



When you pull into turkey camp and look out the window of the lodge only to see a hen crossing the driveway not 50 yards from the front door, you know you've come to the right place. Located in the heart of central Kansas, Kansas Trophy Experience is at the top of the list when it comes to a Rio turkey hunt.

From the moment you walk in the door, Trevor and the guides make you feel right at home. Adorned with taxidermy of giant Kansas whitetails throughout the lodge, you couldn't ask for a better hunting camp. After a home cooked meal from chef Wally, the next morning's hunt had everyone anxious to get out there and hear that first gobble off the roost. All the guides met with the hunters and after putting together a game plan, first light couldn't come soon enough.

Gobbles filled the crisp morning as light began to creep through the trees. Central Kansas is home to an abundance of wildlife, making each sit exhilarating with the fact that you never know what you might see. After day one, half of the guests had already filled their tags on mature Rio's. Hunting stories filled the air as the comradery amongst the group echoed through the lodge as we gathered that evening for dinner. Folks from Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Minnesota, South Dakota, and Mississippi who had never met before became friends in a matter of only a few hours. A trip shared with like-minded people from all over the country brought together with one common purpose – Hunting.

As the trip went on, the work ethic of the guides was second to none. It was easy to see that they wanted the guests to fill a tag just as much or more than they did, and they proved it in the work they put into it. Limitlessly scouting areas for birds to help determine what the best odds were for the afternoon or next day was crucial to the overall success of the group. With that said, at the end of the day, they're still wild animals living in wild places where nothing is a guarantee, but they did everything they could to ensure luck was on our side, and it showed in our success.

After waiting nearly 2 years to go on this trip due to uncertainty in the world and trip cancelations, all guests took full advantage of this opportunity when we were finally able to come together and make it happen. If the Rio is on your turkey slam list, this is the trip for you.







