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## **Ward Lumber Announces 17th Annual Buck Contest Winners**

Ward Lumber's has announced the winners of their 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Buck Contest. William Murphy from Willsboro, NY won the biggest buck category with his 202 lb., 8 point buck. Larry Stone from Wilmington, NY won the random drawing category with his 175 lb., 10 point buck. The winner of the big buck category won based on deer weight. All other entries were placed in a random drawing. Winners received a \$100 Ward Lumber Gift Card, and everyone who entered received a Ward Lumber baseball cap.

Ward Lumber is a two-unit building materials supplier with locations in Jay and Malone, NY. Ward Lumber also operates Ward Lumber Homes, a pre-fabricated home package and components supplier, based in Jay, NY. One of the largest private employers in Essex County, Ward Lumber manages over 6,000 acres of timberland and operates one of New York State's largest white pine sawmills and planing mills.

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William Murphy



Larry Stone



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