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| New Public Hunting Opportunities | - Gaither WMA: 2,129 acres, Newton County (Visit [https://georgiawildlife.com/gaither-wma](https://georgiawildlife.com/gaither-wma) for hunt information)  
- Ohoopee Dunes WMA: Added 6,000+ acres, Emanuel County  
- Bullard Creek WMA, Bell Telephone Tract: Added 491 acres, Jeff Davis County  
- New VPA Properties: Camp Creek VPA, Collins Road VPA, Cowart Lake VPA, Lanahasee VPA, Pleasant Valley VPA, Sils Brothers Farm VPA Dove Field  
For information on these properties, visit [georgiawildlife.com/allwmas](https://georgiawildlife.com/allwmas) | pg. 46-65 |
| Mentor Opportunities | DNR will create a mentor program to help connect experienced sportsmen with those just starting out. Visit [georgiawildlife.com/mentor](https://georgiawildlife.com/mentor) for more details. |  

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| January 7, 2019 7:00 PM | Gainesville Civic Center, Chattahoochee Room  
830 Green Street NE, Gainesville, GA 30501 |
| Armuchee High School | 4203 Martha Berry Hwy NW, Rome, GA 30165 |
| January 10, 2019 7:00 PM | Southern Regional Technical College, 253-B Auditorium  
15689 US-19 Thomasville, GA 31972 |
| Coffee County Courthouse | 101 Peterson Avenue, Douglas, GA 31533 |
| Sweetwater Creek State Park, Group Shelter | 1750 Mount Vernon Road, Lithia Springs, GA 30122 |
| January 14, 2019 7:00 PM | GA Tech Savannah  
210 Technology Circle, Savannah, GA 31407 |
| January 16, 2019 7:00 PM | Augusta Tech, Thomson Campus  
388 Tech Drive, Thomson, GA 30824  
FD Roosevelt State Park, Group Shelter  
2970 GA Hwy 190, Pine Mountain, GA 31822 |
For as far back as I can remember, I have always felt at home in the outdoors. Growing up in North Georgia, I felt extremely blessed to live in a place with such diverse natural resources. After I first experienced the thrill of the hunt at as a young boy, I found my passion for being a sportsman and knew I wanted to hunt all of Georgia’s game animals. Today, I am proud to still call Georgia my home and am thankful to live in the best state in the country for outdoor adventures.

Georgia’s hunters make up one big, unified family of which I am honored to be a member. Georgia’s sportsmen and women are a community dedicated to preserving our state’s natural resources for future generations. You are the original conservationists and spend the most time, money, and effort of anyone in the state to protect and conserve wildlife. On behalf of the entire Department of Natural Resources, I’d like to thank you for what you do.

Furthermore, your overwhelming support for House Bill 208 has had tremendous benefits for Georgia wildlife conservation. DNR has received additional appropriations totaling $13,000,000 because of HB 208 that will directly be put towards improving access, enhancing opportunities, and bolstering conservation efforts. This means DNR will be opening additional miles of road through Wildlife Management Areas, planting more acres of food plots, building additional artificial reefs along the coast, and growing larger trout -- and these are just a few of the projects we are excited to get to work on in the coming months! Furthermore, our Law Enforcement Division is on track to fulfill our long term pledge of hiring an additional 40 Game Wardens, many of them in counties that currently do not have one. None of this would have been possible without your support and dedication to our state’s natural resources.

Our state’s natural beauty is a boundless reflection of the wonder and splendor of God’s creation. Our sportsmen and women such as you make our state the unique and special place that it is. I am proud to have built my life and career in the greatest state in the country. Happy trails this year, and I look forward to seeing you all out in the field!

MARK WILLIAMS
Commissioner, Georgia Department of Natural Resources
## LICENSES, PERMITS AND PASSES

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1 - Free Quota Alligator Harvest Permit is available for all Lifetime Sportsman’s License, Disability Sportsman’s License, Disability Hunting License, Honorary License, and Optional Youth Sportman’s License holders selected for an Alligator Quota hunt.

2 - Non-resident trapping license requires a forfeiture bond. Please refer to application for specific details at gohuntgeorgia.com

3 - Free Georgia Migratory Bird Stamp is available for all resident Landowners who hunt their own property and any hunter with a valid Sportsman’s License, Optional Youth Sportman’s License, Disability Sportman’s License, Disability Hunting License, Honorary License or Lifetime Sportsman’s License.

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* Privileges for the multi-year Youth License are valid until the person’s 17th birthday.
+ Additional Day – days can be added for up to 11 consecutive days

**WHERE TO BUY YOUR LICENSE**

Online: gooutdoorsgeorgia.com
Phone: 1-800-366-2661
In Person: License vendors are statewide. Check gohuntgeorgia.com for a complete list.
Federal Duck Stamp: gooutdoorsgeorgia.com, usps.com, 1-800-STAMP24, or a local US Post Office

**TOP 5 REASONS TO BUY A HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE**

1. 100% of your purchase is going to fund wildlife conservation in Georgia.
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5. It lets you do more than just hunt or fish - every hunting or fishing license also gives you access to all of Georgia’s Wildlife Management Areas (WMA), Public Fishing Areas (PFAs) and shooting ranges.

**MEET OUR COVER BOYS!**

David Kidd and Edwin Pierre Louis met through Field to Fork, a partnership between the Wildlife Resources Division, Quality Deer Management Association, National Wild Turkey Federation, and the Georgia Wildlife Federation that teaches adults how to hunt. Edwin is a PhD student at the University of Georgia who has always had an interest in hunting, but didn’t know how to get started on his own. David began hunting in his early thirties and understands how intimidating it can be. David served as Edwin’s mentor during the Field to Fork program and the two have continued to hunt together ever since. Learn more about Field to Fork and mentor opportunities at georgiawildlife.com/mentor.
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**GEORGIA HUNTING SEASONS & REGULATIONS**

Purchase a License by phone 1-800-366-2661 or online at www.gooutdoorsgeorgia.com

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**HUNTER EDUCATION**

All hunters born on or after Jan. 1, 1961 must successfully complete a hunter education course before purchasing a hunting license. All hunter education courses certified or mandated by any state wildlife agency or Canadian province are accepted. Residents may sign up for online or classroom courses at gohuntgeorgia.com or by calling 1-800-366-2661.

Hunters education is not required to purchase an Apprentice Hunting License, or short-term license. Persons purchasing a Lifetime License must have hunter education before hunting, unless exempt by age or supervision. Hunter education is not required to hunt on one’s own land or land of a parent or guardian (blood or dependent relationship) residing in the same household, or to hunt on pen raised game birds on licensed shooting preserves that provide specified hunter education instruction (see Hunting Preserve License page 12).

**AGE REQUIREMENTS**

**HUNTERS UNDER AGE 16** are not required to complete a hunter education course. A child under age 16 must be under “direct supervision” or “directly supervised,” which means uninterrupted, unaided visual contact and auditory communication with the child by an adult. It is unlawful for an adult to permit their child or ward (under age 16) to hunt without adult supervision.

**Exception:** Hunters 12–15 years old may hunt unsupervised after successfully completing a hunter education course. Special restrictions may apply on WMAs (see pages 46–65) and Federal Areas (see pages 66–68).

**HUNTERS AGE 16–25** are required to have a hunter education card when purchasing a season hunting license and must be in possession while hunting.

**HUNTERS OVER AGE 25** and born after Jan. 1, 1961 must successfully complete a hunter education course but are not required to present their Hunter Education Card when buying a season hunting license or possess it while hunting.

**APPRENTICE HUNTER** is any person who has not successfully completed a hunter education course or does not possess a hunter education certificate. Apprentice hunters may purchase a short-term Apprentice Hunting License to hunt and fish in Georgia.

**LANDS PASS**

Any person age 16 and older, entering any WMA or PFA must have a valid license to hunt or fish or a Lands Pass (exclusions apply; visit georgiawildlife.com/LandAccess). WMAs and PFA s that require a license to hunt or fish or a Lands Pass are marked with a sign at the site or area entrance. See page 38 for more information.

**LICENSE REQUIREMENTS**

Reliable identification and a Social Security Number (SSN) are required to purchase a license (OCGA § 19-11-91). Game Wardens may require positive identification when checking licenses. All required hunting licenses and stamps must be in possession while hunting or while assisting another hunter. It is unlawful to obtain, possess, or use multiple licenses for the purpose of circumventing the season bag limits.

**RESIDENCY**

**RESIDENT** means any person who has been domiciled within the State of Georgia (declared Georgia the only state of legal residence) for a period of at least three months. A valid Georgia driver’s license or Georgia ID is required to show residency. Nonresident full time Georgia college students with a valid college ID living in Georgia, and active duty military personnel with a valid U.S. DOD Common Access Card with Uniformed Services affiliation and the dependents of such military personnel may obtain resident hunting and fishing licenses other than resident lifetime, disability and honorary licenses. Nonresident landowners must purchase a nonresident license.

**RESIDENT HUNTERS UNDER AGE 16** must possess a Harvest Record to hunt deer and turkey. They are not required to possess any of the following: Hunting, Big Game or Georgia Migratory Bird Stamp

**FREE LICENSES**

**SENIOR CITIZENS:** Georgia residents born on or before June 30, 1952 may obtain a Lifetime Sportsman’s License free of charge. An optional Lifetime Sportsman’s Plastic Card may be purchased for $10.

**RETURNING GEORGIA VETERANS (ONE TIME ONLY):** Georgia resident military veterans who were on active duty for 90 or more consecutive days and were honorably discharged on or after July 1, 2005 may obtain one annual Honorary License free of charge. Such veterans may obtain this license by providing a copy of their DD Form 214 and a completed DNR application.

**TYPES OF LICENSES**

**RESIDENT HUNTING, COMBO OR SPORTSMAN’S LICENSE** is required for all resident hunters 16 years of age or older, except when hunting or fishing on one’s own land or land owned by immediate family (blood or dependent relationship) residing in the same household.

**NONRESIDENT HUNTING, COMBO OR SPORTSMAN’S LICENSE** is required for all nonresident hunters, except nonresident small game hunters that are under 16. All nonresident big game hunters must obtain a harvest record (deer and turkey) and those 16 and older must possess a big game license (included in Sportsman’s License).

**HARVEST RECORD (DEER & TURKEY)** is required for any person who hunts deer or turkey, regardless of age. The Harvest Record is only valid for a single year and may be obtained on or after March 1 for the upcoming season. Harvest must be recorded before moving the animal from the site of the kill, and reported online or by telephone within 72 hours. See pages 20 and 30 regarding recording (checking) your deer or turkey.

**ALLIGATOR HARVEST PERMIT** is required to harvest an alligator. All persons accompanying or assisting an alligator permit holder will need a valid hunting license. A free permit is available for Lifetime Sportsman’s License, Disability Sportsman’s License, Disability Hunting License, Honorary License, and Resident Optional Youth Sportman’s License holders selected for an Alligator Quota hunt.

**BIG GAME LICENSE** is required, in addition to a valid Hunting License, for hunting deer, turkey, or bear. The Big Game License is not required by resident hunters hunting one’s own land or land owned by immediate family (blood or dependent relationship) residing in the same household, resident or nonresident persons under the age of 16, or anyone who possesses an Honorary, Sportsman’s, or Lifetime Sportsman’s License. A Harvest Record is required to hunt deer or turkey.

**GEORGIA MIGRATORY BIRD STAMP** is required for any person who hunts migratory birds (ducks, geese, woodcock, snipe, coots, rails, or gallinules) and is required by age to have a hunting license to hunt. The Free Georgia Migratory Bird Stamp is available for all resident landowners hunting their own land and any hunters with a valid Sportsman’s License, Youth Sportsman’s License, Disability Sportsman’s License, Disability Hunting License, Honorary License or Lifetime Sportsman’s License.

**FEDERAL DUCK STAMP** is required for all waterfowl hunters 16 years of age or older including resident landowners and their immediate family. The stamp is valid from July 1–June 30 and must be signed in ink across the face. The Federal Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp is available at US Post Offices, 1-800-STAMP24, www.gooutdoorsgeorgia.com, or usps.com.
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SPOPSMANS LICENSE includes Hunting, Big Game, Fishing and Trout Licenses. Duck hunters must obtain a Federal Duck Stamp. Migratory Bird hunters must obtain a Free Georgia Migratory Bird Stamp. Saltwater anglers must obtain a Free SIP license. Deer and turkey hunters must obtain a Free Harvest Record.

RESIDENT OPTIONAL YOUTH SPORTSMANS LICENSE: this optional multi-year can be purchased by resident youth through age 15 and does not expire until the sportsman's 17th birthday. The license includes privileges for all hunting and fishing including big game and trout. A harvest record, Migratory Bird Stamp, Quota Alligator Harvest Permit if selected, and SIP are free but must be obtained each year. Hunter education is required at age 16.

NONRESIDENT YOUTH SPORTSMANS LICENSE: this annual license can be purchased by nonresident youth through age 15. The license includes privileges for all hunting and fishing including big game and trout (except for the Quota Alligator Harvest Permit). A harvest record, Migratory Bird Stamp, and SIP are free but must be obtained. Hunter education is required at age 16.

DISABILITY HUNTING LICENSE: Georgia residents who are permanently and totally disabled may obtain a Disability License. A qualifying disability is an impairment of a permanent and total nature and is certified as such by the Department of Veterans Affairs, Social Security Administration, Medicaid, Medicare, or Railroad Retirement System.

LIFETIME SPORTSMANS LICENSES: cover all state paid hunting and fishing privileges (free required state licenses and the Federal Duck stamp are not included) and are valid for the life of the license holder. These privileges specifically include Hunting, Big Game, Fishing, and Trout Licenses. Lifetime License applications may be obtained at gohuntgeorgia.com, by calling 1-800-366-2661, or by visiting any WRD office. For identification and proof of residency requirements, see information on page 10.

Excluded from Lifetime Sportsman’s License: Free Georgia Migratory Bird Stamp, Federal Duck Stamp, Free SIP permit, and a Free Deer and Turkey Harvest Record. These must be obtained annually.

RESIDENT / NONRESIDENT SHOOTING PRESERVE LICENSE: A 2-year ($12) or lifetime ($75) shooting preserve license is available to residents and nonresidents. This license covers hunting pen raised game birds and fishing in any private or state waters located within the boundaries of licensed private or commercial shooting preserves. Hunter safety requirements for hunting pen raised game birds on properly licensed shooting preserves may be met by hunter education instruction that, at minimum, demonstrates techniques for proper firearm handling, unloading, and safety. Appropriate licenses, hunter safety certification requirements, and state seasons and regulations apply when hunting wild game birds or other wildlife on shooting preserves. Exception: it shall be lawful to hunt bobwhite quail between October 1 and March 31 of the following year on licensed shooting preserves.

HUNTING INFORMATION

HUNTING
“Hunting” means pursuing, shooting, killing, taking, or capturing wildlife or feral hogs. This term also includes acts such as placing, setting, drawing, or using any device used to take wildlife or feral hogs, whether any such act results in taking or not, and includes every act of assistance to any person in taking or attempting to take such wildlife or feral hogs.

LOADED WEAPON
A firearm is considered loaded if a shell is in the chamber or magazine, a percussion cap is on the nipple, or powder is present on the frizzen pan. A crossbow is considered loaded if it is cocked.

ARCHERY EQUIPMENT
Crossbows, longbows, recurve bows, and compound bows are allowed for hunting any game or feral hog. Arrows for hunting deer, bear or feral hog must be broadhead type.

PRIMITIVE WEAPONS
Archery equipment and any muzzleloading firearm are legal during primitive weapons season. Scopes are legal.

WEAPON RESTRICTIONS
Convicted felons may not possess any firearm or muzzleloading firearm while hunting unless that individual’s right to carry has been restored (OCCA § 16-11-131). This does not apply to archery equipment.

DEER & BEAR FIREARMS

- **Modern Rifles and Handguns**: Centerfire Only, .22-cal. or larger with expanding bullets. There is no restriction on magazine capacity for rifles.
- **Shotguns**: 20-gauge or larger loaded with slugs or buckshot.
- **Muzzleloaders**: .44-cal. or larger, or muzzleloading shotguns 20 gauge or larger. Scopes are legal.

TURKEY FIREARMS
Shotguns with No. 2 or smaller shot and any muzzleloading firearm.

SMALL GAME & FURBEARER FIREARMS

- **Rifles and Handguns**: Any .22-cal. or smaller rimfire, air rifle, or any muzzleloading firearm. For fox & bobcat, centerfire firearms of .17 caliber and larger may be used. There is no restriction on magazine capacity for rifles.
- **Shotguns**: Any having shot shell size 3.5 inches or smaller in length with No. 2 or smaller shot.

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The Georgia Independent Schools Association and the Georgia Independent Christian Athletic Association offer SCTP as a varsity team sport. Students who have completed hunter education have the opportunity to shoot trap, skeet and sporting clays with the help and support of trained coaches focused on firearm safety.

www.georgiawildlife.com/sctp

Hunter Education Field Days

A hands-on opportunity for hunter education graduates to learn additional skills in shotgun, rifle, archery, orienteering and tree stand safety.

www.georgiawildlife.com/hunter-ed-field-days

Summer Camps

Children and youth have fun learning about the outdoors together at day camps and residential camps held throughout the summer at Charlie Elliott Wildlife Center in Mansfield.

www.georgiawildlife.com/camps

Hunter Education Program

This is a required program for anyone age 16 and up who plans to hunt (and is a requirement for many of our youth programs). Students learn how to be safe and responsible with firearms.

www.georgiawildlife.com/education

National Archery in the Schools Program

NASP is an in-school archery program for students in grades 4th–12th.

www.georgiawildlife.com/NASP

Youth Quail Hunts

As a part of the WRD Bobwhite Quail Initiative (BQI), quota youth hunts will be conducted on private farmland during quail season. Youth hunters age 10–17 may apply. Hunt dates, locations and rules will be advertised on gohuntgeorgia.com with an application deadline of Oct. 15, 2018.

www.georgiawildlife.com/learntohuntfish

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Buck Shoals WMA | Deer, Squirrel, Turkey
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**HUNTING INFORMATION**

- **Shotguns (Waterfowl):** Any 10-gauge or smaller loaded with federally approved nontoxic shot of size “F” or smaller. Lead shot may not be in possession while hunting waterfowl.

**SPECIAL FIREARM RESTRICTIONS**

- **Plugged Shotguns:** For hunting game animals other than deer and bear, shotguns shall be limited to a capacity of not more than 3 shells in the magazine and chamber combined. If a plug is necessary to so limit the capacity, the plug shall be of 1 piece and incapable of being removed from the loading end of the magazine.

- **Suppressors:** Lawfully possessed suppressors may be used for hunting on private property and public lands, unless otherwise specified. Permission of the landowner is required.

**TRAINING DOGS ON PRIVATE LAND**

Persons training dogs for hunting must have a valid Hunting License unless they are on their own land or land of an immediate relative. There is no closed season for training dogs on private lands. It is unlawful to possess firearms (except handguns with blank or shot cartridges), axes, climbers, or other equipment for taking game while training hunting dogs, except that shotguns with No. six or smaller shot may be used while training pointing, flushing, and retrieving dogs using pen raised quail and pigeons provided that the dog trainer maintains proof of purchase of pen-raised quail. It is unlawful to run deer with dogs, except during open seasons for hunting deer with dogs, or to take game by any means while training hunting dogs, except during open seasons for such game. For specific rules & regulations for dog training on WMAs & Chattahoochee National Forest see page 69.

**HUNTER ORANGE ON PRIVATE LAND**

A hunter, and anyone accompanying the hunter, must wear as an outer garment at least 500 square inches of visible hunter orange above the waist (which may include a head covering) when hunting:

- deer during the primitive weapons or firearms deer season
- bear during the primitive weapons or firearms bear seasons
- feral hogs during firearms deer season

Hunter orange is **not** required on WMA or Corps of Engineers tracts designated archery-only, unless otherwise indicated.

**LEGAL HOURS**

Legal hours for hunting are 30 minutes before sunrise until 30 minutes after sunset, except alligators, raccoons, opossums, foxes, coyotes, bobcats and feral hogs which may be hunted at night. Any light used to hunt raccoons, opossums, foxes, bobcats or feral hogs must be carried on the body of the hunter, affixed to a helmet or hat worn by the hunter, or be part of a belt system worn by the hunter. There is no voltage restriction on such lights. Sunrise and sunset times are available on the Outdoors GA App and can be found here: [http://aa.usno.navy.mil/](http://aa.usno.navy.mil/). Legal hours for migratory bird hunting conform to federal regulations (see page 34).

**CLOSED AREAS**

Hunting for all species of wildlife is prohibited on the portion of Morgan Falls Lake (Bull Sluice) lying within Fulton Co. and in Willeo Creek. Counties, or parts of counties, not specifically open by law or regulation are closed to hunting. Counties open for hunting do not include lands within WMAs, PFAs, State Parks, or other State/Federal lands, except when those lands are specifically open.

**PROTECTED SPECIES**

For information on protected species, please visit [georgiawildlife.com](http://georgiawildlife.com).
UNLAWFUL ACTIVITIES

- Hunting without landowners’ permission, including power line, gas line, railroad and other rights-of-way. Written permission must be obtained if land is so posted.
- Hunting while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- Holding, possessing, releasing, or importing wildlife without a permit from the DNR.
- Concealing the taking or possession of wildlife (or parts) which the person in possession reasonably should have known was obtained illegally.
- Killing or crippling game without reasonable efforts to retrieve.
- Hunt, shoot, kill, or wound any farmed deer (e.g. elk, red deer, fallow deer, sika deer, or axis deer) or exotic wild animal (e.g. farmed deer, mouflon sheep, Barbary sheep [aoudad], antelope, etc.) held under a wild animal license for enjoyment, gain, amusement, or sport.
- Hunting or shooting from or across a public road.
- Hunting from a vehicle, plane, or boat under power.
- Selling or purchasing any game species or parts thereof, except antlers, hides, and tails of legally taken deer, tails of legally taken squirrels, hides of legally trapped furbearers, and legally taken alligator products.
- Use of a computer or any other device to remotely discharge a firearm for the purpose of hunting.
- Use of drugs, poisons, chemicals, smoke, gas, explosives, or electronically-amplified sounds to hunt any game species.
- Use of any pitfall, deadfall, snare, catch, net, live decoy, or baited hook to take game species.
- Use of electronic communications equipment to aid in the pursuit of game.
- Disturbing wildlife dens, holes, or homes, or driving wildlife, from their dens, holes, or homes.
- Discharging a firearm within 50 yards of a public road.
- Blinding wildlife with lights.
**YOUTH HUNT: DEER/BEAR**

**QUOTA APPLICATION DEADLINE: SEPT. 1**

for designated quota hunts only

One adult may supervise one child. For designated quota hunts, group applications with up to three children allowed. Selected children must bring supervising adults.

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**YOUTH HUNT: TURKEY**

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for designated quota hunts only

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**YOUTH HUNT: DOVE**

**QUOTA APPLICATION DEADLINE: AUG. 15**

for designated quota hunts only

One adult may supervise two children. For designated quota hunts, group applications with up to three children allowed. Selected children must bring supervising adults.

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**YOUTH HUNT: WATERFOWL**

**QUOTA APPLICATION DEADLINE: OCT. 15**

for designated quota hunts only

One adult may supervise two children. For designated quota hunts, no group applications allowed. Selected child may bring one other child and must bring only one supervising adult.

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*These hunts are Specialty Hunts (Honorary License holders, Ladies and Youth)*

**YOUTH HUNT: SMALL GAME**

**QUOTA APPLICATION DEADLINE: OCT. 15**

for designated quota hunts only

One adult may supervise two children. For designated quota hunts, no group applications allowed. Selected child may bring one other child and must bring only one supervising adult.

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ARCHERY

• **Archery Only Counties**: Clayton, Cobb, DeKalb and Fulton (north of GA Hwy 92) Counties in accordance with statewide bag limits and other regulations.

• **Extended Archery Season**: Clayton, Cobb, DeKalb, Forsyth, Fulton, Gwinnett, and Rockdale Counties only; in accordance with statewide bag limits and other regulations.

• **Chattahoochee-Oconee NF**: During firearms deer season, archers must follow firearms either-sex dates on the National Forest. Archery hunting is allowed during primitive weapon and firearm deer seasons. Deer of either sex may be taken, except as otherwise specified on WMAs and on the Chattahoochee-Oconee National Forest. Archery hunters must wear at least 500 square inches of hunter orange during primitive weapons and firearms deer seasons, except in Archery-Only Counties or WMAs. Archers may not possess any firearms while hunting during archery deer season, unless the person possesses a valid Weapons Carry License in this state (pursuant to OCGA §§ 16-11-126(f) or 16-11-129), subject to the limitations (OCGA §§ 16-11-126 and 16-11-127).

PRIMITIVE WEAPONS

Statewide, excluding archery-only counties. Scopes are legal. During the statewide primitive weapons deer season and WMA primitive weapons hunts, youth under 16 years of age may hunt deer with any legal deer firearm. Primitive weapons hunters may not possess any centerfire or rimfire firearm while hunting during the primitive weapon season, unless the person possesses a valid Weapons Carry License in this state (pursuant to OCGA §§ 16-11-126(f) or 16-11-129), subject to the limitations (OCGA §§ 16-11-126 and 16-11-127).

SEASON LIMIT

10 antlerless deer and 2 antlered deer. One of the two antlered deer must have a minimum of 4 points, 1 inch or longer, on one side of the antlers. (Special county antler restrictions noted below and on pages 22-23)

COUNTY-WIDE ANTLER RESTRICTIONS

**Dooly & Macon**: antlered bucks must have a minimum outside antler spread of 15 in.

**Hancock, Harris, Meriwether, Montgomery Randolph, Talbot & Troup**: antlered bucks must have a minimum of 4 points, 1 in. or longer, on one side of the antlers

CHECKING YOUR DEER

All deer hunters are required to have a Harvest Record for the current season. Additionally, all harvest must be reported within 72 hours through Georgia Game Check or before leaving the deer with a processor.

**CELL PHONE HANDY?**

If you have a cell phone, enter the harvest date and county on the Harvest Record through the GA Outdoors App, online at gooutdoorsgeorgia.com or by calling 1-800-366-2661 before moving the deer from the site of the kill.

You can now report your harvest through the GA Outdoors App when your phone has no service. Enter your harvest date and county on the Harvest Record through the App. When you get to a location with service, access the App and sync to receive your confirmation number.

**NO PHONE? NO PROBLEM!**

• Log It—Enter the harvest date and county on your paper Harvest Record before moving the deer from the site of the kill.

• Report It—Within 72 hours of the kill or before taking your deer to the processor, report your harvest by going online to gooutdoorsgeorgia.com or calling 1-800-366-2661.

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**ANTLERS**
Antlerless deer are those having no visible antlers above the hairline (including “button bucks”) and may only be taken during either-sex or antlerless seasons or hunts. During “buck-only” hunts or seasons, a deer must have antlers visible above the hairline to be legal for harvest.

**HEAD OF DEER**
It is unlawful to remove the head of a deer until the deer is processed or surrendered to a storage facility for storage or processing.

**TRANSPORTING DEER HARVESTED BY ANOTHER HUNTER**
Persons transporting deer harvested by another hunter must possess, in writing, the complete name, address, telephone and hunting license number of the person who harvested the deer, and the Game Check confirmation number.

**COOLER LOCKERS**
Whole or field-dressed deer received by a cold-storage or meat processing facility must be marked with the hunter’s name, date, county of harvest and sex of deer. A list of processors is available at gohuntgeorgia.com.

**LAKES, STREAMS AND PONDS**
It is unlawful to take a deer by any means while it is in a lake, stream, or pond.

**RIGHTS-OF-WAY/TRANSMISSION TOWERS**
Hunting from a stand or platform attached to a transmission tower is trespassing and is prohibited. Written permission must be obtained from the landowner to hunt on power line, gas line, railroad, or other rights-of-way.

**HUNTING OUT OF STATE?**
If you harvest a white-tailed deer, mule deer, elk, moose or caribou in a state having a documented case of Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD), you may bring back only the following carcass parts:
1 – boned-out meat;
2 – processed cuts of meat;
3 – clean skull plates with antlers attached (not the entire skull);
4 – clean antlers;
5 – finished taxidermy mounts; and
6 – clean upper canine teeth (aka buglers, ivories, whistlers).

To protect Georgia’s deer herd, the importation of whole carcasses or parts not listed above is prohibited from any CWD-positive state or Canadian province. For an up-to-date list of positive states and other information about CWD, please visit [www.cwd-info.org](http://www.cwd-info.org).

**DEER URINE AND CHRONIC WASTING DISEASE**
While Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) prions are known to be present in urine of infected deer, there has been no documented spread of the disease through the use of natural urine deer attractants. However, to minimize the potential risk through use of these products hunters are strongly encouraged to use only those natural urine products bearing the Archery Trade Association (ATA) Deer Protection Program Checkmark, or use synthetic urine products.

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REFERENCE THE TABLES ON THE RIGHT TO SEE YOUR AREA’S EITHER-SEX DEER HUNTING OPPORTUNITIES ON PRIVATE LAND.
Chattahoochee National Forest

Firearms deer season on Chattahoochee National Forest (Outside of WMAs)
Oct. 20 - Dec. 26, 2018
Buck Only except during the either-sex days listed below.

Firearms either-sex days on Chattahoochee National Forest (Outside of WMAs)
West of I-75
Same as county either-sex days through Dec. 26
East of I-75
Oct. 27, Nov. 24
Hunting with archery equipment is buck-only except on firearms either-sex days.
DOG-DEER HUNTING

DOG-DEER SEASONS

Hunting deer with dogs is by permit only. Application deadline is Sept. 20, 2018. Call (770) 918-6408 for specific rules and regulations.

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DEER HUNTING WITH DOGS

To hunt deer with dogs, each hunter 16 years of age or older must possess a hunting license. Deer may be hunted with dogs only during authorized seasons and areas.

Hunting deer with dogs is allowed on leased properties of at least 1,000 contiguous acres or privately-owned properties of at least 250 acres that are permitted by DNR. Permits are specific to only one piece of property and only one permit application per property should be submitted. Applications for a permit must be received at least 30 days prior to hunting deer with dogs. Applicants wishing to hunt on opening day must submit an application by September 20, 2018. Applications are available at gadnrle.org/special-permits. The permit number must be clearly marked on all dogs and all vehicles being used during the hunt.
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BAITING
Bait: corn, wheat, other grains, salts, apples, and other feed that has been placed, exposed, deposited, distributed, or scattered so as to constitute a lure, attraction, or enticement to game animals or game birds.

IT IS UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON TO:
• Hunt any game animal (except as noted below) or game bird upon, over, around, or near bait.
• Hunt any area for a period of 10 days following complete removal of all bait.
• Hunt any big game or feral hog over bait or place bait on any State or Federal managed lands.
• Place bait in a manner that will cause hunting on an adjacent property to be prohibited.

Taking of any big game over bait is subject to a fine of $5,000 and/or imprisonment up to 12 months.

NEW EXCEPTIONS FOR DEER:
• Deer may be hunted over or near any bait on private lands in all counties, provided the hunter has written permission from the landowner. It is unlawful to hunt deer over bait or place bait on any state or federally managed lands.

EXCEPTIONS FOR FERAL HOGS (STATEWIDE):
• Feral hogs may be hunted over or near bait on private lands year round in every county provided that the bait is not placed within 50 yards of any property ownership boundary.
• Placing bait for hogs may make a property (or portion of a property) un-huntable for other species, such as turkeys. Hunters are urged to communicate with others who may hunt other species on or near an area where baiting for deer or hogs is being considered.

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**Land Access:** Any person, age 16 and older, entering a WMA or PFA must possess a valid license to hunt or fish or a Lands Pass (exclusions apply). Visit www.georgiawildlife.com/LandAccess for a list of all public properties and access requirements.

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BEAR

LIMIT
Two bears per season, however, only one bear may be taken from the Southern Zone or Central Zone.

STATEWIDE RESTRICTIONS
It is prohibited to kill a female bear with cub(s) or bears under 75 pounds. No hunting bears over bait.

ZONES

NORTHERN BEAR ZONE
Carroll, Fulton, DeKalb, Gwinnett, Walton, Barrow, Jackson, Madison, Hart and all counties north

Restrictions:
No hunting bears with dogs. No hunting bears over bait.

Reporting:
• Within 24 hours, harvested bears must be reported to the Wildlife Resources Division Gainesville Office (770-535-5700) or Armuchee Office (706-295-6041). After hours, call 1-800-241-4113.
• Within 3 business days, bears (minimum of hide and skull) must be checked and tagged at one of these locations:
  • Fargo Georgia Forestry Commission Office – Thursdays and Fridays 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.; Saturdays Noon - 9 p.m., all hunt days
  • Waycross DNR Office – Thursdays and Fridays 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.; Saturdays Noon - 9 p.m. Sept. 20-22, Sept. 27-29, Oct. 11-13
  • Dixon Memorial WMA – Oct. 4-6, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
  • After hours, call 1-800-241-4113, or 229-426-5267 on the following business day to report harvested bears and arrange tagging

SOUTHERN BEAR ZONE
Brantley, Charlton, Clinch,ECHols, Lanier, Lowndes and Ware Counties

Restrictions:
No hunting bears over bait. Hunting with dogs is allowed, except in Lanier and Lowndes Counties, where only still hunting is allowed.

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BEAR, TURKEY, FERAL HOG, ALLIGATOR & SMALL GAME

see Seasons and Bag Limits on page 32-33

TURKEY

LIMIT
3 gobblers per season, including Special Opportunity Season.

CHECK YOUR TURKEY
All turkey hunters are required to have a Harvest Record for the current season. Additionally, all harvest must be reported within 72 hours through Georgia Game Check.

HOW TO REPORT YOUR TURKEY:

Cell Phone Handy?
If you have a cell phone, enter the harvest date and county on the GA Outdoors App when your phone has no service. You can report your harvest through the GA Outdoors App when your phone has no service. Enter your harvest date and county on the Harvest Record through the App. When you get to a location with service, access the App and sync to receive your confirmation number.

No Phone? No Problem!
Log It—Enter the harvest date and county on your paper Harvest Record before moving the turkey from the site of the kill.

Report It—Within 72 hours of the kill, report your harvest by going online to gooutdoorsgeorgia.com or calling 1-800-366-2661.

SPECIAL OPPORTUNITY SEASON
For youth 16 years of age and younger and mobility impaired persons (i.e. confined to wheelchair, hemiplegia, monoplegia, paraplegia, or single-leg amputation above the knee). Such hunters must be accompanied by an adult (18 years or older) who can call but may not take or attempt to take a turkey. This season does not apply to public lands unless otherwise specified.

TURKEY SURVEY
All turkey hunters may participate in the Annual Turkey Hunter Survey at gohuntgeorgia.com or by calling 478-825-6354.

FERAL HOG

PRIVATE LANDS

Limit: No limit, no closed season.
Feral hogs may be hunted at night with a light (no voltage restriction), which is carried on the person, affixed to a helmet or hat, or part of a belt system worn by a hunter. Hunting over bait is allowed. No hunting from a vehicle.

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS:
Residents: All residents 16 years of age or older must possess a Hunting License to hunt feral hogs except when hunting on land owned by them or their immediate family (blood or dependent relationship) residing in the same household.
Nonresidents: Must possess a nonresident hunting license.

Exemptions: to many of these restrictions for agricultural producers are available by permit. Contact your local Game Management Office for details.

LEGAL WEAPONS
Any legal weapon. Additional weapon restrictions apply on WMAs and Federal Lands.

NATIONAL FOREST LANDS
(OUTSIDE OF WMAS)

Limit: No limit.
Hogs may be taken with archery equipment during archery deer season, with deer...
weapons during firearms deer season, with
turkey weapons during turkey season and
with small game weapons during small game
season. No night hunting. No hunting over bait.
Hunting license requirements must be met.
Hunter orange is required during firearms
and primitive weapons deer seasons.
See page 69 for dog training seasons and rules.

TRANSPORTING & RELEASE
It is unlawful to transport a live feral hog
without a permit from the Georgia Department
of Agriculture (GDA). Feral hogs captured alive
by a person without a valid GDA permit must be
killed prior to transport. Release of any live feral
hogs into an area that is not fenced is prohib-
ited. Any persons convicted of the transport or
release of live feral hogs may be subject to losing
hunting privileges for up to three years and a
fine up to $5,000.00, but not less than $1,500.00.
Transport and possession of live feral hogs are
regulated by GDA; contact the Animal Industry
Division at 404-656-3671 for more information.

PROCESSING
Any facility that processes hogs for a fee,
including deer processors, must obtain a license
to operate from the Meat Inspection Section of
the Georgia Department of Agriculture. For
more information, deer processors may contact
the Georgia Meat Inspection Section at 404-656-
3673. Licensing requirements do not apply to
individuals who process feral swine for their
own use.

WARNING
Feral hogs can carry infectious diseases that
are transmissible to people. To avoid possible
exposure: wear plastic gloves when field-
dressing feral hogs; wash hands with soap
and hot water immediately afterwards; avoid
direct contact with blood and reproductive organs;
cook thoroughly; and properly dispose
of all waste.

SMALL GAME

BOBCAT & FOX
Bobcats and foxes may be hunted with small
game firearms or centerfire firearms of .17
caliber or larger. Manual calls only. Hunting
with dogs allowed. Night hunting allowed.

COYOTES, ARMADILLOS,
GROUNDHOGS, BEAVERS, STARLINGS,
PIGEONS & ENGLISH SPARROWS
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season for trapping beavers and coyotes.
Electronic calls may be used for hunting coyotes.

ALLIGATOR
Season: August 17 (sunset) - October 8 (sunrise)
Legal Weapons: Hand-held ropes or snares,
snatch hooks, harpoons, gigs, or arrows with
restraining line attached. Lawfully restrained
alligators may be killed with any caliber
handgun or bangstick.

Quota Process: Alligator harvest is permit
only. To enter the selection process, log into
your account at gooutdoorsgeorgia.com.
Application Period: June 1 - July 15
Age: Must be 12 or older to be present on an
alligator hunt.

TRAPPING
Complete trapping regulations are available at
gohuntgeorgia.com. See page 33 for seasons.

FALCONRY
Valid falconry permit and hunting license
required. For season dates and limits for water-
fowl see page 35.
• Squirrel (12 per day) Aug. 15 - Mar. 15
• Grouse (3 per day) Oct. 1 - Mar. 15
• Rabbit (12 per day) Oct. 1 - Mar. 15
• Quail (12 per day) Oct. 1 - Mar. 15

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<td>Mar. 23 - May 15, 2019</td>
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The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) regulates the harvest of migratory birds by establishing framework (opening and closing dates, maximum season length, and maximum bag limits) within which states can set their migratory bird hunting seasons. Georgia annually proposes waterfowl and late-season migratory bird hunting season dates and bag limits that maximize opportunity within the framework adopted by the USFWS.

In addition to State regulations, Federal rules apply to the taking, possession, shipping, transporting, and storage of migratory birds. Each hunter should also consult actual Federal Regulations, which may be found in: Title 50, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 20.

View, download and print at: www.gpoaccess.gov or www.gohuntgeorgia.com

GEORGIA MIGRATORY BIRD STAMP

Georgia Migratory Bird Stamp is required for any person age 16 and older who purchases a license and hunts migratory birds (ducks, geese, woodcock, snipe, coots, rails, or gallinules). A free Georgia Migratory Bird Stamp is available for all resident Landowners hunting their own land and any Sportsman’s License, Youth Sportsman’s License, Disability Sportsman’s License, Disability Hunting License, Honorary License or Lifetime Sportsman’s License holder.

LEGAL HOURS

Dove: 12 noon until sunset on opening day of September season, and ½ hour before sunrise to sunset for the remainder of the season.

All Other Migratory Birds: ½ hour before sunrise to sunset.

FEDERAL YOUTH WATERFOWL DAYS

Nov. 10-11, 2018

Only youth 17 years of age or younger may hunt waterfowl or geese on these days. An adult at least 18 years of age must accompany the youth into the field but may not hunt.

POSSSESSION OF MIGRATORY BIRDS HARVESTED BY ANOTHER

Persons possessing migratory birds harvested by another hunter must possess, in writing, the hunter’s signature, address, total number of birds harvested by species and dates of harvest.

NON-TOXIC SHOT

Any 10-gauge or smaller loaded with federally approved nontoxic shot of size “F” or...
smaller. No lead shot may be in possession while hunting waterfowl.

BANDED BIRDS
Hunters harvesting any banded migratory bird should go to the Bird Banding Laboratory website at www.reportband.gov to report the band number and how, when and where it was recovered.

FALCONRY (FOR MIGRATORY BIRDS)
Valid falconry permit and hunting license required.

DATES:
Sept. 1-30
Oct. 13-27
Nov. 17-25
Dec. 8 - Jan. 27

LIMITS:
3 per day
9 in possession

SPECIAL REGULATIONS

LAKE LANIER RESTRICTIONS:
No hunting allowed within 600 feet of a dock, house, structure, bridge, road, boat ramp, marina or open recreation area. Contact the Game Management Region 2 Office for open dates, closed recreation areas open for hunting and other special rules for waterfowl hunting on Lake Lanier, or visit www.gohuntgeorgia.com/Hunting/Waterfowl.

GEORGIA POWER LAKES (IN NORTH GEORGIA):
No hunting allowed within 300 feet of a dock, house, structure, bridge, road, boat ramp, marina or open recreation area.

LAKE BLACKSHEAR, LAKE OCONEE, LAKE SEMINOLE, LAKE SINCLAIR & LAKE OLIVER (SOUTH OF STANDING BOY CREEK):
No hunting allowed within 300 feet of a dock house structure, bridge, road, boat ramp, marina or open recreation area.

LAKE WALTER F. GEORGE:
No hunting allowed on the portions of LWFG in Georgia within 600 feet of a dock house structure, bridge, road, boat ramp, marina, or open recreation area. Waterfowl hunting from land is prohibited outside of the specified “Hunting Areas”. A Corps permit is required to hunt waterfowl on all areas of the lake, except the Eufaula NWR. Information on how to purchase a permit (in person or by mail only): www.sam.usace.mil or 229-768-2516.

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North GA Taxidermy & Deer Processing, 3554 Mineral Bluff Hwy, Mineral Bluff, 30559, 706-455-7892
Palmer Deer Processing, 790 Sanford Dr., Nicholson, 30565, 706-340-1684
T. Holoway Quality Deer Processing, 2074 Morgan Rd., Canton, 30115, 770-893-9439
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Maps: Interactive maps for all WMAs are available at georgiawildlife.com/AllWMAs. Maps may also be found at check stations, kiosks, and region offices.

Land Access: Any person, age 16 and older, entering any WMA or PFA must possess a valid license to hunt or fish or a Lands Pass (exclusions apply). Visit www.georgiawildlife.com/LandAccess for a list of all public properties and access requirements. Areas that require a valid license to hunt or fish or a Lands Pass are marked with the posting of a sign at the site or area entrance. A Lands Pass and all hunting and fishing licenses may be purchased at gooutdoorsgeorgia.com, by calling 1-800-366-2661, or through license vendors.

Any individual(s) or organization(s) desiring to sponsor or conduct an event, activity, or series of events or activities involving more than eight individuals on a WMA or PFA may be required to obtain a “Right of Entry” agreement (ROEA) from the Department. Contact the respective Game Management office (see page 4) for more details.

VOLUNTARY PUBLIC ACCESS (VPA) PROPERTIES
Since 2014 through a USDA grant, the DNR Wildlife Resources Division (WRD) has been able to enhance and add to its WMA program through additional temporary agreements with private landowners for public hunting opportunities. Some of these VPA opportunities are listed from pages 46-65, but others could not be included due to deadlines. For an accurate list of properties, please visit gohuntgeorgia.com.

CHECK-IN HUNT VS. SIGN-IN HUNT:
CHECK-IN HUNT
For managed hunts, hunters must check-in prior to hunting. Hunters may check-in starting at noon one day prior to the hunt, anytime during the hunt, or online at gooutdoorsgeorgia.com. Check-in is required once for each check-in period.

Two deer of either sex may be harvested during any one check-in hunt, unless otherwise specified, except on Quality Buck WMAs. See specific WMA listing for hunt details.

SIGN-IN HUNT
All big-game and small-game hunters must sign-in prior to hunting. Sign-in is available beginning at noon one day prior to hunt at check station/kiosk and is also available online at gooutdoorsgeorgia.com. Sign-in is required once per hunt for big-game hunts and once per season for small-game hunts.

Two deer may be harvested during any sign-in hunt lasting less than ten days. During a sign-in hunt lasting 10 days or longer, the bag limit is the statewide season. Bag limits for other species are the same as statewide limits, unless otherwise noted under the specific WMA (see pages 46-65).

All deer and turkey harvested during a sign-in hunt must be checked using GA Game Check. See pages 20 and 30 for details.

Mandatory WMA Bear Harvest Requirements: All bears must be reported and tagged. See page 30 for specific requirements by Bear Zone.

GATE CLOSURES
There are a number of reasons why roads may be closed to motor vehicles. Some roads are only intended for WRD personnel to perform management related activities on a WMA (such as timber harvest, habitat management, prescribed fire or emergency response). Roads that are typically closed may be open during managed hunts or during certain high-use periods to provide better access and evenly distribute hunters.

Before visiting a WMA:
• Go to gohuntgeorgia.com for notices of road closures
• Obtain a WMA map that denotes area specific access
• Contact the region office regarding questions pertaining to the specific status of roads or access features

YOUTH HUNTS AND SUPERVISION
Youth under age 16 must be accompanied by or “directly supervised,” which means uninterrupted, unaided visual contact and auditory communication with the youth by an adult when hunting on a WMA.

Big Game Hunts: One adult shall supervise no more than one child. Only the youth may hunt. Adult may not hunt. All Youth Big-Game hunts are firearms hunts unless specified otherwise.
The target shooting and hunting community prides itself on being safe and responsible with firearms in all situations—from using them outdoors to storing them safely at home. Sometimes, however, unusual conditions such as extremely dry environments require an extra level of awareness and safety on the part of shooters.

Wildfires have many possible causes. The National Shooting Sports Foundation, the trade association for the firearms and ammunition industry, reminds all shooters that during dry and hot weather conditions their use of certain ammunition and targets could accidentally ignite a wildfire. NSSF reminds all target shooters and hunters, as well as other outdoor enthusiasts, to consider the potential consequences of their activities in fire-prone environments.

- Make it a point to know the regulations and rules related to shooting in areas experiencing dry and hot conditions, whether on public or private land or at shooting ranges. Many national forests, for example, do not allow recreational shooting when fire restrictions are in effect.
- Consider the type of ammunition and targets you are using. Minimize the risk of fires by not using steel-jacketed ammunition, ammunition with steel-core components, tracer rounds or exploding targets in fire-prone areas.
- Remember that equipment, such as cars and ATVs, can have extremely hot exhaust systems that could ignite dry vegetation, so park only in designated areas.
- Extinguish and dispose of smoking materials safely.
- Follow guidelines to extinguish campfires.
- Warn others of potential dangers and behaviors for starting wildfires.
- Report any wildfire you see to authorities.
- Spread this message to other target shooters, hunters and outdoor enthusiasts.
Small Game Hunts: One adult may directly supervise no more than two children (17 years old and under). Adults and children may hunt, provided that the adult is directly supervising a child who is actively participating in the hunt, unless otherwise noted on specific WMA (see pages 46-65).

REstrictions

Quality Buck
Several WMAs are managed for Quality Bucks, which place restrictions on the buck you may harvest. These WMAs will define a Quality Buck in one of three ways:

- **Point Restrictions:** Requires a minimum of 4 points on one side and points must be 1 inch or longer.
- **Spread Restrictions:** Requires a 15 inch outside spread OR a 15 inch main beam.
- **Point or Spread Restrictions:** Requires a minimum of 4 points on one side and points must be at least one inch long OR a 15 inch outside spread.

On hunts having antler restrictions, only one antlered buck may be harvested per hunt. Always refer to the specific WMA to determine if it is managed as a Quality Buck area and to see the applicable restrictions.

Hunting Feral Hogs and Coyotes
Feral hogs and coyotes may be taken during any small or big game season with the appropriate lawful weapons. In addition, a feral hog and coyote season will be held from May 16-31 on all WMAs, unless otherwise specified in the WMA listings on pages 46-65. Hunter orange is required. Electronic calls may be used. No night hunting or baiting allowed. Dogs are not allowed unless otherwise specified.

Tree Stands and Hunting Structures
Hunting structure: any portable tree stand, ground blind, stool, chair, bucket, waterfowl blind, or other similar device used for the purpose of hunting.

Hunters may not construct or hunt from any tree stand that is not portable or natural. Tree stands may not be placed on utility poles or other structures supporting utility lines. For big game and feral hog hunts, hunting structures shall not be placed any sooner than one day prior to the hunt and shall be removed from the WMA no later than 12 noon the day following the hunt. For small game hunts, hunting structures may be placed and shall be removed from the WMA only on the day of the hunt.

Exception: Opening day of dove season hunters shall not enter a managed dove field and hunting structures shall not be placed on a managed dove field prior to 10 a.m.

WMA Activities

Camping
All camps shall be in designated campgrounds unless otherwise posted at the check station. Camping, or establishment of a campsite, shall be limited to a maximum of 14 consecutive days, after which the campsite shall be vacated and all personally owned property or physical features of the camp must be removed for a period of not less than 7 days. During that 7-day period a new campsite may not be established within the boundaries of the same WMA or within 1 mile radius of the vacated campsite by the same person(s).

- No musical instruments, radios, televisions, generators or other noise making devices after 10:00 p.m. daily in such a manner that such devices may be heard by other WMA users. (Note: Medically needed devices or aids to disabled persons are permitted.)
- No camping or driving motor vehicles on wildlife openings.
- No cutting, carving or damaging of live or standing trees.

Loaded firearms are prohibited in camping areas, except that any person possessing a Weapons Carry License that is valid in this state pursuant to OCGA §§ 16-11-126(f) or 16-11-129 may carry such firearm subject to the limitations of OCGA §§ 16-11-126 and 16-11-127, except where prohibited by federal law.

Camping is allowed anywhere on National Forest Lands unless otherwise indicated or signed. Forest Service regulations govern outdoor recreation on WMAs located on National Forest Lands.

Collecting Firewood
Only trees that are dead and down may be cut and used for firewood on WMAs. Annual firewood cutting permits are issued for personal use by the region office. On National Forests, firewood permits are available from the district US Forest Service offices.

Fishing
Fishing is allowed on WMAs unless otherwise posted. A fishing license is required to fish on all WMAs (a trout license is additionally required to fish in mountain trout waters).

Operating Motor Vehicles and ATVs
All motor vehicles are restricted to improved roads open for vehicular access. ATVs may only be operated on open improved roads within WMAs during the period between 2 hours before sunrise and 2 hours after sunset one day prior to and during big game, small game, and hog only hunts by hunters actively participating in the hunt (except where otherwise specified). However, on National Forest Lands, including WMAs on the National Forest, ATVs are restricted to designated trails unless posted otherwise.

“Improved Roads” are roads that receive maintenance for the purpose of public access, and “Open Roads” are roads not closed with a gate, sign, earthen berm or similar device intended to prevent vehicular access. Motor vehicles (including ATVs, dirt bikes, utility vehicles, golf carts, and other off-road vehicles) must meet applicable safety, licensing, insurance and registration requirements for use on public roads. Vehicle and ATV operators must be at least 16 years old. Roads may be closed at the discretion of DNR. Vehicles may not be parked in such a way as to block an open or closed roadway.

Fees on National Forest Lands: Fees may be charged for camping, ATV/ORV trails, shooting ranges, and boat ramps on the National Forest. These fees apply to all users. For more information, visit www.fs.fed.us/conf or contact any US Forest Service Office.

Riding Horses and Bikes
Horses and bicycles are allowed on open improved roads, designated trails, or designated areas. Bicycles may be used on closed improved roads for the purpose of hunter access. Horses may be used off roads and trails during permitted field trials. Horses and bicycles may be used on National Forest Lands not otherwise closed. Horses and bicycles are prohibited on the Appalachian Trail. All WMA laws, rules and regulations, unless otherwise specified, must be followed on Public Fishing Areas and State Parks open for hunting. Visit georgiawildlife.com/LandAccess for a list of all public properties and access requirements.

Camping, hiking and other recreational uses are allowed year-round, unless otherwise posted at the WMA check station or at a specific recreation site. All WMA visitors are encouraged to wear hunter orange during open hunting seasons. Specific recreation sites may be closed as needed for management purposes.
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GENERAL WMA REGULATIONS

MIGRATORY BIRDS

CROWS, SNipe, SORA, RAILS AND WOODCOCK may be hunted on small game dates during the statewide seasons for each species unless otherwise specified. Statewide bag limits and restrictions listed on pages 34-35 apply.

DUCK hunting on managed impoundments at Altamaha (Butler Island), Cordele Hatchery, Evans PFA, Oconee WMA, Rum Creek WMA, and West Point WMA - Grovers Creek is by quota only. Hunters must hunt from assigned areas or ponds, as specified. Shooting hours end at 12 noon, except the last Saturday of the season, when hunting is allowed until sunset. See pages 18 and 75 for quota hunt information.

Waterfowl on all other WMA locations may be hunted any day of the waterfowl season that the area is open for small game hunting or as otherwise specified.

GOOSE hunting is allowed on WMAs except on managed waterfowl impoundments and managed dove fields. On managed waterfowl impoundments, geese may be taken by drawn hunters during the statewide goose season.

SMALL GAME, FURBEARERS, FALCONRY

ALLIGATORS may be taken on small game dates and big game dates, day or night, during statewide alligator season by quota permit holders only, unless otherwise specified in the WMA listings on pages 46-65. See page 31 for more information.

COYOTES may be taken anytime a season is open on a WMA, but hunters may only use weapons legal for the game species for which the season is open. In addition, on WMAs where feral hogs and coyotes can be taken during May 16-31, any legal weapon may be used. During the May season, hunters are required to wear florescent orange.

FALCONRY: Small game may be taken on WMAs (including field trial and archery only areas) by permitted falconers at any time during the state falconry season except during managed big game hunts or as otherwise specified on the specific WMA (see pages 46-65).

FURBEARERS: Raccoons, opossums, foxes and bobcats may be hunted within statewide seasons during small game and furbearer dates, unless otherwise specified in the WMA listings on pages 46-65. Furbearers may not be hunted during firearms deer hunts. Night hunting is allowed, unless otherwise specified, but is restricted to small game weapons only (no centerfire rifles). Hunters must pick up their dogs by 12 noon on the day following the hunt. No electronic calls.

SMALL GAME: Hunters are allowed to hunt any small game with an open season (see page 33) during the small game dates specified in the WMA listings on pages 46-65, unless otherwise specified. No small game or furbearer hunting is allowed during a deer hunt lasting less than 10 days, except that migratory birds may be hunted during archery deer hunts during open state season unless otherwise specified. Small game species with specific hunt dates for a WMA, (ex. Dove), may only be hunted during those open dates and not during state small game dates for that species.

TRAPPING

Limited opportunities to trap on certain WMAs are available by permit only. Such opportunities are available on: Albany Nursery, B. F. Grant, Big Lazer Creek, Blanton Creek, Bullard Creek, Clayhole, Crockford-Pigeon Mtn, Dawson Forest, Dixon Memorial, Elmodel, Joe Kurz, Penholoway, Rum Creek, Tuckahoe, West Point, and Yuchi WMAs. Contact the appropriate region office for further details or to apply for a permit.

UNLAWFUL ACTIVITIES on WMAs

- Man-drives during deer hunts. A man-drive is defined as an organized hunting technique involving three (3) or more hunters using a coordinated effort to drive deer or feral swine from cover to another hunter for the purpose of shooting.
- Placing bait for the purpose of hunting any game species or feral hog over bait.
- Target practicing, except on an authorized shooting range.
- Driving a vehicle around any gate, sign, earth berm, or similar device intended to prevent vehicular access.
- Hunting within 50 yards of any road opened for vehicular access. (Possession of a loaded firearm within 50 yards of a road opened for vehicular access is considered hunting.)
- Hunting within a posted safety zone.
- Consuming alcohol except at camp sites (this regulation does not apply on National Forest Lands).
- Camping or operating a motor vehicle upon any permanent wildlife opening.
- Using motor vehicles, signage, flagging tape, or any other method(s) to close or restrict access to roads, trails or any other access features.
- Using metal detectors or collecting artifacts.
- Using paintball equipment (this regulation does not apply on National Forest Lands).
- Trapping except that special permits may be issued for certain WMAs.
- Possessing alcohol while hunting on National Forest lands.
- Possessing a cocked crossbow in a motor vehicle.
- Possessing a firearm during a closed hunting season for an area, except on designated shooting ranges, unless such a firearm is unloaded and stored in a motor vehicle so as to not be readily accessible, except that any person possessing a Weapons Carry License that is valid in this state pursuant to OCGA §§ 16-11-126(f) or 16-11-129 may carry such firearm subject to the limitations of OCGA §§ 16-11-126 and 16-11-127, except where prohibited by federal law.
- Possessing a loaded firearm (a gun is considered loaded if a shell is in the chamber or magazine, a percussion cap is on the nipple, or powder is present on the frizzen pan) in a motor vehicle, except that any person possessing a Weapons Carry License that is valid in this state pursuant to OCGA §§ 16-11-126(f) or 16-11-129 may carry such firearm subject to the limitations of OCGA §§ 16-11-126 and 16-11-127, except where prohibited by federal law.
- A Weapons Carry License does not allow the holder to carry a loaded firearm, other than a handgun, in a motor vehicle on a WMA.
- Dogs are not allowed for pursuing or catching hogs on WMAs, unless specified otherwise.
Cogongrass is considered to be the “seventh worst weed in the world” and can grow so dense in forests that many ground-dwelling animals such as quail, turkey, and deer find it nearly impossible to travel through.

If Cogongrass is allowed to go unchecked, it will choke out all native vegetation.

The Georgia Forestry Commission has an eradication program to control Cogongrass, but we need your help. Please report sightings of Cogongrass online at GaTrees.org, contact your local GFC Management Forester or call 229-430-5122.

Remember: The loss of Cogongrass is your gain.
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Each listing provides the specific information applicable to that WMA/PFA/State Park/VPA. However, if you require additional information, a contact number is provided with each listing. Please review the legend below. Each listing will have a list of applicable symbols located in its header as a quick reference.

**ALAPAHA RIVER WMA**

- **DEER ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 21
  - Buck Only: Oct. 27-28
  - Either Sex: Nov. 15-17 | Nov. 21-25
  - Dec. 11-16

- **TURKEY**
  - Q30 Mar. 23-29 | Mar. 30- Apr. 5
  - Apr. 6 - May 15

- **SMALL GAME**

- **WATERFOWL**
  - State season during small game dates.

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Ocilla: Take Hwy 319 West towards Tifton for 10 miles. Entrance on left.

**ALBANY NURSERY WMA**

- **DEER ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Dec. 9-Jan. 13
  - Firearm:
    - Either Sex/Wheelchair Hunt/Shotgun Only: Nov. 1-4 | Nov. 28-Dec. 2

- **TURKEY**
  - Q1 Wheelchair Hunt: Apr. 6-12 | May 4-10
  - Q1 & Youth Hunt: Mar. 30-Apr. 5 | Apr. 20-26

- **SMALL GAME**
  - Aug. 15 - Oct. 31, Dec. 9 - Jan. 18, Jan. 20 - Feb. 28

- **QUAIL**
  - Q1 Nov. 24 | Dec. 8 | Jan. 19
  - Quota limit is 6/person or 12/party.

- **DOVE**
  - Q3S Sept. 1
  - Sept. 8, Sept. 15, Oct. 13-31

- **WATERFOWL**
  - State season during small game dates.

**SPECIAL REGS**

Physically Disabled hunters should apply by letter by Mar. 10 to Albany Nursery Quota Turkey Hunt. Game Management, 2024 Newton Road, Albany, Georgia 31701. Include a phone number. See page 74 for all other quota hunt application instructions. No camping.

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Cartersville Take HWY 20 east from I-75, 5.5 miles to check station.

**ALLATOONA WMA**

- **DEER ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 19
  - Firearm:
    - Speciality Hunt: Oct. 20-21
    - Either Sex: Nov. 3-Jan. 1

- **BEAR ARCHERY**
  - Sept. 8-Oct. 19
  - Firearm:
    - Speciality Hunt: Oct. 20-21
    - General Hunt: Nov. 3-Dec. 2

- **TURKEY**
  - Mar. 23-May 15

- **SMALL GAME**
  - Aug. 15-Oct. 19, Oct. 22 - Feb. 28

- **WATERFOWL**
  - State season during small game dates.

**SPECIAL REGS**

No firearms allowed in U.S. Corps of Engineers developed campsites. Horse and bicycle trails & areas are closed all day Oct. 20-21 and before 10:00 a.m. EST during all other bear and turkey seasons. No ATVs. No camping.

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Lumber City: Take Hwy 19 north approx. 6.5 miles to Exit 42 (GA Hwy 99). Turn left (southwest) on Hwy 99 crossing back over I-95 toward Sterling and proceed approx. 0.5 to entrance on right.

**ALTAMA PLANTATION WMA**

- **DEER ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 10
  - Firearm:
    - Speciality Hunt: Nov. 11-28, Dec. 1-10

- **TURKEY**
  - Mar. 23 - May 15

- **SMALL GAME**
  - Aug. 15 - Nov. 10, Nov. 11-28, Dec. 2-25, Dec. 29 - Feb. 28

- **WATERFOWL**
  - State season during small game dates.

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Brunswick: Take I-95 north approx. 6.5 miles to Exit 42 (GA Hwy 99). Turn left (southwest) on Hwy 99 crossing back over I-95 toward Sterling and proceed approx. 0.5 to entrance on right.

**ALTMAMA WMA**

- **DEER ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 19
  - Firearm:
    - Speciality Hunt: Oct. 20-21
    - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 19

- **TURKEY**
  - Mar. 23-May 15

- **SMALL GAME**
  - Aug. 15-Feb. 28

- **WATERFOWL**
  - State season during small game dates.
DIRECTIONS
To Buffalo Swamp from Darien Take HWY 251/Cox Rd west 8 miles to Cox. Left onto Possum Point Rd. Sign in box is 1.5 miles on left. To McGowan Lake from Darien Take HWY 251/Cox Rd west 8 miles to Cox. Left onto Fort Barrington Rd. Entrance is 2.2 miles on left. You may also sign in at Altamaha Regional Park, Champney Island Boat Ramp, and Darien City Docks.

ALTAMAHA WMA—WATERFOWL MANAGEMENT AREA

11,402 acres • 912.262.3173

DEER ARCHEHY
» Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 9

TURKEY
No season.

SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-Nov. 9, Jan. 29-Feb. 28
Except Butler Island which opens after the last Saturday of waterfowl season. No furbearer season.

» Rabbits: Bag Limit - 6/person/day.


» Snipe hunting is allowed Wed.-Sun. & State holidays during state season, except on Butler Island which opens after last Saturday of Waterfowl Season.

DOVE
» Sept. 1, Sept. 8, Sept. 15, Oct. 13 - Nov. 1, Nov. 22-Jan. 15, except that Butler & Champney Islands are closed to dove hunting during statewide waterfowl season.

WATERFOWL
» Wed., Sat., Sun., State Holidays during statewide season. Shooting hours are until 12 noon, except that on last day of season shooting hours end at sunset.

» Q25 Butler Island: Saturday Only. Stand selection drawing to be held at 5am. Stand-by waterfowl hunters will be issued blinds on quota hunts based on drawing of the morning of the hunt. Maximum 3 persons per blind area. Handicap hunters selected for quota contact. Area Manager at 912-262-3173.

FERAL HOGS & COYOTES
Mar. 1 - May 31. Rifle restrictions apply. Small game weapons only.

SPECIAL REGS
This area includes Broughton, Butler, Champney, and Rhett's Islands. Butler Refuge (located on Butler Island east of HWY 17) and Ansley Hodges MARSH Project (located west of HWY 17 on Champney Island) are closed to firearms at all times but open to archery deer & hog hunting archery seasons and archery rabbit hunting after the last Saturday of waterfowl season. Airboats are prohibited inside managed waterfowl impoundments. Access to Rhett's Island at designated cross-over sites only. Boats are restricted to one motor of 25hp or less. Rhett's Island is closed to fishing, shrimp & crabbing during early teal season & statewide waterfowl season. Butler Island ponds & impoundments closed to cast netting.

DIRECTIONS
From Darien Take U.S. HWY 17 south 1.5 miles; check station is on the right.

ANDERSON FARMS DOVE FIELD

127 acres • 912.262.3173

DOVE

SPECIAL REGS
Hunting is restricted to mourning dove only on marked fields. This Dove Field is only open to the public for the dates listed above. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

Special Archery Only Youth Hunt

Take Hwy 169 North; turn left onto Walter Griffiths Road; go 2 miles to Ford Road. Fields will be located on the west side of Ford Road.

APPLING COUNTY DOVE FIELD

110 acres • 229.426.5267

DOVE
» Youth Hunt: Sept. 1
» General Hunt: Sept. 8, Sept. 15

SPECIAL REGS
On opening day, hunters shall not enter a managed dove field and hunting structures shall not be placed on a managed dove field prior to 10:00 am. Youth hunt begins at 1:30 pm. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

Directions
From Alma: Take US 1 north to Pat Lewis Rd. on right (1st road on right after crossing over the Appling County line from Bacon County). Go 1 mile to dove fields.
From Baxley: Take US 1 south for 9 miles; turn left on Pat Lewis Rd. Go 1 mile to dove fields.

ARROWHEAD WMA

400 acres • 706.295.6041

DEER ARCHEHY
» Dec. 1-Jan. 1

B. F. GRANT WMA

11,400 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER ARCHEHY
» Quality Buck & Antlerless: Sept. 8-16 (Nov. 15-16)

TURKEY
» Youth Hunt: Mar. 23-31
» Special Archery Hunt: Apr. 8-May 15

SMALL GAME

DOVE

WATERFOWL
State season during small game dates. Shooting hours are 30 min -utes before sunrise until noon.

No hunting on MARSH ponds.

DIRECTIONS
For Eatonton Take HWY 16 west 0.7 miles; turn right on HWY 441 bypass; go 1.5 miles to Godfrey Rd at the flashing traffic light; turn left and go 6 miles to Check-In station.

BALLS FERRY STATE PARK

525 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER ARCHEHY
» Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
» Oct. 20-Jan. 13

FIREARMS
» Special Archery Hunt: Oct. 13-19

TURKEY
» Youth Hunt: Mar. 23-31
» General Hunt (Archery Only): Apr. 1-May 15

SMALL GAME

WATERFOWL
State season during small game dates. Shooting hours are 30 minutes before sunrise until noon.

No camping.

DIRECTIONS
From Dublin Take U.S. 441 north 4.5 miles; turn right on Old Toomsboro Rd., go 7.5 miles to WMA sign; turn right on Oconee Church Rd., turn at WMA sign.

BEAVERDAM WMA

5,500 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER ARCHEHY
» Either Sex: Sept. 8-21
» Oct. 29 - Oct. 12

FIREARMS
» Either Sex: Nov. 1-3
» Buck Only: Nov. 22-24

TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15

SMALL GAME

DIRECTIONS
From Dublin Take U.S. 441 north 4.5 miles; turn right on Old Toomsboro Rd., go 7.5 miles to WMA sign; turn right on Oconee Church Rd., turn at WMA sign.

BERRY COLLEGE WMA

15,029 acres • 706.295.6041

DEER ARCHEHY
» Sign-In once for the season.
» Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 30
» Nov. 4-9

FIREARMS
» Q1000 Either Sex: Nov. 28-Dec. 2
» Q1000 Buck Only/ Either Sex: Last Two Days: Oct. 31-Nov. 3

» Specialty Hunt/Either-Sex: Jan. 5-6
GEORGIA HUNTING SEASONS & REGULATIONS

SPECIFIC WMA REGULATIONS

**BIG DUKES POND WMA**

1,692 acres • 706.595.4222

**DEER**
- **ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
  - **PRIMITIVE**
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Oct. 13-19

**TURKEY**
- Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15-Oct. 30
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Oct. 20-Nov. 30

**DOVE**
- Sept. 1, Sept. 8, Sept. 15, Oct. 13-30
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Oct. 20-Nov. 30

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**BUCKET SHOALS WMA**

582 acres • 770-535-5700

**DEER**
- **ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 30
  - **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 30

**TURKEY**
- Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15-Sept. 10
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Oct. 20-Nov. 30

**DOVE**
- Sept. 1, Sept. 8, Sept. 15, Oct. 13-30
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Oct. 20-Nov. 30

**BROAD RIVER WMA**

440 acres • 770.535.7500

**DEER**
- **ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 30

**TURKEY**
- Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15-Sept. 7, Dec. 1-Feb. 28

**DOVE**
- July 25-Sept. 1, Sept. 8

**BLANTON CREEK WMA**

4,800 acres • 478.825.6354

**DEER**
- **ARCHERY**
  - Quality Buck & Antlerless: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
  - **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Oct. 13-19
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Youth Hunt/Quality Buck: Oct. 25-27
- **HIKER**
  - Buck Only: Oct. 24-27
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Nov. 15-17

**TURKEY**
- Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15-Oct. 20
- **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Oct. 20-Nov. 30

**DOVE**
- July 25-Sept. 1, Sept. 8

**BLUE RIDGE WMA**

20,900 acres • 700.535.5700

**DEER**
- **ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 9
  - **FIREFARMS**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 9

**TURKEY**
- **ARCHERY**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 9

**SMALL GAME**

**DOVE**
- Sept. 1, Sept. 8, Sept. 15, Oct. 13-17, Oct. 21-31, Nov. 22-Jan. 15

**WATERFOWL**
- Big Lazer Creek PFA: Wed. & Sat. during small game dates concurrent with state waterfowl season. Shooting hours: 30 minutes before sunrise until noon on the WMA and PFA.

**SPECIAL REGS**
- Only Quality Bucks with at least four points (1 inch long or longer) on either side or a 15 inch outside spread are legal. You must meet the quality antler restriction.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From Tallbotton Take U.S. 80 east 4 miles; turn left on Po Biddy Rd. go 6.5 miles; turn left on Bunkham Rd. and go 1.2 miles to check station.
DIRECTIONS
From Cleveland: Take Hwy 115 east towards Clarkesville to Hwy 384 (Duncan Bridge Rd.), turn right, go 2.1 miles, entrance to area is on the left. From Baldwin: From Hwy 365, take Duncan Bridge Rd. (Hwy 384) towards Cleveland, go 5.4 miles, entrance to area is on the right.

BULLARD CREEK WMA
★ ★ ★ ★ ★
14,391 acres • 229.426.5267
TURKEY
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-26 | Sept. 30-Oct. 12 ★
★ Ocmulgee and Bell Telephone Tracts Archery Only Areas: Sept. 8-Jan. 13 ★
PRIMITIVE
★ Either Sex: Sept. 27-29 ★
FIREARMS
★ Buck Only: Oct. 17-20 | Dec. 20-22 ★
★ Specialty Hunt: Nov. 2-4 ★
★ Either Sex: Nov. 21-24 ★
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15 ★
SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-28, Sept. 16-30 ★
SMALL GAME
No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. No ATVs. No camping.

DIRECTIONS
From Tomaston: Take Hwy 16 west 1.47 miles, turn left onto 10th Rd., go 1.3 miles, entrance to area is on the right.

CAMP THUNDER VPA
★ Archery Only Area
1,627 acres • 478.825.6354
DEER
ARCHERY
★ Sept. 8 – Jan. 13 ★
TURKEY
ARCHERY
Mar. 23 – May 15 ★
SMALL GAME
★ Aug. 15 – Feb. 28 ★
SPECIAL REGS
Archery only for the May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. No ATVs. No camping.

DIRECTIONS
From Thomaston: Take Hwy 16 W/Campbell Rd. east of Hwy 240 on a WMA road. 2.75 miles, the check station, kiosk will be on the right.

CARDINAL VPA
★ ★ ★ ★ ★
161 acres • 229.426.5267
DEER
ARCHERY
★ Either Sex: Sept. 8-10 ★
★ Special Regs: Youth Only—15 year olds: Sept. 8-10
★ Either Sex: Oct. 11-30 ★
★ Bucks Only: Nov. 1-15 ★
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15 ★
SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-Feb. 28 ★
SPECIAL REGS
No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
From Hazelhurst: Take U.S. 221 north 7 miles; turn left at entrance sign; go to check station.

CAMP CREEK VPA
NEW
80 acres • 706.595.4222
DEER
ARCHERY
★ Either Sex: Sept. 8 - Jan. 31 ★
SPECIAL REGS
No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote Season.

DIRECTIONS
From Atlanta: Take I-85/1-75 south. Merge onto GA-166 W/Campbellton Rd SW via Exit 243 toward East Point. Continue west on Campbellopton Rd SW for 11.7 miles. Turn right onto Riverside Dr. for 0.25 miles then turn right onto Pummer Rd. The kiosk will be a tenth 0.1 miles on right.

CEDAR CREEK WMA
★ ★ ★ ★ ★
40,000 acres • 478.825.6354
DEER
ARCHERY
★ Either Sex: Sept. 8 - Oct. 10 ★
★ Special Hunt/Buck Only: Nov. 20-25 ★
★ Buck Only: Oct. 11-13 | Nov. 26 - Dec. 9 ★
★ Buck Only/ Either Sex Last Day: Nov. 8-10 ★
TURKEY
Apr. 6-May 15 ★
SMALL GAME
DOVE
WATERFOWL
★ State season during small game dates. Shooting hours are 30 minutes before sunrise until noon.
★ Special Regs
ATVs prohibited.

CHATHAOOCHEE BEND STATE PARK
★ ★ ★ ★ ★
2,910 acres • 770.254.7271
DEER
FIREARMS
★ Q100 Either Sex: Dec. 11-12 ★
Two deer limit, must take antlerless deer first on first day. Coyotes & feral hogs may be taken; no limit.

DIRECTIONS
From Helen take Hwy 75 north to Robertstown, turn left on Alt. Hwy 75; cross bridge; turn right, go 2.8 miles to check station.

www.qohuntgeorgia.com
Ranger Hotline 1-800-241-4113

SPECIFIC WMA REGULATIONS
**SPECIAL REGS**

**DEER**
- Quality Buck & Antlerless: Sept. 8-15 | Oct. 6-14
- FIREARMS
  - **Q10** Hunt and Learn: Oct. 26-28
  - **Q35** Youth Hunt/Either Sex: Sept. 29 - Oct. 30
  - **Q35** Quality Buck & Antlerless: Nov. 1-3 | Nov. 15-17

**TURKEY**
- **Q15** Mar. 23-25 | Apr. 5-7
- **Q15** Youth Hunt: Mar. 29 - 31
- **Q15** Hunt and Learn: Apr. 19-21
- **Q15** General Hunt: May 11-15

**SPECIAL REGS**

**DEER**
- **Q10** Hunt and Learn: Oct. 26-28
- **Q35** Youth Hunt/Either Sex: Sept. 29 - Oct. 30
- **Q35** Quality Buck & Antlerless: Nov. 1-3 | Nov. 15-17

**TURKEY**
- **Q15** Mar. 23-25 | Apr. 5-7
- **Q15** Youth Hunt: Mar. 29 - 31
- **Q15** Hunt and Learn: Apr. 19-21
- **Q15** General Hunt: May 11-15

**SPECIAL REGS**

**DEER**
- **Q10** Hunt and Learn: Oct. 26-28
- **Q35** Youth Hunt/Either Sex: Sept. 29 - Oct. 30
- **Q35** Quality Buck & Antlerless: Nov. 1-3 | Nov. 15-17

**TURKEY**
- **Q15** Mar. 23-25 | Apr. 5-7
- **Q15** Youth Hunt: Mar. 29 - 31
- **Q15** Hunt and Learn: Apr. 19-21
- **Q15** General Hunt: May 11-15
**CONASAUCA WMA**
- 96,503 acres • 706.295.6041
- FIREARMS
  - Buck Only: Oct. 11-14
  - Oct. 14-Nov. 27
- SMALL GAME
  - Oct. 14-Nov. 27
- SPECIAL REGS
  - Conasauga River WMA is closed to all other hunting during quota waterfowl hunts. No ATVs.

**COHUTTA WMA**
- 219 acres • 706.295.6041
- Sept. 8-Oct. 18
- FIREARMS
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 18
  - Oct. 19-Nov. 10
- SMALL GAME
  - Oct. 19-Nov. 10

**COLLINS ROAD VPA**
- 338 acres • 706.295.6041
- Sept. 8-Dec. 21
- FIREARMS
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Dec. 21
- SMALL GAME
  - Oct. 22-Dec. 21

**CARTER’S LAKE WMA**
- 3,300 acres • 706.295.6041
- FIREARMS
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 18
  - Oct. 19-Nov. 10
  - Dec. 2-Jan. 1
- SMALL GAME
  - Sept. 8-Oct. 18
  - Oct. 19-Nov. 10
  - Dec. 2-Jan. 1

**COOSAWATTEE WMA**
- 5,626 acres • 706.295.6041
- FIREARMS
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 18
  - Oct. 19-Nov. 10
  - Dec. 2-Jan. 1
- SMALL GAME
  - Sept. 8-Oct. 18
  - Oct. 19-Nov. 10
  - Dec. 2-Jan. 1

**DEER**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 18
- Oct. 19-Nov. 10

**Small Game**
- Sept. 8-Oct. 18
- Oct. 19-Nov. 10

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No ATVs. Quota hunters must apply by letter to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 975 Powerhouse Rd., Chatsworth, GA 30705 between Aug. 15 and Sept. 10.

**SPECIFIC WMA REGULATIONS**

**TRIETHREAT**

**THRIVE**
Healthy deer herds thrive thanks to the mindful efforts of archery and bowhunting companies and deer hunters everywhere. To make a difference, look for the “ATA check” on product packaging this season.

Learn more at archerytrade.org/deerprotection.
Sign in for small game and migratory birds now required (pg. 38)

CORDELE FISH HATCHERY
40 acres • 229.430.4254

WATERFOWL
• Q3 Youth Hunt: Dec. 15 | Dec. 29 | Jan. 12
• Q3 Nov. 17 | Dec. 8

SPECIAL REGS
Maximum 3 persons per party. Shooting hours end at noon. Designated Pond Only. Stand-by waterfowl hunters will be issued unfilled spots based on a drawing one hour prior to legal shooting time the morning of the hunt. No camping. No May 16–31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
From Cordele: Take U.S. HWY 280 west 0.5 miles. Turn right on Fish-specti Hatchery Rd.; go 1.4 miles. Turn right on Williams Lake Road; go 0.4 miles to impoundment on left.

COWART LAKE VPA
NEW
45 acres • 706.595.4222

DEER
ARCHERY
• Either Sex: Sept. 8 – Jan. 31

SPECIAL REGS
No May 16–31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
From Atlanta: Take I-85/I-75 south. Merge onto GA-166 W/Campbellton Rd SW via Exit 243 toward East Point. Continue west on Campbellton Rd SW for 7.3 miles and then turn left onto Butner Rd SW. Head south for 2.3 miles and Kiosk will be on your left.

CROCKFORD–PIGEON MOUNTAIN WMA
20,657 acres • 706.295.6041

DEER
ARCHERY
• Either Sex: Sept. 8 – Oct. 12 | Oct. 15 – Nov. 17 | Nov. 6 – Dec. 5 | Dec. 9 – Jan. 1

FIRESABS • Special Hunt/Either Sex: Oct. 13-14 • Buck Only/ Either-Sex Last Day: Nov. 8-10 • Buck Only: Dec. 5-8

BEAR
ARCHERY
• Sept. 8- Oct. 12 | Oct. 15 – Nov. 17 | Nov. 11 – Dec. 4 | Dec. 9 – Jan. 1

FIRESABS • Special Hunt: Oct. 13-14 • General Hunt: Nov. 8-10 | Dec. 5-8

TURKEY
Mar. 23–May 15

SMALL GAME

DI-LANE WMA
3,810 acres • 706.595.4222

DEER
ARCHERY
• Quality Buck & Antlerless: Sept. 8-Oct. 10

FIRESABS • Quality Buck: Oct. 11-13 | Oct. 25-27 • Quality Buck & Antlerless: Nov. 8-10

TURKEY
• Mar. 23-May 15

SMALL GAME
100 acres • 706.595.4222

DEER
ARCHERY
• Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 9

PRIMITIVE
• Either Sex: Nov. 10-Jan. 13

TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15

DIXON BAY WMA
300 acres • 706.595.4222

DEER
ARCHERY
• Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12

PRIMITIVE
• Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12

TURKEY
• Mar. 23-May 15

SMALL GAME
Aug. 15–Feb. 28. Furbearer and alligator hunting prohibited.

DIXON MEMORIAL WMA
35,559 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER
ARCHERY
• Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 2 | Oct. 7-10 | Oct. 14-19

PRIMITIVE
• Either Sex: Oct. 3-6 | Oct. 11-12

FIRESABS • Buck Only: Oct. 20-21 | Oct. 27-30 • Either Sex: Nov. 8-10 | Nov. 21-25

Q3 Dog Hunting/Either Sex/Shotguns with Buckshot Only: Nov. 17 | Dec. 8 • Dog-deer hunting allowed in designated areas only. All
dogs used in the dog-deer hunt must be marked with the selected hunter’s name and phone number. The dog-deer hunting area will be closed to all users during dog-deer hunts except to hunters with a valid quota permit.

**BEAR**

**ARCHERY**
- Sept. 27-29

**PRIMITIVE**
- Oct. 4-6 | Oct. 11-13

**FIREARMS**
- Nov. 8-10

Bears may not be taken on the Federal portion of Cowhouse Island.

**TURKEY**

Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**


**DOVE**


**SPECIAL REGS**

No airboats. Alligators may not be taken on the Federal portion of Cowhouse Island or Laura S. Walker State Park.

**DIRECTIONS**

From Waycross Take U.S. 1 south 6 miles to HWY 177, turn north and follow signs to check station.

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**DODGE COUNTY PFA**

444 acres • 912.285.6094

**DEER**

**ARCHERY**
- Nov. 1-11

**TURKEY**

Q \& Youth Hunt: Apr. 5-6 | Apr. 12-13

**ALLIGATOR**


**SPECIAL REGS**

All hunters must sign-in at PFA office before hunting. Hunting in designated area only. Area map posted at office and kiosk. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

**DIRECTIONS**

From Eastman South on U.S. Hwy 23/441 for 3 miles; left on County Rd. 49; go 0.6 miles.

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**DOERUN PITCHERPLANT BOG WMA**

600 acres • 229.430.4254

**DEER**

**ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

**TURKEY**

Q \& Youth Hunt: Mar. 23-28 | Mar. 30-31

**SMALL GAME**


**SPECIAL REGS**

No camping. No fox or bobcat hunting.

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**DUKES CREEK—SMITHGALL WOODS STATE PARK**

4,500 acres • 708.878.3087

**DEER**

**ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 14-16

**PRIMITIVE**
- Nov. 7-10

**FIREARMS**
- Specialty Hunt/ Either Sex: Oct. 19-20
- Buck Only: Nov. 28-Dec. 1

**BEAR**

**ARCHERY**
- Sept. 14-16

**PRIMITIVE**
- Nov. 7-10

**FIREARMS**
- Specialty Hunt: Oct. 19-20
- General Hunt: Nov. 28-Dec. 1

**TURKEY**

Q \& Youth Hunt: Apr. 12-14 | Apr. 26-28

**SMALL GAME**


**SPECIAL REGS**

No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

**DIRECTIONS**

From Helen Take Hwy 75 north to Robertstown, turn left on Alt. GA 75; go 2.2 miles, turn left into Smithgall Woods at Stone Pillars; follow signs to check station.

**DUPONT TRACT WMA**

349 acres • 229.426.5267

**DEER**

**ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 26 | Nov. 5-Nov. 23 | Dec. 3-Jan. 13

**FIREARMS**
- Either Sex: Oct. 27-Nov. 4 | Nov. 24-Dec. 2

**BEAR**

**ARCHERY**
- Sept. 20-22 | Sept. 27-29 | Oct. 4-6 | Oct. 11-13

**TURKEY**

Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**

Aug. 15-Oct. 28 | Nov. 5-Nov. 23 | Dec. 3-Feb. 28

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**ECHECONEE CREEK WMA**

**ARCHERY Only Area**

1,049 acres • 478.825.6354

**DEER**

**ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

**TURKEY**

Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**

Aug. 15-Feb. 28

**SPECIAL REGS**

Public access to Ocmulgee River tract is only by boat. No camping.

**DIRECTIONS**

From Bonaire (to Ocmulgee River tract) Take GA 96 east for 3.3 miles to boat ramp on Ocmulgee River; go north by boat on river approximately 10.5 miles. Tract is on west bank of the river. From Warner Robins (to Echeconnee Creek Tract) From intersection of HWY 247C and HWY 247, take HWY 247 north 3.9 miles; turn right on Feagin Rd.; turn right on Santa Clara Dr.; tract is 0.2 miles on the right and left side of road. Macon Tract: Take I-75 and get off exit 167, go North on Riverside Dr., turn right on Red Oak Dr., turn left on Clairmont Pl., turn right on Len-
**FORT YARGO STATE PARK**

0.81 acres • 300.926.2897

**DEER**

- **ARCHERY**
  - **Either Sex**: Sept. 8-10

**FIREARMS**

- **Either Sex**: Sept. 8-10
- **Discover**: Sept. 8-10

**SPECIAL REGS**

- No hunting when closed to the general public
- No ATVs
- No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season
- No ATVs
- No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season

**DIRECTIONS**

From Vienna Take HWY 27 to HWY 230, turn right; go 1 mile; veer left on River Rd. and go 6 miles to entrance sign.

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**SPECIAL WMA REGULATIONS**

**ELBERT COUNTY WMA**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Elberton, this WMA consists of 5 separate tracts in Elbert Co. Beverly Tract: Take GA HWY 72 east 10 miles to Bobby Brown State Park Rd.; turn south, area is east of road. Heardmont Tract: Take GA HWY 72 east 5 miles; turn north on Pearl Mill Rd.; bear right on Heardmont Rd.; turn right on Johnsontown Rd.; follow to area. Pickens Tract: From Elberton, take HWY 77 north 1.2 miles. Turn right and take Ruckersville Rd 11.4 miles. Turn right onto Turner Hill Rd. Take Turner Hill Rd 1.5 miles. Turn right onto Cougar Pointe Dr. and follow to entrance sign. Cadillac Tract: Take GA HWY 77 north 3 miles and turn right onto HWY 368; go 3 miles to Harmony Rd.; turn left and continue to entrance sign on right.

**EVANS COUNTY PFA**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Claxton, take U.S. HWY 280 east for 8.5 miles; turn right on Old Sunbury Rd.; go 1 mile and turn right on Area Line Rd.; go 0.3 miles, PFA on right.

**F. D. ROOSEVELT STATE PARK**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Perry, take U.S. HWY 41 south across Flat Creek. Park is on left.

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**FLAT CREEK PFA**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Vienna, take HWY 441 north 20 miles; turn right onto HWY 107; go 8 miles to WMA sign on left.

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**FLAT TUB WMA**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Douglas Take HWY 441 north 20 miles; turn right onto HWY 107; go 8 miles to WMA sign on left.

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**FLINT RIVER WMA**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Vienna, take HWY 441 north 20 miles; turn right onto HWY 107; go 8 miles to WMA sign on left.

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**FISHING CREEK WMA**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Douglas Take HWY 441 north 20 miles; turn right onto HWY 107; go 8 miles to WMA sign on left.

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**FIREARMS**

- **Either Sex**: Sept. 8-10
- **Discover**: Sept. 8-10

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**FORT YARGO STATE PARK**

- **DIRECTIONS**
  - From Vienna Take HWY 27 to HWY 230, turn right; go 1 mile; veer left on River Rd. and go 6 miles to entrance sign.

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**GENERAL HUNT**

- **SPECIAL REGS**
  - No hunting when closed to the general public
- No ATVs
- No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season
Sign in for small game and migratory birds now required (pg. 38)

GAITHER WMA

NEW

2,129 acres • 478.825.6354


DIRECTIONS

From Mansfield: Go South on Hwy 11 for 7 miles and turn Right onto Henderson Mill Rd. Proceed 3.7 miles on Henderson Mill Rd and turn Right onto Davis Ford Rd. From there travel 0.4 miles to the Kiosk on the left.

GERMANY CREEK WMA

NEW

1,200 acres • 706.595.4222

FIREARMS

Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12 1

PRIMITIVE

Either Sex: Oct. 13-19 1

DIRECTIONS

From Thomson take Hwy 150/ Cobhmb Road 8.9 miles; turn left on Rousseau Creek Road; go 3.3 miles turn left and follow to WMA Kiosk and Parking Area. For access by boat (nearest boat ramp is Raysville Bridge on GA HWY 43 approximately 12 miles north of Thomson). The area is to the east of bridge access.

GLOCREST DAIRY VPA DOVE FIELD

NEW

116 acres • 770.535.5700

DOVE

Q 30 Oct. 13, Oct. 20

SPECIAL REGS

This Dove Field is only open to the public for the dates listed above. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. Selected hunters may bring up to 2 guests. Hunters may start checking in at 5:30 am on the morning of the hunt; and hunters may hunt until noon. No blinds, buckets, seats or other devices may be placed on the field until the hunter has checked in; No stand-bys.

DIRECTIONS

From Gainesville take Hwy 120 N (Cleveland Hwy) 11.4 miles. Turn right onto Hwy 284 (Clarks Bridge Rd) and go 0.4 miles. Turn left onto Bowens Bridge Road and proceed 0.4 miles to the GloCrest entrance on the left.

GRAND BAY WMA

NEW

8,700 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER

ARCHERY

Either Sex: Sept. 8-15 - 22, Oct. 16-23 1

PRIMITIVE

Either Sex: Sept. 24 - Oct. 30 1

DIRECTIONS

From Ludowici take US 301 south 2 miles. The area is on the right (north) of highway. First road south of DOT weigh station.

HANNAHATCHEE WMA

NEW

5,096 acres • 229.430.4254

DEER

ARCHERY

Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12 1

PRIMITIVE

Either Sex: Oct. 13-19 1

DIRECTIONS

From Richland Take HWY 27 west toward Lumpkin; Go 4 miles to first paved road; turn right and go 3 miles; turn left and go 1 mile to Moore’s Store Rd. (1st dirt road on right); turn right and check to station.

HARD LABOR CREEK STATE PARK

NEW

5,804 acres • 706.557.3001

DEER

FIREARMS

Q 250 Either Sex: Nov. 6-7 1

SPECIAL REGS

Hunters must attend pre-hunt meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Nov. 5. Hunt participants will be charged a $30 nonrefundable, nontransferable hunt fee and a $5 ParkPass will be required. Cabins and campsites may be reserved by calling the park office at (706) 557-3001. Applicable fees will apply. All other Park facilities will be closed to the general public Nov. 6-7. No ATV’s. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS

From I-20 From Exit 105 turn north on Newborn Rd. Go 2.3 miles to Rutledge, follow signs.

HART COUNTY WMA

NEW

1,000 acres • 770.535.5700

DEER

ARCHERY

Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12 1

PRIMITIVE

Either Sex: Oct. 13-19 1

FIREARMS

Buck Only: Oct. 20-Nov. 15 1

DEER

ARCHERY

Sept. 8-Oct. 12 1

DIRECTIONS

From Jacksonville Take HWY 117 east 6 miles; turn right at sign; then turn right at information board; follow road to check station.

HILTONIA WMA

NEW

500 acres • 706.595.4222

DEER

ARCHERY

Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 9

PRIMITIVE

Either Sex: Nov. 10-Jan. 13

DIRECTIONS

From Hiltonia Take GA HWY 24 west 2.7 miles to Hurst Church Rd.; turn left and go 0.7 mile to Sandy Church Rd. Take Sandy Ridge Rd. 1.2 miles to Mt. Pleasant Rd. to enter area.

HORSE CREEK WMA

NEW

8,100 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER

ARCHERY

Either Sex: Sept. 8-19 1

PRIMITIVE

Either Sex: Oct. 23

FIREARMS

Q 250 Specialty Hunt/Either Sex: Nov. 6-7 1

SPECIAL REGS

No ATVs. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS

From Hiltonia Take GA HWY 24 west 2.7 miles to Hurst Church Rd.; turn left and go 0.7 mile to Sandy Church Rd. Take Sandy Ridge Rd. 1.2 miles to Mt. Pleasant Rd. to enter area.

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55
SAQBQ

100 acres • 912.285.6094

DEER
ARCHERY
» Nov. 1-11

TURKEY
Q4 Youth Hunt: Mar. 29-30 | Apr. 12-13

SPECIAL REGS
No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. Day camping area and trail closed during hunts. All hunters must sign-in at the PFA office prior to hunting. Hunting in designated area only. Area map posted at office and kiosk.

DIRECTIONS
From East Dublin Go east on U.S. Hwy 80 for 10 mi.; left on Keens Crossing Rd.; go 1.4 mi. to PFA entrance on right.

ININDIAN FORD FARM

DOVE FIELD
Q100 acres • 229.426.5267

DOVE
Q50 Youth Hunt: Sept. 8

SPECIAL REGS
No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. Hunters must sign-in at check station at 12:00 P.M. Maps and instructions will be provided at sign-in. Hunt is 2:00 PM until 7:00 PM. No ATVs. Hunters must use open gates to access fields; DO NOT climb fences. It is of utmost importance to have no litter left behind, including expended shotgun shells. Extra caution should be taken to ensure absolutely no live shells are left behind!

LEGEND

» Sign-in
Check-in

Quota Hunt (see page 18)

Archery Only Area

Specialty Hunt (see page 70)

Hunt & Learn (see page 14)

Quality Buck

Wheelchair Hunt (see page 71)

Bird Dog Training

Furbearer Dog Training

Rabbit Dog Training

Archery Range (see page 28)

Firearms Shooting Range (see page 28)

 SPECIFIC WMA REGULATIONS

HUGH GILLIS PFA

3,700 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER
ARCHERY
» Quality Buck & Antlerless: Sept. 8-16 | Nov. 4-11

FIREARMS
» Q010 Quality Buck and Antlerless Last Day: Oct. 19-20 | Nov. 1-3

TURKEY
Q25 Mar. 23-31 | Apr. 6-14 | Apr. 20-28

SMALL GAME
» Aug. 15-Sept. 7, 17-Oct. 17, Nov. 1-12 - Dec. 21, 2023

JOE KURZ WMA

3,700 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER
ARCHERY
» Quality Buck & Antlerless: Sept. 8-16 | Nov. 4-11

FIREARMS
» Q010 Quality Buck and Antlerless Last Day: Oct. 19-20 | Nov. 1-3

TURKEY
Q25 Mar. 23-31 | Apr. 6-14 | Apr. 20-28

SMALL GAME
» Aug. 15-Sept. 7, 17-Oct. 17, Nov. 1-12 - Dec. 21, 2023

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### LAKE SEMINOLE WMA
8,635 acres • 229.430.4254

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Quality Buck and Antlerless: Oct. 13-Nov. 15

**FIREARMS**
- Either Sex: Oct. 20 - Jan. 13
- Quality Buck and Antlerless: Dec. 27-Jan. 2

**TURKEY**
Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15-Feb. 28
- Furbearers may not be hunted during firearms deer season. See page 69.

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No hunting waterfowl within 300 yards of a house, dock, building, or other structure, or in a developed recreation area (i.e. beach, campground, boat ramp, etc.). No camping.

**DIRECTIONS**
This WMA consists of 9 tracts along Lake Seminole and associated waterways. Maps may be printed from gohuntgeorgia.com.

### LANAHASSEE CREEK VPA NEW Q
4,420 acres • 229.430.4254

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Quality Buck and Antlerless: Oct. 13-Nov. 15

**FIREARMS**
- Either Sex: Oct. 20 - Jan. 13
- Quality Buck and Antlerless: Dec. 27-Jan. 2

**TURKEY**
Q4 Mar. 23-29 | Apr. 6-12

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15 - Nov. 28, Dec. 2 - 26, Jan. 3-9, Jan. 13 - Feb. 28
- Buck Only: Oct. 20 - 21
- Turkey: Oct. 22-Jan. 13

**QUAIL**
Q4 Nov. 24, Dec. 8, Dec. 15, Jan. 19

**SPECIAL REGS**
Deer: only bucks with 15” outside spread or 16” main beams are legal. Quail quota hunts: bag limit is 3/person and 9/party.

### LITTLE SATILLA WMA
18,920 acres • 912.262.3173

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Quality Buck and Antlerless: Oct. 13-Nov. 15

**FIREARMS**
- Buck Only: Oct. 20 - 21
- Turkey: Oct. 22-Jan. 13

**TURKEY**
Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15- Feb. 28. See page 69.

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No camping.

**DIRECTIONS**
From Patterson Take U.S. HWY 32 east 8 miles; turn left at check station sign.

### LOLA TRACT VPA
391 acres • 229.426.5267

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Nov. 2 | Nov. 12-30 | Dec. 10-Jan. 13
- Firearm: Either Sex: Nov. 3-11 | Dec. 1-Dec. 9

**Buck Only**
- Sept. 20-22 | Oct. 27-29 | Oct. 4-6 | Oct. 11-13

**TURKEY**
Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15- Nov. 2 | Nov. 12-30 | Dec. 10-Feb. 28

### LULA BRIDGE WMA
513 acres • 770.535.5700

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15 - Feb. 28. No dog training or furbearer hunting.

**WATERFOWL**
Statewide Season.

**SPECIAL REGS**
No May 16-31 coyote and feral hog season.

**DIRECTIONS**
From Gainesville Take U.S. HWY 365 north 7 miles from Exit 24; turn left on GA HWY 52; go 3 miles; cross Chattahoochee River; turn right into boat ramp parking lot.

### LONDON FARMS VPA DOVE FIELD Q
111 acres • 770.535.5700

**DOVE**
- Q10 Sept. 1, Sept. 8

**SPECIAL REGS**
No May 16-31 coyote and feral hog season. Selected hunters may start checking in at noon each day. No blinds, buckets, seats or other devices may be placed on the field until the hunter has checked in. No standbys. Selected hunter may bring up to two guests.

**DIRECTIONS**
From Cleveland: Take Hwy 115 East 5.9 miles, turn right on Hwy 384 South, go 1.1 mile, turn right on Barrett Mill Rd., go 0.7 mile to dove field.

### LOWER BROAD RIVER WMA Q
1,500 acres • 706.595.4222

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Quality Buck and Antlerless: Sept. 8-Oct. 12 | Oct. 20 - Nov. 11
- Firearm: Either Sex: Oct. 13-19

**QUAIL**
Q5 Mar. 29-30 | Apr. 27-29

**SMALL GAME**
- Aug. 15 - Nov. 28, Dec. 2 - 26, Jan. 3-9, Jan. 13 - Feb. 28
- Buck Only: Oct. 20 - 21
- Turkey: Oct. 22-Jan. 13

**SPECIAL REGS**
- Deer: only bucks with 15” outside spread or 16” main beams are legal. Quail quota hunts: bag limit is 3/person and 9/party.

### MAYHAW WMA
6,300 acres • 229.430.4254

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Quality Buck and Antlerless: Oct. 13-Nov. 15
- Firearm: Buck Only: Oct. 20 - Nov. 2
- Either Sex: Nov. 3 - Jan. 1

**TURKEY**
Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**
Aug. 15-Feb. 28

**DIRECTIONS**
From Colquitt Firetower Tract is 1 mile west of Colquitt on HWY 91. Willoughby and Oldhouse tracts: From Colquitt take U.S. 27 North to first paved road; turn left and go 1 mile to Willoughby Tract and 2 miles to Oldhouse Tract. Check station is located near entrance to Willoughby tract.

### McDUFFIE PFA Q
600 acres • 706.595.1619

**DOVE**
Q25 Sept. 1

**WATERFOWL**
- Dec. 8, Dec. 15, Dec. 22, Dec. 29
- Designated ponds only. Shooting hours until 12 noon.

**SPECIAL REGS**
Waterfowl hunters must check kiosk at entrance gate for information on which ponds are open. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

**DIRECTIONS**
From Thomson Take U.S. HWY 278 east for 5.6 miles; turn right on El-lington Airline Rd.; go 2.8 miles and turn right on Fish Hatchery Rd.

### McENTIRE RD. VPA Q
95 acres • 706.295.6041

**SMALL GAME**
- Oct. 13-31

**DOVE**
Q25 Sept. 1
- General Hunt: Sept. 8, Sept. 15
- Oct. 13-31

**WATERFOWL**
- Oct. 13-27

**SP. CHASE**
No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. This VPA is only open to the public during the designated hunting dates.

**DIRECTIONS**
From Calhoun, take Hwy 225 NE to Hwy 136. Turn right (east) on Hwy 136 (Nicklesville Rd). Go 5 miles and turn left (North) on Davis Rd (which turns into McEntire Rd when entering Murray Co). Kiosk is 0.7 miles on right.

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McGRAW FORD WMA
2,255 acres • 706.295.6041
DEER
ARCHERY
Sign-In once for the season.
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Dec. 2 | Dec. 26-Jan. 1
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15
SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-Feb. 28
DOVE
Sept. 1-16, Oct. 13-31, Nov. 22-Jan. 15
WATERFOWL
Statewide season.
SPECIAL REGS
Horse and bicycle trails and areas are closed before 10:00 a.m. during deer, bear, and turkey seasons.

MEAD FARM
200 acres • 706.595.4222
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 1
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15
LEGEND
Sign-in
Check-in
Youth Hunt
Quota Hunt (see page 18)
Archery Only Area
Specialty Hunt (see page 70)
Hunt & Learn (see page 14)
Quality Buck
Wheelchair Hunt (see page 71)
Bird Dog Training
Furbearer Dog Training
Rabbit Dog Training
Archery Range (see page 28)
Firearms Shooting Range (see page 28)

MOISTLETOE STATE PARK
1,920 acres • 706.541.0321
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Nov. 14-16
SPECIAL REGS
Foot traffic only. Bird Dog training is allowed year-round.

MONTEZUMA BLUFFS WMA
500 acres • 229.430.4254
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15
SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-Feb. 28
SPECIAL REGS
Only Quality Bucks with 15” outside spread or 16” main beams are legal. Montezuma Bluff WMA contains rare species and sensitive habitats. To protect these resources, vehicular access is limited to boat landing road. No ATVs or horses allowed. Fox and bobcat hunting prohibited. No camping.

MOODY FOREST WMA
3,500 acres • 229.426.5267
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Nov. 1-Dec. 15
TURKEY
• Youth Hunt: Mar. 23-24
• General Hunt: Mar. 29-Apr. 13
SMALL GAME
Squirrel Only: Nov. 1-Jan. 20

MORGAN LAKE WMA
1,117 acres • 912.262.3173
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15
SMALL GAME
ARCHERY
Aug. 15-Feb. 28
DIRECTIONS
From Ludowici: Take U.S. Hwy 301 south approx. 4.5 miles. Make left on Fishing Road. Travel approx. 0.5 and make right. Boat ramp is 0.3 miles on the left.

MOSSY CREEK DAIRY VPA DOVE FIELD
188 acres 770.535.5700
DOVE
Nov. 24, Dec. 1
SPECIAL REGS
Hunters may enter the field no earlier than 6:30 am and may hunt until noon. No May 16-31 coyote and feral hog season.

NASHVILLE TRACT VPA
101 acres • 229.426.5267
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15
SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-Feb. 28
SPECIAL REGS
No May 16-31 coyote and feral hog season.

OAKY WOODS WMA
12,750 acres • 478.825.6354
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 7
FIREARMS
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 7
TURKEY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 7
SMALL GAME

OCMULGEE WMA—GUM SWAMP CREEK TRACT
475 acres • 478.825.6354
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

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Purchase a License by phone 1-800-366-2661 or online at www.gooutdoorsgeorgia.com
TURKEY ARCHERY
Mar. 23-May 15

SMALL GAME
- Aug. 15-Feb. 28
- Open fields only Aug. 15-Mar. 15. See pg. 69.

WATERFOWL
- State season during small game dates and Federal Youth Waterfowl Days. Shooting hours 30 minutes before sunrise until noon.

SPECIAL REGS
No camping.

DIRECTIONS
From Cochran Take HWY 26 to HWY 126 (Airport Rd.); go 5.9 miles; turn left onto Rebbie Rd.; go 0.3 miles; turn left onto Skipper-Jackson Rd.; go 0.5 miles, entrance on left.

OCONEE WMA
7,400 acres • 706.595.4222

TURKEY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12 • Nov. 19-Jan. 13
- General Hunt: Apr. 6-May 15

SMALL GAME
- Either Sex: Oct. 13-19
- FIREARMS
- Either Sex: Oct. 20-Nov. 18

DEER ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12 • Nov. 19-Jan. 13
- General Hunt: Apr. 6-May 15

SMALL GAME
- Either Sex: Oct. 13-19
- FIREARMS
- Either Sex: Oct. 20-Nov. 18

WATERFOWL
- Youth Hunt Pond 1: Nov. 10
- Youth Hunt Pond 3: Nov. 10
- Youth Hunt Pond 2: Nov. 24
- Youth Hunt Pond 3: Nov. 24
- Pond 1: Saturday only during the state waterfowl season after Nov. 30
- Pond 3: Saturday only during the state waterfowl season after Nov. 30

SPECIAL REGS
No fishing or hunting (other than ducks & geese and archery deer hunting during state wide archery and Primitive Weapons season) on waterfowl impoundments. Waterfowl hunting on Impoundment #1 open only to hunters selected in quota drawing. Waterfowl hunters are prohibited from entering impoundments before 5:00 AM on the day of the hunt and shooting hours end at 12 noon except on the last hunt of the season when shooting hours end at legal sunset. Hermdon Pond and Impoundment 2 are closed to hunting. Waterfowl hunting is prohibited on the Oconee River between Wallace Dam and GA Highway 16. Handicapped quota hunters may request assistance by calling (706) 595-4222.

DIRECTIONS
From Eatonton Go east 14.2 miles on GA Hwy 16, look for turn in for Impoundment 1 on left before you reach the bridge over the Oconee River. Sign-in kiosk is located in gravel parking lot.

OHOOPEE DUNES WMA
5,653 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 5
- FIREARMS
- Either Sex: Oct. 25-27 • Nov. 29- Dec. 1
- Buck Only: Dec. 20-22

TURKEY
- Q30 Mar. 23-29 • Mar. 30-Apr. 5
- General Hunt: Apr. 6-May 15

SMALL GAME
- Q40 Sept. 1
- General Hunt: Sept. 8, Sept. 15; Nov. 22-Jan. 15

ROCK HAWK TRAILS & EFFIGY
DEER ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

TURKEY ARCHERY
Apr. 6-May 15
Selected quota turkey hunters only may hunt with firearms during quota hunt dates in this area.

SMALL GAME
Nov. 15-Feb. 28

DIRECTIONS
(to check station at Oconee WMA)
From Greensboro Turn south from HWY 278 onto Walnut St. (Veazeys Rd.) at caution light; go 7.1 miles and turn right on Liberty Church Rd.; go 7.5 miles to check station. From Eatonton Go east 14.7 miles on GA Hwy 16 to the Oconee River; continue 3.8 miles to Centennial Road; turn left and continue 4.8 miles to Centennial Church Road; turn left and continue 2.5 miles to Liberty Church Road; turn left and go south 0.8 miles to check station located on the right.

OHOOPEE DUNES WMA — MCLEOD’S BRIDGE TRACT
5,653 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sep. 8-Oct. 5
- FIREARMS
- Either Sex: Oct. 25-27 • Nov. 29- Dec. 1
- Buck Only: Dec. 20-22

TURKEY
- Q20 Mar. 23-29 • Mar. 30-Apr. 5
- General Hunt: Apr. 6-May 15

SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-Oct. 24; Oct. 28-Nov. 28; Dec. 2- Dec. 19; Dec. 23-Feb. 28

SPECIAL REGS
Ohooppee Dunes WMA contains rare species and sensitive habitats. To protect these resources vehicular access is limited. No ATVs or horses. No dogs from Mar. 1 -Nov 1.

DIRECTIONS
(to check station from Swainsboro travel west on Highway 57 approximately 8.5 miles, turn left onto Cow Ford Bridge Road and travel approximately 2 miles; check station will be on the left.

OHOOPEE DUNES WMA – HWY 80 TRACT, HALLS BRIDGE TRACT, COVENA TRACT
3,000 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

TURKEY
Mar. 23- May 15

SMALL GAME
Aug. 15- Feb. 28. No furbearer season.

SPECIAL REGS
Ohooppee Dunes WMA contains rare species and sensitive habitats. To protect these resources vehicular access is limited. No ATVs or horses. No dogs from Mar. 1 -Nov. 1.

DIRECTIONS
Directions to Highway 80 Tract Kioko: From Swainsboro, take Hwy 80 west 6 miles past intersection with Highway 1, kiosk is on the right.

OLIVER BRIDGE WMA
1,560 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- PRIMITIVE
- Either Sex: Oct. 13-19
- FIREARMS
- Either Sex: Oct. 20-Jan. 13

TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15

SMALL GAME
Aug. 15-Feb. 28

SPECIAL REGS
No ATVs. No camping.

DIRECTIONS
From Statesboro From Veteran’s Memorial Pkwy. and GA 24 intersection go east on GA 24 toward Oliver for approximately 12.5 miles to the WMA entrance on right.

OSSABAW ISLAND WMA
9,000 acres • 912.262.3173

DEER
- Q100 Either Sex: Oct. 11-13
- PRIMITIVE
- Q100 Either Sex: Oct. 25-27
- FIREARMS
- Q100 Youth Hunt/Either Sex: Nov. 22-24
- Q100 Either Sex: Nov. 8-10 • Dec. 6-8

FERAL HOG
Q100 Jan. 17-19 • Feb. 14-16

TURKEY
Cassie Island

SPECIAL REGS
Hunters on Ossabaw Island WMA will be required to furnish their own boat transportation to & from the property. Feral hog & coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
Access only by boat; nearest ramp is at Ft. McAllister State Park, approximately 9 miles east of Richmond Hill.

OTTING TRACT WMA
700 acres • 706.295.6041

DEER ARCHERY
Sign-in once for the season.
- Either Sex: Sept. 8 - Jan. 1

SMALL GAME

DIRECTIONS
From Cl guid land Take HWY 157 north 2.1 miles. The property is north of HWY 157.

PANOLA MOUNTAIN STATE PARK
1,635 acres • 770.389.7801

DEER FIREARMS
- Q40 Either Sex: Nov. 13-14. Two deer limit, must take doe first on first day. Feral hogs & coyotes may be taken; no limit.

SPECIAL REGS
Hunters must attend pre-hunt meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Nov. 12. Note: Bag limit may be increased by (1) deer to be tagged by hunter – deci-
ing at Ft. McAllister State Park, approxi-
mately 9 miles east of Richmond Hill.

www.goHuntGeorgia.com
**SPECIFIC WMA REGULATIONS**

**PARADISE PFA**
- 1,300 acres • 912.285.6094
- 1.5 miles to entrance on left.

**DOVE**
- **Youth Hunt:** Sept. 1  
- **Firearms**
  - Youth Hunt: Oct. 13 - 14  
  - Nov. 8-11 | Dec. 7 -9
- **Turkey**
  - Mar. 23-May 15
- **Small Game**
- **Firearms**
  - Youth Hunt: Oct. 14-16
  - Nov. 8-11 | Dec. 7 -9

**WATERFOWL**
- Dec. 13 | Jan. 3

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. Dove hunting in designated fields only; shooting hours follow state regulations. Hunting for ducks and geese in designated areas only, shooting hours until 12 noon.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From Tifton Take U.S. HWY 82 east for 8 miles to Brookfield. Turn right on Whitley Rd.; take first left on Brookfield-Nashville Rd. and go 1.5 miles to entrance on left.

**PAULDING FOREST WMA**
- 25,707 acres • 706.295.6041

**DEER**
- **Archery**
  - Sign-in Once for the season.
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8 – Oct. 12
  - Youth Hunt/ Either-Sex: Oct. 13 – 14
  - Buck Only: Dec. 7 -9
  - Buck Only/ Either-Sex Last 2 Days: Nov. 8-11

**PAULKS PASTURE WMA**
- 16,600 acres • 912.262.3173

**DEER**
- **Archery**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-12 | Sept. 17-25 | Oct. 1-Nov. 16
  - Archery Only Area/Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13
  - Youth Hunt/ Either-Sex: Sept. 14-16
  - Either Sex: Sept. 27-29 | Nov. 17-25 | Dec. 15-25
  - Buck Only: Oct. 13-30
  - Q1 Dog Hunting/Either Sex/Shotguns with Buckshot Only: Nov. 30-Dec. 1 | Dec. 7-8 | Dec. 28-29
  - Dog-deer hunting allowed in designated area only. Dog-deer hunters must check-in at Paulks Pasture check station prior to hunt. All dogs used in the dog-deer hunt must be marked with the hunter’s name and phone number. The WMA will be closed to all users during dog-deer hunts except to hunters with a valid quota permit.
- **Turkey**
  - Mar. 23-May 15
- **Small Game**
- **Special Regs**
  - No camping. No horseback riding during deer hunts.
  - Archery Only Area
  - Area east of U.S. HWY 341.

**TURKEY**
- Mar. 23-May 15
- **Small Game**
  - Aug. 15-Feb. 28

**WATERFOWL**
- State seasons during small game dates. Shooting hours end at 12 noon.

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No camping.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From Augusta From I-520 exit south on HWY 56 spur (Doug Barnard Pkwy.); go 0.5 mile to WMA entrance sign adjacent to Augusta Wastewater Treatment Facility; or from I-520, exit north on HWY 56 spur (D. Barnard Pkwy.); go 1.6 miles and turn right on Gravel Pit Rd. WMA at end of road.

**PINE LOG WMA**
- 14,134 acres • 706.295.6041

**DEER**
- **Archery**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-10 | Oct. 24-26
  - FIREARMS
  - Buck Only: Dec. 5-8
  - Buck Only/Either-Sex Last Day: Nov. 14-17
- **Turkey**
- **Small Game**

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No ATVs. Horse and bicycle trails and areas, except Silver Comet Trail, are closed all day during firearms deer hunts and before 10:00 a.m. during archery deer and turkey hunts.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From Augusta Take HWY 99 south to HWY 278; travel west on HWY 278 12.5 miles; go to end of Akin Rd.; turn left onto Akin Rd. and go to the stop sign. Turn right on Gravel Pit Rd. WMA is 2.7 miles north of Paradise Park Rd.

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Sign-in once for the season.
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
  - Youth Hunt/ Either-Sex: Oct. 13-14
  - Buck Only: Dec. 7-9
  - Buck Only/ Either-Sex Last 2 Days: Nov. 8-11

**PENHOLLOW SWAMP WMA**
- 10,546 acres • 912.262.3173

**SPECIAL NOTE**
- This area includes the Boyles Island Tract. Access to Boyles Island is by river only. Road access may be provided during the following hunt dates: Sept. 21-23 and Oct. 4-6, 2018. Call Region Office for details.

**TURKEY**
- Mar. 23-May 15
- **Small Game**
  - Aug. 15-Feb. 28

**WATERFOWL**
- State seasons during small game dates. Shooting hours end at 12 noon.

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No camping.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From Augusta From I-520 exit south on HWY 56 spur (Doug Barnard Pkwy.); go 0.5 mile to WMA entrance sign adjacent to Augusta Wastewater Treatment Facility; or from I-520, exit north on HWY 56 spur (D. Barnard Pkwy.); go 1.6 miles and turn right on Gravel Pit Rd. WMA at end of road.

**PINE LOG WMA**
- 14,134 acres • 706.295.6041

**DEER**
- **Archery**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-10 | Oct. 24-26
  - FIREARMS
  - Buck Only: Dec. 5-8
  - Buck Only/Either-Sex Last Day: Nov. 14-17
- **Turkey**
- **Small Game**

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No ATVs. Horse and bicycle trails and areas, except Silver Comet Trail, are closed all day during firearms deer hunts and before 10:00 a.m. during archery deer and turkey hunts.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From Augusta Take HWY 99 south to HWY 278; travel west on HWY 278 12.5 miles; go to end of Akin Rd.; turn left onto Akin Rd. and go to the stop sign. Turn right on Gravel Pit Rd. WMA is 2.7 miles north of Paradise Park Rd.

**DEER ARCHERY**
- Sign-in once for the season.
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
  - Youth Hunt/ Either-Sex: Oct. 13-14
  - Buck Only: Dec. 7-9
  - Buck Only/ Either-Sex Last 2 Days: Nov. 8-11

**PERRY DOVE FIELD**
- 226 acres • 478.825.6354

**DEER ARCHERY**
- **Youth Hunt/ Either-Sex:** Sundays only during statewide season.

**DOVE**

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No camping. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From I-75 take Exit 120 to I-20 exit on US 411 north to White; turn right on Stamp Creek Rd.; go 2.6 miles; check station on left.

**PHINIZY SWAMP WMA**
- 1,500 acres • 706.595.4222

**DEER**
- **Archery**
  - Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 1

**SPECIAL REGS**
- No camping. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

**DIRECTIONS**
- From Brunswick Take U.S. HWY 341 north 8 miles to check station on left.
Sign in for small game and migratory birds now required (pg. 38)

BEAR
- Q1 Youth Hunt East: Sept. 8-14 • Sept. 15-21 • Sept. 22-28 • Sept. 29 - Oct. 5 • Oct. 6-12 • Oct. 13-19 • Oct. 20-26 • Oct. 27-Nov. 2 • Nov. 3-9 • Nov. 10-16
- Q1 Youth Hunt West: Sept. 8-14 • Sept. 15-21 • Sept. 22-28 • Sept. 29 - Oct. 5 • Oct. 6-12 • Oct. 13-19 • Oct. 20-26 • Oct. 27-Nov. 2 • Nov. 3-9 • Nov. 10-16

TURKEY
- Area closed to turkey hunting.
- TURKEY

WATERFOWL

SMALL GAME
- No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
- From Adairsville, take Adairsville-Pleasant Valley Rd East out of town crossing under I-75. Turn right on East Pleasant Valley Rd. If going to East side sign-in kiosk, continue 0.4 miles and kiosk will be on right. If going to west side sign-in, go 0.25 miles and turn right onto Pleasant Valley Rd. Cross over I-75 and then go 0.25 miles and kiosk will be on left.

RAYONIER CORRIDOR LANDS WMA
- 41 acres • 912.262.3173

DEER
- Area closed to deer hunting.

TURKEY
- Area closed to turkey hunting.

SMALL GAME
- Aug. 15-Feb. 28

WATERFOWL
- State season.

SPECIAL REGS
- No hunting on Dyars Pasture MARSH pond.

DIRECTIONS
- From Greensboro Take GA HWY 15 north 9 miles; check station on left.

REDLANDS WMA—WATSONS SPRINGS AREA
- 706.595.4222
- 2,508 acres • 706.213.2045
- No hunt scheduled for 2018.

RICHARD B. RUSSELL STATE PARK
- 7,400 acres • 912.262.3173

DEER
- Archery
- Either Sex: 7-14

DOVE
- Oct. 6-14

FIREARMS
- Q80 3

TURKEY
- Q35 3

SMALL GAME

DOVE
- Q35 3

QUAIL
- Nov. 14, Nov. 17, Nov. 21, Nov. 24, Dec. 12, Dec. 15, Jan. 9, Jan. 12 (limit 6 quail/person/day)

WATERFOWL
- Waterfowl may be hunted on impoundment and its surrounding roads/dikes until noon on Wed., Sat., and Sun. during statewide season.

RIVER CREEK, THE ROLF & ALEXANDRA KAUKA WMA
- 2,437 acres • 229.430.4254

DEER
- Archery
- Either Sex: 7-14

QUAIL
- Nov. 14, Nov. 17, Nov. 21, Nov. 24, Dec. 12, Dec. 15, Jan. 9, Jan. 12 (limit 6 quail/person/day)

WATERFOWL
- Waterfowl may be hunted on impoundment and its surrounding roads/dikes until noon on Wed., Sat., and Sun. during statewide season.

WATERFOWL
- From Dublin Take I-16 east to Exit 58 (HWY 199); turn south and go 0.3 miles; road to check station is on right.

RIVER BEND WMA
- 3,500 acres • 229.426.5267

DEER
- Archery
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-14

NO FUTURE HUNTING OR DOG TRAINING
- Only Quality Bucks with four or more points (1 inch or longer) on one side of the antlers are legal.

DIRECTIONS
- From Thomasville Take U.S. HWY 84 west approx. 4 miles. WMA entrance is on left approx. 0.9 mile after crossing the Ochlockonee River Bridge.
ROCKY MOUNTAIN RECREATION & PFA
3,000 acres • 706.802.5087

DEER
ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 1

DEER
ARCHERY
- Sept. 8 - Jan. 1

TURKEY
ARCHERY
- Mar. 23-May 15

SPECIAL REGS
No hunting of feral hog or coyotes during May 16-31 season.

DIRECTIONS
From Rome U.S. 27 north approximately 10.4 miles; turn left on Sikes Storey Rd.; go 0.4 miles; turn left on Big Texas Valley Rd.; go 5.4 miles to entrance.

ROGERS WMA
3,500 acres • 912.262.3173

DEER
ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Primitive
- Either Sex: Oct. 13-19
- Firearms
- Buck Only: Oct. 20-21
- Either Sex: Oct. 22-Jan. 13

SPECIAL REGS
- Daily use fee (per vehicle) required for all users. Waterfowl hunters only may use firearms. ATVs prohibited. No hunting of feral hog or coyotes during May 16-31 season.

DIRECTIONS
From Rome U.S. 27 north 10.4 miles; turn left on Sikes Storey Rd.; go 0.4 miles; turn left on Big Texas Valley Rd.; go 5.4 miles to entrance.

ROGERS STATE PRISON FARM DOVE FIELDS
536 acres • 229-426-5267

DOWS
Sept. 1 • Sept. 3 • Sept. 15

SPECIAL REGS
- Hunters must sign-in at the Sign-In Kiosks located at the entrances to each field prior to hunting. WMA license is NOT required. A map of the fields will be located in the kiosks (and on our website) with designated parking areas delineated on the maps. State hunting regulations will apply to the doves for the first segment of the dove season. No ATVs or UTVs will be allowed on the fields. No hunting within 100 yards of residences or 50 yards of county roads. Hunters must use open gates to access fields; DO NOT climb fences. Please leave no litter behind, which includes spent shotgun shells. Extra caution should be taken to ensure no live shells are left on the field. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
- From Reidsville take GA Highway 147 approximately 6.5 miles to intersection with Hwy 178. Turn left on Hwy 178 and proceed 1.5 miles to dirt road on the right that leads to entrance of field 1 and the parking area.

RUM CREEK WMA
892 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER
ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

TURKEY
ARCHERY
- Mar. 23-May 15

SPECIAL REGS
- No camping.

DIRECTIONS
- From Forsyth Take Hwy 18 east 7 miles to Rum Creek Drive on your left then proceed to the check station on your right.

SANDHILLS WMA - EAST
2,498 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER
ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Primitive
- Oct. 13-19
- Firearms
- Either-Sex: Oct. 20-Jan. 13

TURKEY
ARCHERY
- Mar. 23-May 15

SPECIAL REGS
- No waterfowl hunting west of Ebenezer Rd. except that youth may hunt waterfowl between Ebenezer and Juliette Roads (Youth Area). No motor in excess of 25mph may be operated on Lake Juliette.

DIRECTIONS
- No hunting of feral hog or coyotes during May 16-31 season.

DIRECTIONS
- From Brunswick Take U.S. 341 north to Mt. Pleasant, south of Jesup. Turn right on Howard Rd.; Check Station is on left (17 miles from Brunswick).

SANDHILLS WMA - WEST
2,228 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER
ARCHERY
- Sept. 8-Oct. 12
- Primitive
- Oct. 13-19
- Firearms
- Either-Sex: Oct. 20-Jan. 13

TURKEY
ARCHERY
- Mar. 23-May 15

SPECIAL REGS
- No waterfowl hunting west of Ebenezer Rd. except that youth may hunt waterfowl between Ebenezer and Juliette Roads (Youth Area). No motor in excess of 25mph may be operated on Lake Juliette.

DIRECTIONS
- No hunting of feral hog or coyotes during May 16-31 season.

DIRECTIONS
- From Brunswick Take U.S. 341 north to Mt. Pleasant, south of Jesup. Turn right on Howard Rd.; Check Station is on left (17 miles from Brunswick).

SAPELO ISLAND WMA
9,000 acres • 912.262.3173

DEER
ARCHERY
- Either Sex/North End: Sept. 8-Oct. 3
- Oct. 8-16
- Oct. 21-30
- Nov. 4-13
- Nov. 18-27
- Dec. 2-Jan. 13
- Q125 Either Sex/South End: Nov. 29 - Dec. 1

SPECIAL REGS
- No camping.

DIRECTIONS
- From the intersection of HWY 96 and HWY 19 in Butler, GA; take HWY 96 west 13.2 miles. Turn left on HWY 90 and go 2.2 miles, then left on Fox Run Rd. Continue 2.2 miles and the WMA entrance will be on your right.

SANSAVILLA WMA
16,887 acres • 912.262.3173

DEER
ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-19
- Sept. 24-Oct. 2
- Oct. 8-19
- Firearms
- Youth Hunt/ Either Sex: Sept. 21-23
- Either Sex: Oct. 4-6
- Nov. 17-Dec. 30
- Buck Only: Oct. 20-Nov. 4
- Archery Only Areas
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13
- Archery equipment restriction for deer only.

TURKEY
ARCHERY
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

SPECIAL REGS
- No camping.

DIRECTIONS
- From Brunswick Take U.S. 341 north to Mt. Pleasant, south of Jesup. Turn right on Howard Rd.; Check Station is on left (17 miles from Brunswick).

LEGEND
- Sign-in
- Check-in
- Youth Hunt (see page 18)
- Quota Hunt (see pages 18, 70-71, 74-76)
- Archery Only Area
- Specialty Hunt (see page 70)
- Hunt & Learn (see page 14)
- Quality Buck
- Wheelchair Hunt (see page 71)
- Bird Dog Training
- Furbearer Dog Training
- Rabbit Dog Training
- Archery Range (see page 28)
- Firearms Shooting Range (see page 28)
SEABOLT FARMS VPA DOVE FIELD
61 acres • 770.535.5700

DOVE
Q

Q10 Sept. 3, Sept. 15

SPECIAL REGS
This Dove Field is only open to the public for the dates listed above. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season. Selected hunters may bring up to 2 guests. Hunters may start checking in at 5:30 am on the morning of the hunt; and hunters may hunt until noon. No blinds, buckets, seats or other devices may be placed on the field until the hunter has checked in; No stand-bys.

DIRECTIONS
From Cleveland: Take Hwy 129 south 0.6 miles, turn left on Old Hwy 75 south, go 1.0 mile, turn left on Post Rd., go 3.5 miles, dove field on the right.

SILVER LAKE WMA

Q

9,200 acres • 229.430.2454

DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12

PRIMITIVE
Either Sex: Oct. 13-21

FIRESARMS
Q14 Either Sex: Dec. 13-15

Q14 Either Sex: Nov. 1-3

BUCK Only: Nov. 17-21

Cow: Nov. 17-21

Turkey

Mar. 23-May 15

SMALL GAME

Aug. 15-Oct. 15, Nov. 1-15

Aug. 15-Oct. 31, Nov. 4-8, Dec. 28-28

See page 69.

SPIRIT CREEK FOREST WMA

SMALL GAME

Aug. 15-Sept. 7, Jan. 2-15, Feb. 28

Aug. 15-Sept. 26

Archery Only Area

Mar. 23-May 15

SPECIAL REGS

Spirit Creek Forest is a multi-use forest; other users may be present during open hunting seasons. Gates may be open/closed at the discretion of Georgia Forestry Commission. Please see WMA maps for safety zones. No camping. No ATVs. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
From Augusta: take GA Hwy 56 (Mike Padgett Hwy) south, turn right onto Old Waynesboro Rd, travel 1.7 miles and turn right onto McDade Rd, travel 1.6 miles and turn right onto Smokey Rd, access road is approximately 0.4 miles on right.

SPEARWELL BLUFF WMA - WEST

1,330 acres • 478.825.6354

DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

Turkey
Mar. 23-May 15

SMALL GAME
Aug. 15 - Feb. 28

WATERFOWL
State season and Federal Youth Waterfowl Days. Shooting hours 30 minutes before sunrise until noon.

SPECIAL REGS

The East Tract includes property east of the Flint River. No hunting in park day-use area. No camping.

DIRECTIONS
From Thomaston to Sprewell Bluff Tract take HWY 36 west 6 miles to Roland; turn right on Alabama Rd.; turn left and follow paved road to area.
SPECIFIC WMA REGULATIONS

SPECIAL REGULATIONS
The West Tract includes property west of the Flint River. Camping in designated areas only. County antler restrictions apply: All bucks must have 4 points 1" or longer on a side.

DIRECTIONS
From Manchester at JCT of HWY 85 and Hill St (Chalybeate Springs Rd), go east 3.2 miles, turn left on Mitchell Cove Rd, go 0.7 miles and then turn right on Tom Brown Rd. Go 0.8 miles to WMA entrance and kiosk.

STANDING BOY CREEK WMA
1,580 acres • 478.825.6354
DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Jan. 13

TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15

LEGEND
Q  Sign-in
C  Check-in
Y  Youth Hunt (see page 18)
Q  Quota Hunt (see pages 18, 70-71, 74-76)
★ Archery Only Area
☆ Specialty Hunt (see page 70)
|  Hunt & Learn (see page 14)
Q  Quality Buck
★  Wheelchair Hunt (see page 71)
☆  Archery Range (see page 28)
☆  Bird Dog Training
☆  Furbearer Dog Training
☆  Rabbit Dog Training
★  Archery Range (see page 28)
★  Firearms Shooting Range (see page 28)

TREMONT WMA - EAST
5,200 acres • 478.825.6354
DEER
ARCHERY
★  Quality Buck & Antlerless: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
★  Primitive
ARCHERY
★  Quality Buck & Antlerless: Oct. 13-19
★  Firearms
★  Oct. 20-Jan. 1
TURKEY
Mar. 23-May 15

SPECIAL REGULATIONS
Upon determination by the Commissioner that a person has violated this title (OCGA 27) or any rule or regulation promulgated pursuant to hunting or trespass on or from Standing Boy Creek Tract, the Commissioner may revoke, suspend, deny, or refuse to renew any license or permit, or both, required by this title which is held by or has been applied for by the person, for a period of up to two years following the determination of such violation. No camping. No ATVs. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

DIRECTIONS
From Columbus Take HWY 219 north. Turn left on Old Lefton Rd., go 0.5 miles. Tract on left.
**TUGALOO STATE PARK**

Q • Archery Only Area

393 acres • 706.356.4362

**DEER**

ARCHERY

- **Q30** Either Sex: Nov. 30 - Dec. 1
- Two deer limit. Feral hogs & coyotes may be taken; no limit.

**SPECIAL REGS**

Hunters must attend pre-hunt meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Nov. 30. Hunt participants will be charged a $30 nonrefundable, nontransferable hunt fee and a $5 ParkPass will be required. Cabins and campsites may be reserved by calling the park office at (706) 356-4362. Applicable fees will apply. All other Park facilities will be closed to the general public Dec. 1-2. No ATVs. No May 16-31 Feral Hog and Coyote season.

**DIRECTIONS**

From Lavonia Take GA-328N/Gumlog Rd. 4.0 mi.

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**WARWOMAN WMA**

Q • Archery Only Area

8,952 acres • 478.825.6354

**DEER**

ARCHERY

- **Q80** Either Sex: Sept. 8-28
- **Buck Only:** Nov. 8-11 | Nov. 29 - Dec. 2

**BEAR**

- **Sept. 8-28**
- **General Hunt:** Sept. 29 - Oct. 7 | Nov. 8-11 | Nov. 29 - Dec. 2

**TURKEY**

Mar. 23-May 15

**SPECIAL REGS**

Only Quality Bucks with at least four points (1 inch long or longer) on either side or a 15 inch outside spread are legal. No camping.

**DIRECTIONS**

From Clayton Take U.S. 441 north; turn right on Warwoman Rd.; go 3.5 miles and turn left to WMA kiosk.

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**WILSON SHOALS WMA**

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**DEER**

ARCHERY

- **Either Sex:** Sept. 29 - Nov. 2
- **Primitive:** Dec. 7-9
- **Firearms:** Buck Only: Nov. 3-15 | Either-Sex: Nov. 16-18

**BEAR**

- **Sept. 8-28**
- **General Hunt:** Sept. 17-27 | Nov. 1-11 | Nov. 16-29

**TURKEY**

- **Q15** Youth Hunt: Sept. 1
- **General Hunt:** Sept. 8, Oct. 13-Nov. 1, Dec. 10-Jan. 15

**DIRECTIONS**

From Cloudland Take Hwy 90 east 8 miles to Shell Bluff Community; turn right on Hwy 23; travel 7 miles south; turn left on Ebenezer Church Rd.; go 1 mile to Check Station on right.
FEDERAL LANDS

BLACKBEARD ISLAND NWR
843.784.2468

DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Oct. 11-13 Q | Nov. 29-Dec. 1

SPECIAL REGS

BOND SWAMP NWR
478.986.5441

Deer
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 4-Oct. 4

SPECIAL REGS
Visit www.fws.gov/bondswamp for more information.

FEDERAL AREA REGULATIONS

TURKEY
660.297.3000

DEER
ARCHERY
Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12

SPECIAL REGS

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**FEDERAL AREA REGULATIONS**

**HITCHITI EXPERIMENTAL FOREST**

478.996.5441

Dates and regulations are the same as Piedmont NWR

**SPECIAL REGS**

The Hitchiti Experimental Forest is open for hunting only during Piedmont National Wildlife Refuge hunting seasons with a valid Piedmont Refuge hunting permit and in accordance with refuge specific regulations.

**LAKE SEMINOLE/W.F. GEORGE LAKE/G.W. ANDREWS LAKE/ WEST POINT LAKE/ALLATOONA LAKE/CARTERS LAKE (USACE)**

**(301) - 424-6640**

**SPECIAL REGS**

Hunting opportunity may vary by area so please contact the appropriate COE office as provided herein. Some COE properties require a special permit for species-specific hunting; please call or check online well before the season opens as some permits can only be obtained onsite or by US mail. Contact the Corps resource manager’s office at the appropriate lake project for hunting areas: Allatoona 678-721-6700; Sidney Lanier 770-945-9531; Walter F. George 229-768-2516; Seminole 229-662-2001; Carter’s 706-334-4123; West Point 706-485-1776; Aug. 1-Sept. 30; No deer hunting.

**LAKE SIDNEY LANIER - BUFORD DAM (USACE)**

**(970) - 986-6111**

**SPECIAL REGS**

All facilities will be closed to the general public during the hunts. Limit: 2, only one of which may be antlered. Hunters must apply by letter no later than October 10, 4:30 PM. Hunters must attend a pre-hunt meeting at 7:00 P.M. the evening before the hunt. Visit http://go.usa.gov/SE85 for more information.

**LAKE SIDNEY LANIER - ISLANDS (USACE)**

**(970) - 986-6111**

**SPECIAL REGS**

Limit: One deer per day. Hunters must record harvest through Georgia Game Check. State bag limits and harvest restrictions apply. Hunters must apply by letter no later than October 10, 4:30 PM. Visit http://go.usa.gov/SE85 for more information.

**OCONEE NATIONAL FOREST**

706.485.1776

**DEER**

- **ARCHERY**: Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 12
  - During Firearms Deer season, archers must follow Firearms either sex dates on the National Forest. May use muzzleloaders during firearms season but is restricted to buck only.
  - **PRIMITIVE**: Either Sex: Oct. 13-19
  - Either Sex: Nov. 3-4, Nov. 24-25, Dec. 26-30

**TURKEY**

Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**

Aug. 15-Feb. 28

**DOVE**

Sept. 1-16, Oct. 13-31, Nov. 22-Jan. 15

**SPECIAL REGS**

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**Either Sex**: Nov. 13-15

**During firearms season but is restricted to buck only.**


**BOAR**


**OKEFENOKEE - COWHOUSE UNIT**

912.496.7836

**DEER**

- **ARCHERY**: Either Sex: Sept. 8-Oct. 2, Oct. 22-26, Oct. 31 - Nov. 15
  - **PRIMITIVE**: Either Sex: Oct. 3-6, Oct. 11-13
  - **FIRESAMS**: Buck Only: Oct. 20-21, Oct. 27-30
  - **Either Sex**: Nov. 8-10, Nov. 21-25

**TURKEY**

Mar. 23-May 15

**SMALL GAME**

Aug. 15-Feb. 28

**DOVE**

Sept. 1-16, Oct. 13-31, Nov. 22-Jan. 15

**SPECIAL REGS**

**Either Sex**: Nov. 13-15

**During firearms season but is restricted to buck only.**


**BOAR**


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Bears and alligators may not be taken. Foot travel only on ONWR portion of Cowhouse Island. No dogs allowed except pointing dogs for hunting quail. Sign-In & Check-In at Dixon Memorial WMA. Visit www.fws.gov/refuge/okefenokee for more information.

- OKEFENOE - POCKET UNIT

912.496.7836

Deer
Archery

Special Regs
Bears and alligators may not be taken. Foot travel only off paved road. No dogs allowed. Visit www.fws.gov/refuge/okefenokee for more information.

- OKEFENOE NWR - SUWANNEE CANAL UNIT

912.496.7836

Deer
Firearms
- Q300 Either Sex: Oct. 26-27
- Q100 Wheelchair & Youth Hunters Only/ Either Sex: Oct. 26-27

Special Regs
Quota applications accepted Aug. 15 – Sept. 15 at http://www.fws.gov/forms/32354.pdf. Youth hunters are those 16 and under and supervised by an adult 21 or older. Hunter Education is required for youth hunters. Shooting hours close at noon; shotguns with slugs or muzzleloaders only; hunters will be charged a $15.00 permit fee; check-out required; hunters are not required to tag deer prior to check out; special bonus tag provided for two harvests; hunt area zoned; Chesser Island zone is for wheelchair and/or youth hunters only. No dogs allowed. Feral hogs may be taken: no limit. Visit www.fws.gov/refuge/okefenokee for more information.

- PIEDMONT NWR

478.986.5441

Deer
Archery
- Either Sex: Sept. 8-30
- Q1250 Either Sex: Oct. 25-27

Firearms
- Wheelchair Hunters Only/ Either Sex: Oct. 12-13
- Q1250 General Hunt/ Either Sex: Nov. 1-3, Nov. 8-10

TURKEY
- Q300 Mar. 26-30, Apr. 9-13, Apr. 23-27
- Q100 Either Sex: Oct. 26-27

Small Game
- Rabbit/Quail: Nov. 17-Feb. 28
- Raccoon & Opossum: Jan 4-5, Jan. 11-12, Jan. 18-19, Jan. 25-26

Special Regs
Refuge permits are required for all hunts. Applications for quota deer hunts must be received by Aug. 29, 2019. Quota turkey hunts applications must be received by Feb. 27, 2019. The Hitchiti Experimental Forest is open for hunting only during Piedmont refuge hunting seasons with a valid Piedmont Refuge hunting permit. Wheelchair deer hunt requires a special refuge permit and hunters must apply by Oct. 1; hunters and volunteers must check in with refuge staff starting at noon day prior to hunt. Hunters must check in and out each day of hunt and scout day. Contact the refuge office to obtain applications, permits and refuge specific hunting regulations (478-986-5441) or email piedmont@fws.gov.

- SAVANNAH NWR

843.784.2468

Deer
Archery
- Either Sex: Oct. 1-31, (Youth only in designated areas)

Firearms
- Either Sex: Nov. 1-30
- Wheelchair Hunters Only/ Either Sex: Nov. 6-7, Apply by Sept. 15.

Turkey
- Hunt & Learn: Mar. 29-31
- Youth Hunt: Apr. 1-5
- General Hunt: Apr. 6-27

Special Regs
No alligator hunting. All hunters 16 years of age or older must purchase a $25 Savannah Coastal Refuges Complex Annual Hunt Permit at www.savannahcoastalpermits.com. Visit www.fws.gov/refuge/savannah for more information.

- WASSAW ISLAND NWR

843.784.2468

Deer
Archery
- Either Sex: Oct. 18-20

Firearms
- Either Sex: Oct. 18-20

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843.784.2468

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Training dogs is allowed on the Chattahoochee and Oconee National Forests outside of WMAs August 15 - May 31, except for bears and hogs (those dates provided below).
All dogs must be confined or kept on a leash except when hunting or training during designated seasons or on designated areas. Hunters must remove their dogs upon departure. Review specific area listing for seasons and restrictions.

RESTRICTIONS:
• It is unlawful to run deer with dogs unless otherwise specified (see Dixon Memorial, Paulks Pasture, Rogers, and Townsend WMAs). Hunters whose dogs are found chasing deer may be appropriately charged.
• Hunters are allowed to hunt raccoons with trail dogs only.
• Trail dogs for rabbits are limited to beagles, basset hounds and dachshunds.

BIRD DOG TRAINING ON WMAS
All participants must have a hunting license. Bird dog training is not allowed on every WMA, so review specific WMA listings for details.
• Pigeons and pen-raised quail may be used for the training of pointing, flushing and retrieving dogs in designated areas only.
• Dog trainer must maintain proof of purchase for pen-raised quail used in training.
• Shotguns may be used to harvest released birds during training with No. 6 or smaller shot only.

FURBEARER DOG TRAINING ON WMAS
Furbearer dog training allowed when a WMA has an open season for small game, unless otherwise specified in the specific WMA listing. Some WMAs also allow furbearer dog training Aug. 1-14 and Mar. 1-19 (see table on this page for participating WMAs).

TRAINING DOGS ON CHATTahooCHEE NATIONAL FOREST
The hunting of bears and hogs for the purpose of training dogs: August 1 – September 7; January 2 – March 19; and May 1 – 24 during legal daylight hours.

Requirements for all participants:
• Possesses a valid Hunting license and Big Game license
• Check-in once per season at: Rich Mountain WMA, Swallow Creek WMA, or Warwoman WMA check station, and
• Possess a copy of check-in permit at all times when participating.

Requirements and restrictions for dogs:
• Each dog must be marked with hunter’s name, address and telephone number,
• All dogs must be removed from area upon departure, and
• It is unlawful to allow dogs to pursue bears onto lands not authorized for such activity.

LOOK FOR THESE SYMBOLS IN A SPECIFIC WMA LISTING:
★ Bird dog training allowed
✓ Furbearer dog training allowed
♀ Rabbit dog training allowed

DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED FOR PURSuing OR CATCHING HOGS ON WMAS, UNLESS SPECIFIED OTHERWISE.
**PUBLIC HUNTING OPPORTUNITIES**

**DOVE & SPECIALTY HUNTS**

The Specialty Hunt information listed below is meant to be a quick reference only. See Specific WMA Regulations for all details pertaining to the hunts listed below. **These hunts are not quota unless specified otherwise.**

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### **SPECIALTY HUNTS**

A Specialty Hunt is only for Youth (17 years and younger), Ladies, Disability License holders, Returning Georgia Veterans Honorary License holders and hunters over the age of 65.

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APPLICATION DEADLINES

The official application deadlines are 11:59 p.m. (EST) on the dates listed in the tables below. No applications will be accepted after the deadline.

GENERAL QUOTA HUNT APPLICATIONS

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<td>Applications with an administrator and assistant administrator only. Selected administrators may bring a hunting party totaling no more than twenty members including administrators.</td>
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<td>No group applications. Selected hunters may bring up to two hunters.</td>
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NOTE: Children may participate in general quota hunts provided that adult supervision restrictions are followed (except that children under twelve may not participate in alligator hunts).

YOUTH HUNT QUOTA APPLICATIONS

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Adapt = Eighteen years or older / Youth = Seventeen years old and younger

NOTE: ONLY the youth (or children when group applications are allowed) may submit an application for any Youth Hunt.

NOTE: ONLY youth can hunt on Youth Big Game Quota hunts. See page 18 for list of hunts.
### 2019 TURKEY QUOTA HUNTS
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