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## **Ward Lumber Announces 14th Annual Buck Contest Winners**

Ward Lumber's has announced the winners of their 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Buck Contest. Steve Coons from Keeseville won the biggest buck category with his 228 lb., 9 point buck. Gary Frazier from Morrisonville won the random drawing after entering his 175 lb., 8 point buck. The winner of the big buck category won based on deer weight, with the highest number of rack points being the second criteria in a case of a tie. All other entries were placed in a random drawing. Both winners received a \$100 Ward Lumber Gift Card, and everyone who entered received a Ward Lumber camouflage hat.

Ward Lumber is a three-unit building materials supplier with locations in Jay and Malone, NY. One of the largest private employers in Essex County, Ward Lumber manages over 5,000 acres of timberland and operates one of New York State's largest white pine sawmills and planing mills.

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