

Your Name: Matt and Nick Reese

Title: Taxidermists

Business Name: All Game Taxidermy

Address: 615 E Main S

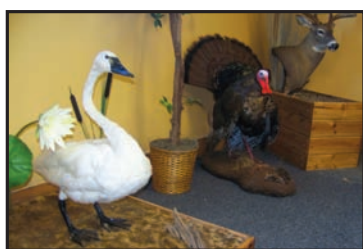
Business Hours: 10-4 Daily except Thursday and Sunday or by appointment

When was the business started?

September 2008

Describe your products/services: Full service taxidermy, fish, birds, gameheads, lifesize, rugs, African, skull cleaning, fur clothing, and habitat scenes

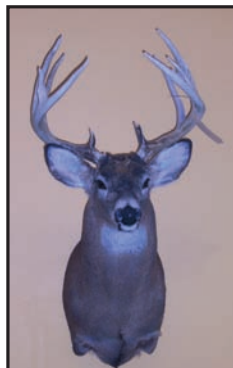
What do you do that differentiates you from your competitors? We offer quality workmanship at affordable prices with a six month turn around time.



How did you get interested and/or started in this business?

Wildlife is a passion of ours. We enjoy the outdoors and we love bringing everything back to the way it looked in nature. We want to offer an affordable price to everyone and return it as quickly as possible so they can enjoy it.

What kind of training or background do you have? Matt has taken classes at Dan Rhinehart's School and trained with other taxidermists. Nick spent 12 week at Kindred Spirits School of Taxidermy in West Burlington, IA in an in depth program to learn more about taxidermy and fur clothing.



What have you learned from this business? We have learned how business can be challenging and rewarding.



What are your future plans for your business? To build our clientele and give everyone a high quality mount in a six month time period. We want to grow into offering more products and services, also.

What or who has had the most influence in the way you do business? Other taxidermists and hunters/fisherman influenced us the most. So many customers complain about the high prices and long wait times at other establishments. We wanted to give the same or higher quality in shorter periods of time.

What do you find most rewarding about this type of work? Seeing the customer's face and reaction when they pick up their mount, and knowing they are happy with the final product, how long they waited, and what they paid is extremely rewarding as are hearing the stories about their new mount

What type of customers uses your products/services? Everyone! We do fur clothing for the nonsportsman and mounts for the sportsman.

