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Form **990-EZ****Short Form****Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

OMB No. 1545-1150

2013**Open to Public Inspection**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Do not enter Social Security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

▶ Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

A For the 2013 calendar year, or tax year beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013

B Check if applicable:
☒ Address change
☐ Name change
☒ Initial return
☐ Terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

C Name of organization
The West Virginia Bowhunters Association, Inc.
 Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
73 Emmons Road
 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
Ashford, WV 25009

D Employer identification number
55-0618370

E Telephone number
304-836-5611

F Group Exemption Number ▶

G Accounting Method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual Other (specify) ▶

H Check ☒ If the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

I Website: ▶ www.westvirginiabowhunters.org

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☐ 501(c)(3) ☒ 501(c) (4) ◀ (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

K Form of organization: ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ. ▶ \$

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I ☐

Revenue		Expenses		Net Assets	
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	568	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	0	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	9027	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)
4	Investment income	4	1	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20
5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	0		
b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	0		
c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	0		
6	Gaming and fundraising events				
a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	12634		
b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$568 of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	34382		
c	Less: direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	20198		
d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	26818		
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	2557		
b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	2448		
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	109		
8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8	2138		
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	9	38661		
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	4583		
11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	0		
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	0		
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	2500		
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	411		
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	16886		
16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	5235		
17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	29615		
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	9046		
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	24741		
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	0		
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	33787		

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Part II Balance Sheets (see the instructions for Part II)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II ☐

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	24741	33787
23 Land and buildings		23
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)		24
25 Total assets	24741	33787
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)		26
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	24741	33787

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see the instructions for Part III)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III ☒What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? Promote the sport of archery and bowhunting

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

Expenses
 (Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts; optional for others.)

28 See Schedule O		
Activities		
(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	28a	25032
29 See Schedule O		
Archery in the School grants, awards granted, donation to wildlife center		
(Grants \$ 4583) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	29a	4583
30		
(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	30a	
31 Other program services (describe in Schedule O)		
(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	31a	
32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)	32	29615

Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (list each one even if not compensated—see the instructions for Part IV)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV ☐

(a) Name and title	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
Bryan Elkins, President				
73 Emmons Road / Ashford, WV 25009	5	0	0	0
John Drangmeister, Vice-President				
Rt. 4, Box 368 / Hurricane, WV 25526	10	0	0	0
Roger Collins, Secretary				
PO Box 2153 / Beckley, WV 25802	1	0	0	0
Eddie Chambers, Treasurer				
173 Longs Drive / Hernshaw, WV 25107	1	0	0	0
Ed McMinn, Past President				
680 Forest Circle / South Charleston, WV 25303	10	0	0	0
Greg Dearth, Director				
Rt. 1, Box 328-B / Belleville, WV 26133	1	0	0	0
Greg Burnette, Director				
1026 Shawnee Trail / Elkview, WV 25071	1	0	0	0
Marc Fox, Director				
Box 244 / Fairview, WV 26570	1	0	0	0
Justin Hettick, Director				
452 Lawnview Drive / Morgantown, WV 26505	1	0	0	0
Brian Lingenfelter, Director				
RR 1, Box 270 / Salt Rock, WV 25559	1	0	0	0
Tim Mihal, Director				
Box 359 / Gauley Bridge, WV 25085	1	0	0	0
Rusty Reed, Director				
1677 Grannies Creek / Newton, WV 25266	1	0	0	0

Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V ☐

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O	33	✓
34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)	34	✓
35a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	35a	✓
b If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	35b	
c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	35c	✓
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N	36	✓
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ► 37a 0		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b	✓
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?	38a	✓
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b	
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a	
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39b	
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ► ; section 4912 ► ; section 4955 ►		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	40b	✓
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958		0
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization		0
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T	40e	✓
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ►		
42a The organization's books are in care of ► Bryan Elkins Telephone no. ► 304-836-5611 Located at ► 73 Emmons Road / Ashford, WV 25009 ZIP + 4 ► 25009-9572		
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ► See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.	42b	✓
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U.S.? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ►	42c	✓
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year	43	<input type="checkbox"/>
44a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44a	✓
b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44b	✓
c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?	44c	✓
d If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	44d	
45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	45a	✓
45b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)	45b	✓

46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I

	Yes	No
46		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI ☐

47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II

	Yes	No
47		

48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E

48		
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49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?

49a		
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b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?

49b		
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50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ▶

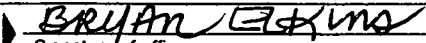
51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 ▶

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A ▶ ☐ Yes ☐ No

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here		Date
	Bryan A Elkins, President	May 14, 2014

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name ▶	Firm's EIN ▶			
	Firm's address ▶	Phone no.			

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ▶ ☒ Yes ☐ No

SCHEDULE G
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Name of the organization

Employer identification number

The West Virginia Bowhunters Association, Inc.

55-0618370

Part I

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 17.
Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

- 1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.
- | | |
|---|--|
| a <input type="checkbox"/> Mail solicitations | e <input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of non-government grants |
| b <input type="checkbox"/> Internet and email solicitations | f <input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of government grants |
| c <input type="checkbox"/> Phone solicitations | g <input type="checkbox"/> Special fundraising events |
| d <input type="checkbox"/> In-person solicitations | |
- 2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
Total ▶						

- 3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1 Banquet (event type)	(b) Event #2 (event type)	(c) Other events (total number)	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	36977			36977
	2 Less: Contributions	5978			5978
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	30999			30999
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes	296			296
	5 Noncash prizes	3500			3500
	6 Rent/facility costs	600			600
	7 Food and beverages	8696			8696
	8 Entertainment	2500			2500
	9 Other direct expenses	640			640
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶				16232
11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) ▶				14767	

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1 Gross revenue				
Direct Expenses	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Noncash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶				
	8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) ▶				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: _____

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain: _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain: _____

- | | | | |
|-----------|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 11 | Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 12 | Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 13 | Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in: | | |
| a | The organization's facility | 13a | % |
| b | An outside facility | 13b | % |
| 14 | Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records: | | |

Name ▶

Address ►

- 15a** Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b** If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ► \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ► \$ _____
- c** If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶

Address ►

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$

Description of services provided ►

☐ Director/officer☐ Employee☐ Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions:

- a** Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b** Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year \$

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

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Part I Line 8: Sale of extra copies of our newsletter = \$700 + students taking our bowhunter education class paid us \$1,108 + our summer
camp for youth wishing to learn about the outdoors earned us \$330.

Part I Line 10: WV Wildlife Center \$500 + Archery in the Schools award plaques \$333 + Hunters Helping the Hungry \$500 + Chesapeake
Elementary AIS program \$250 + Hurricane Middle AIS program \$600 + Philippi Middle AIS program \$600 + Grace Christian AIS
program \$600 + Mercer Technical School AIS program \$600, Kanawha Elementary AIS program \$600

Part I Line 16: Membership promotion \$1,102 + insurance 1,856 + awards for banquet \$1,207 + advertising \$1,070

Part III: Statement elaboration - Our mission is to promote the sport of archery, conduct bowhunter education activities and to protect and
defend the sport of bowhunting in West Virginia. We partner with the Division of Natural Resources in their Archery in the Schools
program, with the National Wild Turkey Federation in their Youth program, with the Boy Scouts of America, with the Girl Scouts,
with 4-H camps, and with our own Spike Camp to teach safe and ethical participation in outdoor activities. We sponsor bow hunter
education courses, participate in National Hunting and Fishing Days and contribute to worthy charities like Hunters Helping the
Hungry. We join with Cabela's to help with their Trailblazer Days and with Beyond the Back Yard. Getting youth to participate in
healthy outdoors activities is a high priority for us. We also support the Wounded Warrior project.

Part III Line 28: Membership awards banquet served 350 with income of \$19,795 - expenses of \$12,007 to net \$7,788; our membership
magazine which contains articles and educational material had income of \$700 and cost \$11,565 to print four issues. A large portion
(nearly 75%) of our membership fee goes toward the cost of printing our quarterly magazine; our auction and raffle each that we
held at our banquet each cost us nearly \$4,000, but the money raised will be used to fund our outreach and education efforts
throughout the year.

Part III Line 29: See Part I Line 10 above for a description of our grants.