

YOUTH & NEW HUNTER PROGRAMS

FOR 2025-2026

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Hunter Education Program

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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.



S.H.A.R.P. Program

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Are you an adult or youth hunter with limited experience or success? The "Safe Harvest and Responsible Practices" (S.H.A.R.P) program at Charlie Elliott Wildlife Center provides new hunters with the basic knowledge and skills required to confidently pursue Georgia's wild game on their own.



Give It a Shot Program

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Would you like a hands-on approach to firearms and shooting? The Give It a Shot Program is designed to help those who are new to shooting learn the basics.



Buck Shoals WMA & Clybel WMA

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Buck Shoals WMA and Clybel WMA offer a variety of youth and adult hunt and learn programs and youth quota hunt opportunities.



Scholastic Clay Target Program

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



National Archery in the Schools Program

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



Summer Camps

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Youth of all ages have fun learning about the outdoors together at day camps and residential camps held throughout the summer at Charlie Elliott Wildlife Center in Mansfield.