dedicated, since 1993, to ~

Preserving the bison as a historic, remarkable American species

Distributing bison and agriculture educational information

Representing members interests to agencies and media

Promoting fellowship among Bison enthusiasts

Minnesota Buffalo Association Membership 2012

Dues are \$50 per address and are valid through December 31, 2012

Date: _____

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

County: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____

e-mail: _____

Website: _____

Today my herd consists of (numbers please)

Cows _____ Bulls _____ Calves/Yearlings _____ None Yet

Please mark each item that applies to your operation:

- Sell Meat: Retail (public)
 Commercial (Restaurants/Grocers)
 Internet
 Set up to ship
 Meat is USDA or State Inspected
 Farmers Market(s)/Truck Sales (List Locations)

- Stock for Sale Sell By-products
 Catering/Concessions Organized Tours
 Bison Hunts Offer Absentee Ownership Program

Please make checks payable & mail to:

Minnesota Buffalo Association (or MnBA)
22627 Buffalo Ridge Road; Winona, MN 55987

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Stay informed as a member of the Minnesota Buffalo Association