

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

entrance to other hunters when the blind is not in use.

Wheelchair-bound blind sites: Certain WMAs have special blind sites established for wheelchair-bound hunters. See specific WMAs for regulations if applicable.

Temporary blinds and decoys must be removed at the end of shooting hours each day, unless otherwise indicated under the individual WMA listing.

All decoys must be removed by the owner of the blind within ten days after the close of waterfowl season, unless otherwise indicated under the individual WMA listing. Refer to the 2016 Waterfowl Guide for additional restrictions.

Youths hunting waterfowl on a WMA: Youths, ages 6–15, must be accompanied by an adult, 21 years of age or older, who must remain in position to take immediate control of the hunting device except as otherwise noted.

Trapping on WMAs

Other TWRA lands not proclaimed as a WMA or refuge are open with statewide seasons unless otherwise indicated.

Permits: A WMA small game permit is required to trap on all areas that require a small game hunt permit.

High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit

This permit is required for hooved animal riding, bicycling, and OHV use on WMAs with an “HI” below their names. Refer to the individual listing for each WMA for more specific information on which activities are permitted.

Wildlife Management Area (WMA) - Icon Key

Big Game		
 Bear	 Deer	 Elk
 Fall Turkey	 Spring Turkey	
Small Game		
 Coyote	 Crow	 Dove
 Grouse	 Opossum	 Quail
 Rabbit	 Raccoon	 Snipe
 Fall Squirrel	 Spring Squirrel	 Trapping
 Waterfowl	 Woodcock	
Other		
 Shooting Range	 Wheelchair	
 WMA Dog Training (Year-round except as otherwise noted.)		
Permit Key		
BG	Quota or nonquota big game WMA permit.	
SG	Small game or small game/waterfowl combo WMA permit.	
WF	Small game and waterfowl combo WMA permit.	
NP	No permit required.	
HI	High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit	

Using the Icons:

If an icon is listed in a WMA, that season is open with possible restrictions that will be listed.

If the Big Game and/or Small Game icon is listed, then all Big Game and/or Small Game species are open with the statewide season unless otherwise noted.

The top line of each WMA is a quick reference guide to see what species are open to hunting during the statewide season.

The WMA summaries supply hunt dates, bag limits and special regulations. There are general regulations that may not be listed but apply to all WMAs (pages 38-42). **Read ALL regulations before visiting a WMA.**

If there are special managed hunts or seasons, these will be listed separately underneath each WMA. Specific dates, bag limits, and/or restrictions will be listed there.

Special regulations pertaining to each WMA will be listed in blue italics below the WMA location and contact information.

204- BEAR HOLLOW MOUNTAIN

FRANKLIN COUNTY • 17,000 ACRES
STACY STEVENSON (931) 968-6215 • **SG, BG, HI**

ATVs may be used only on existing roads and only to retrieve harvested deer.

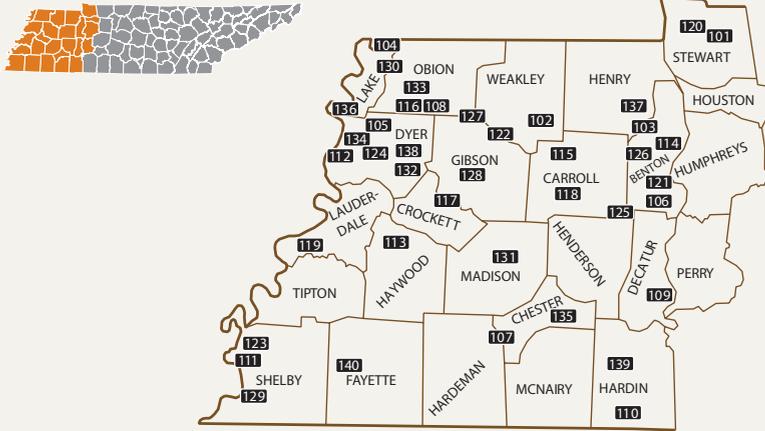
No littering. Hunter camping allowed only at designated campground (Lakeview). Fires permitted only in designated campground. Bear Hollow, Cave Springs, Keith Springs, Poplar Springs and Box House Road will be opened for scouting on the 4th Saturday in Aug.

During daylight hours, all users outside of an enclosed vehicle or out of camp must wear blaze orange during the deer gun and muzzleloader seasons.



Same as statewide seasons and bag limits, except as noted. Only one antlerless deer per day.

WMA Region I



During the late duck season, all activities are prohibited in the sub-impoundments when waterfowl hunting is closed.

Fishing, trapping and hunting of all species other than waterfowl prohibited in the sub-impoundments during the late duck season(s).



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Waterfowl - Same as statewide season, except hunting of waterfowl during the late duck and goose seasons permitted only on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday and the first and last day of each segment of the late duck and goose seasons.

Dog training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, except closed during late duck season.

101-BARKLEY

STEWART COUNTY • 8,090 ACRES
HWY. 79 DOWNSTREAM TO RIVER MILE 85
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 593-0588

UNIT I • SG, WF, BG

All activities are prohibited in the sub-impoundments five days before each opening day of the statewide duck season.

Fishing, trapping, and hunting of all species other than waterfowl prohibited in the sub-impoundments during the late duck season(s).

Deer and Small Game hunting is only allowed on days waterfowl hunting is closed during the late duck seasons.



Same as statewide seasons except as noted.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Waterfowl - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

During the late duck season, all activities are prohibited in the sub-impoundments when waterfowl hunting is closed.

Duck seasons 45 days or longer: Hunting of waterfowl during the late duck and goose seasons permitted only on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday, and the first and last day of each segment of the late duck and goose seasons.

Duck seasons under 45 days: Hunting of waterfowl during the late duck and goose seasons permitted only on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, and the first and last day

Dog training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, except closed during the late duck season.

UNIT II • SG, WF, BG

ALL OF BARKLEY WMA EXCEPT THAT DEFINED AS UNIT I



Same as statewide seasons

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

102-BEAN SWITCH REFUGE

WEAKLEY COUNTY • 572 ACRES
OFF HWY. 54 NEAR GREENFIELD ON MIDDLE
FORK OF THE OBIION RIVER LARRY ARMSTRONG
(731) 749-5587 • SG, BG

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - last day of Feb.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Closed to dove, waterfowl and fall turkey hunting.

Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16 - May 8. One bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

103-BIG SANDY (GIN CREEK)

BENTON/HENRY COUNTIES • 2,370 ACRES
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 593-0588 • SG, WF, BG

All activities are prohibited in the sub-impoundments five days before each opening day of the statewide duck season.

Any temporary blinds, hides, and decoys must be at least 200 yards from any permanent blinds and be removed at the end of shooting hours each day.

104-BLACK BAYOU REFUGE

LAKE COUNTY • 1,350 ACRES
FIVE MILES NORTH OF TIPTONVILLE
ON HWY. 78
JEFF MARTIN (731) 253-7343
REELFOOT PRESERVATION PERMIT REQUIRED

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - the last day of Feb. Designated observation areas will be open year-round.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to Spring and Fall Turkey hunting.

Deer - Archery equipment only during the muzzleloader season.

Closed to Young Sportsman deer hunts.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

Dog training - Sep. 1 - Nov. 14.

105-BOGOTA

DYER COUNTY • 2,293 ACRES
JASON MAXEDON (731) 285-6124 • SG, WF, BG



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Areas within 150 yards of draw waterfowl pools are closed during small game, trapping and statewide deer gun season(s).

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

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 **Special Dove (Youth)** - Sep. 5, noon until sunset. Each youth must be accompanied by a non-hunting adult. Designated fields only.

Dove - Sep. 6 through the remainder of the 1st and 2nd segments of the statewide season. Designated fields only.

 **Waterfowl (Designated Pools Only)** - Same as statewide season, except hunting of waterfowl during the late duck season permitted only on Tuesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday and the first and last day of each segment of the late duck season and the youth waterfowl season. Goose seasons to coincide with statewide season after the youth waterfowl season, no pool restrictions or drawings.

All hunting shall cease at 3 p.m. (CST) each day, except the last day of each season and the remaining goose seasons when hunting shall close at sunset.

Designated pools (except Pool 1) will be allocated by computer draw. Waterfowl hunting is restricted to temporary blind sites. No waterfowl hunters permitted in Pool 1 or access area from two hours after legal shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day during the late duck season(s).

No permanent blinds. All decoys, temporary blinds, blind materials and boats must be removed daily.

Hunters are restricted to pools or numbered stakes as specified by special instructions supplied by TWRA annually.

Decoys and temporary blinds may be left out over the specified hunt but must be removed upon completion of the hunt on the last day.

 **Turkey** - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. One bearded turkey counts towards statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

 **Dog Training**- Sep. 1 - Oct. 31.

106-CAMDEN

BENTON COUNTY • 3,682 ACRES
HWY. 70, WEST OF NEW JOHNSONVILLE
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 584-7317

UNIT I • SG, WF, BG

All activities are prohibited in the sub-impoundments five days before each opening day of the statewide duck season.

Fishing, trapping, and hunting of all species other than waterfowl prohibited during the late duck season(s).

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Waterfowl** - Waterfowl hunting shall close at 3 p.m. (CST) each day of the regular statewide waterfowl seasons, except the last day of each segment of the late duck season and remaining goose seasons when hunting shall close at sunset.

 **Dog training** - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15 except closed during the late duck season.

UNIT II • SG, WF, BG

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Any temporary blinds, hides and decoys must be at least 200 yards from any permanent blind and removed at the end of the hunt day.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Deer** - Deer hunting will be with archery equipment only during waterfowl seasons. Archers must comply with the legal blaze orange requirements during the deer gun season.

  **Waterfowl (Wheelchair-bound Only Blind Sites)** - Applications must be received by the TWRA Region I Office by noon on Oct. 23. Persons holding a permit for another blind are not eligible to compete in the wheelchair-bound blind drawing. If blind is not occupied by shooting time, another wheelchair-bound hunter and 1 to 3 assistants (at least one assistant must be age 16 or older) may occupy the blind for that day. Hunting restricted to wheelchair hunters and assistants only within the marked wheelchair-hunting zone at designated blinds. Any temporary blinds, hides and decoys must be at least 200 yards from any permanent blind and removed at the end of the hunt day.

 **Dog training** - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15 except closed during the late duck season.

107-CHICKASAW STATE FOREST

HARDEMAN/CHESTER COUNTIES 11,215 ACRES
PETE CREECH (731) 687-3444 • NP

Same as statewide seasons.

108-C. M. GOOCH

OBION COUNTY • 7,000 ACRES
EAST OF HWY. 51 AND SOUTH OF OBION
LARRY ARMSTRONG (731) 749-5587 • SG, WF, BG

Same as statewide seasons, except Units A and E are closed during the waterfowl seasons and are

closed to all activities five days before the first opening of the late duck season.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Turkey** - One non-quota hunts: April 16-May 8. One bearded turkey, counts toward the statewide bag limit. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

 **Waterfowl** - Same as statewide season, except Gooch waterfowl hunting closes at 3 p.m. on Units A and E. Waterfowl hunting on the last day of each segment of the duck and remaining goose seasons closes at sunset.

Fishing and trapping is prohibited in Units A and E during the waterfowl season. On Gooch Unit E, no waterfowl hunters permitted on the unit or access area from two hours after legal shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day during the late duck season(s).

No permanent blinds. All temporary blinds, blind materials, and boats must be removed from Unit E daily.

Gooch Unit E will be allocated by computer draw. Waterfowl hunting is restricted to temporary blind sites. Hunters are restricted to numbered stakes as specified by special instructions supplied by TWRA annually. Decoys may be left out over the specified hunt but must be removed upon completion of the hunt on the last day. Draw hunts will be Opening weekend(s), Monday-Thursday, and Friday-Sunday.

109-CYPRESS POND REFUGE

DECATUR COUNTY • 585 ACRES EAST DECATUR, SOUTH OF WHITES CREEK ON THE TENNESSEE RIVER PETE CREECH (731) 687-3444 • SG, BG

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - the last day of February.

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to waterfowl hunting. Closed to dog training.

 **Dove** - Sep. 1, noon-sunset. Closed Sep. 2-4. Re-opens Sep. 5, continuing with statewide season.

110-DRY CREEK

HARDIN COUNTY • 4,000 ACRES
NORTH OF PICKWICK LAKE NEAR BRUTON BRANCH
PETE CREECH (731) 687-3444 • SG, BG

Same as statewide seasons.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

111-EAGLE LAKE REFUGE

SHELBY COUNTY • 3,253 ACRES
ADJACENT TO SHELBY FOREST WMA
CHRIS PARK (901) 876-5169 • **SG, BG**

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - last day of February, except Bompreszi Unit. Observation tower open only during Meeman Shelby Forest hunt dates that coincide with the hunting season. Dog training is prohibited. Access to the south end of Shelby Forest WMA through Eagle Lake Refuge will be allowed during hunting seasons. Bompreszi Unit has a separate access.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons and bag limits, except as noted. Hunting allowed Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday only. Closed to waterfowl hunting.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt from April 16 - May 8. Hunt days are Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts towards statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - same as statewide season and bag limit.

BOMPRESZI UNIT

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Shotguns only for small game. Muzzleloaders and shotguns with rifled slugs are legal for deer. Centerfire rifles are prohibited. No antlerless deer may be taken during the statewide deer gun season.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt from April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - same as statewide season and bag limit.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

112-ERNEST RICE, SR.

DYER COUNTY • 2,900 ACRES
JASON MAXEDON (731) 285-6124 • **SG, WF, BG**

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide season, except small game hunting is closed during the big game gun hunts except as noted. Dog training is closed.



Waterfowl, Raccoon, Opossum - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Waterfowl, raccoon and opossum seasons are not closed during the big game hunts.



Deer - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Archery equipment only. Bucks must be spike or nine antler points or better. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during Muzzleloader and Gun seasons.

Deer (Gun) - One hunt: Dec. 19-25. One deer, antlered only. Bucks must be spike or nine antler points or better.

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - Open with statewide seasons. No antler requirement on this hunt.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16 - May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

113-FORT RIDGE

NORTH HAYWOOD COUNTY • 1,570 ACRES
ALONG THE SOUTH FORK OF FORKED DEER RIVER, OFF OF HWY. 54
CHAD HARDEN 731-467-0362 • **SG, WF, BG**

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to fall turkey hunting.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward the statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - same as statewide season.

114-HARMON CREEK

BENTON COUNTY • 983 ACRES
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 584-7317 • **SG, WF, BG**

Any temporary blinds, hides, and decoys must be at least 200 yards from any permanent blinds and be removed at the end of shooting hours each day.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

115-HART'S MILL

NORTHWEST CARROLL COUNTY AND
SOUTHEAST WEAKLEY COUNTY • 1,758 ACRES
ALONG THE SOUTH FORK OF OBION RIVER OFF
OF HWY. 105 AND HWY. 190
LARRY ARMSTRONG (731) 749-5587 • **SG, WF, BG**

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward the statewide bag limit. Closed to fall turkey season.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

116-HOP-IN REFUGE

OBION COUNTY • 650 ACRES
ON THE SOUTH FORK OF THE OBION RIVER,
HWY. 89 NEAR KENTON
LARRY ARMSTRONG (731) 749-5587 • **SG, BG**

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 1 - the last day of Feb.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to dove, quail and waterfowl hunting.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt from April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

117-HORNS BLUFF REFUGE

CROCKETT/GIBSON COUNTIES • 1,790 ACRES
SIX MILES NORTHEAST OF ALAMO OFF HWY. 54
CHAD HARDEN (731) 467-0362 • **SG, BG, WF**

Refuge closed Nov. 15 - Feb.15. Observation areas closed sunset to sunrise.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons except for closure dates. Deer hunting with archery equipment only. Closed to quail hunting.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward the statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.



Waterfowl - North unit (portion of refuge north of Middle Fork Forked Deer River Canal) open to waterfowl hunting on Saturday and Sunday during late duck season(s). Walk-in only. No blinds, decoys, materials may be left overnight. All hunting shall cease at 3 p.m. except the last day of the season when hunting closes at sunset. No access before 4 a.m. or after 5 p.m. No access during refuge closure dates except for waterfowl hunters on open hunt days.

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118-JARRELL SWITCH REFUGE

CARROLL COUNTY • 250 ACRES NEAR MCKENZIE ON THE SOUTH FORK OF THE OBION RIVER
LARRY ARMSTRONG (731) 749-5587 • **SG, WF, BG**

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - last day of Feb.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.
Closed to waterfowl hunting.

119-JOHN TULLY

LAUDERDALE COUNTY • 15,500 ACRES
HWY. 19 WEST OF RIPLEY AND HWY. 87
WEST OF HENNING
CHRIS PARK (731) 738-0233 • **SG, BG, WF**

Camping is permitted in designated camp sites only. Some roads may be posted as closed to motorized vehicles during the deer hunts.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

 **Deer** - Antlered deer must be spikes or must have nine points or more. No antlerless deer to be taken during the gun season. Deer count toward Unit A bag limit. All deer taken must be checked out at Cold Creek Grocery, Woodard's Grocery or Hargett's Meat Processing. Tree Stands must be marked with hunter's TWRA ID Number.

 **Turkey** - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

 **Dove** - Open Sep. 5 at noon through the remainder of the statewide seasons. One youth-only field and two adult fields.

 **Waterfowl** - Same as statewide seasons, except hunting ends at 3 p.m.

Waterfowl (Fig Field Unit/Fullen North and South Tracts) - Fig Field Unit is that land North of Grammer Road. Waterfowl Hunting will be allocated by hand held weekly draw hunts for three-day hunts Friday-Sunday and opening weekend(s). The hand held drawing will be held on the Monday prior to the hunt at 6 p.m. at the John Tully Field Office. Hunting will only be allowed from designated locations. Waterfowl hunting closes at 3 p.m.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

120-LAND BETWEEN THE LAKES

STEWART COUNTY • 170,000 ACRES (60,000 IN TN)
BETWEEN PARIS LANDING AND DOVER
FOR INFORMATION CONTACT USDA FOREST SERVICE, LBL, 100 VAN MORGAN DRIVE, GOLDEN POND, KY 42211, (270) 924-2000

121- LICK CREEK

BENTON COUNTY • 198 ACRES
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 593-0588 • **SG, WF, BG**

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons.

 **Waterfowl** - hunting allowed from temporary blinds only which must be removed at the end of the day. No blinds, blind materials, boats, or decoys may be left overnight.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

122-MANESS SWAMP REFUGE

WEAKLEY AND GIBSON COUNTIES • 1,200 ACRES
AT THE JUNCT. OF SOUTH & MIDDLE FORKS OF THE OBION RIVER
LARRY ARMSTRONG (731) 749-5587 • **SG, BG**

Closed Nov. 1 - Feb. 14 to all forms of use and trespass unless otherwise indicated. Designated observation areas will be open year-round.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

 **Turkey** - One non-quota turkey hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

123-MEEMAN-SHELBY FOREST STATE PARK AND NATURAL AREA

SHELBY COUNTY • 13,000 ACRES NEAR MILLINGTON, NORTH OF MEMPHIS
CHRIS PARK (901) 876-5169 • **SG, WF, BG**

All hunters are required to register and obtain a free permit at the park headquarters (901) 876-5215. Shotgun, muzzleloader and archery equipment only. Rifles and handguns are prohibited.

Big Game Small Game

Open Monday, Wednesday and Saturday within

statewide seasons, except as noted. No antlerless deer may be taken during the statewide deer gun season. Closed to spring squirrel hunting. Small game hunters must meet blaze orange requirements.

 **Special Squirrel Hunt (Youth)** - Aug 15.

 **Waterfowl** - Waterfowl Hunting (Draw Zone) - Late season Waterfowl hunting will be allocated by computer draw and is restricted to temporary blind sites. Hunters are restricted to numbered stakes as specified by special instructions supplied by TWRA annually. Decoys may be left out over the specified hunt but must be removed upon completion of the hunt on the last day. Draw hunts will be Opening day(s) and Thursday-Saturday. Hunting will be limited to designated areas. Waterfowl Hunting (Non-Draw Zone) - Same as statewide seasons on opening days and Thursday - Saturday.

Waterfowl (Youth) - Saturday(s) of the Statewide Youth Waterfowl season.

 **Turkey (Young-Sportsman)** - One hunt: Mar. 26, 2015. One bearded turkey.

Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16 - May 8. Hunt days are Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

 **Trapping** - Beaver trapping by special permit only. Trapping of all other species prohibited.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Dog Training** - Open Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

Field Trials - Sep. 1 - Apr. 30.

124-MOSS ISLAND

DYER COUNTY • 5,119 ACRES
SIX MILES SOUTH OF HWY. 20
ON MISSISSIPPI RIVER LEVEE,
23 MILES WEST OF DYERSBURG
JASON MAXEDON (731) 285-6124 • **SG, WF, BG**

Closed to dog training.

Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Small game hunting is closed during big game hunts, except for waterfowl, raccoon and opossum.

 **Deer** - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Archery equipment only. Bucks must be spike or nine antler points or better. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during Muzzleloader and Gun Seasons.

Deer (Gun) - One hunt: Dec. 19-25. One deer, antlered only. Bucks must be spike or nine antler points or better.

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - Open with statewide seasons. No antler requirement on this hunt.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16 - May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey counts towards statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Waterfowl - Waterfowl hunting from temporary blinds only. No blinds, blind materials, boats, or decoys may be left overnight.

125-NATCHEZ TRACE

STATE FOREST

BENTON/CARROLL/HENDERSON COUNTIES
48,000 ACRES • OFF I-40, EXIT 116
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 584-7317 • SG, BG

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, excepted as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Shooting Range - See page 36.

126-NEW HOPE

BENTON COUNTY • 88 ACRES
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 593-0588 • SG, WF, BG

Waterfowl hunting from temporary blinds only. No blinds, blind materials, boats, or decoys may be left overnight.

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

127-OBION RIVER

OBION/WEAKLEY/GIBSON COUNTIES
8,500 ACRES
ALONG THE OBION RIVER BETWEEN
HWY. 45W AND HWY. 45E
LARRY ARMSTRONG (731) 749-5587 • SG, WF, BG

ALL UNITS (*special regulations apply to Maness Swamp Hunting Unit*) *No permanent blinds. No blinds, blind materials, boats, or decoys may be left overnight.*

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts

towards statewide bag limit. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

MANESS SWAMP HUNTING UNIT

NORTH OF STATE HWY. 445, BORDERED BY THE SOUTH FORK AND MIDDLE FORK OF THE OBION RIVERS AS MARKED.

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 6 - May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts towards statewide bag limit. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Waterfowl - Same as statewide season, except hunting of waterfowl during the late duck seasons permitted only on Friday, Saturday, Sunday and the first and last day of each segment of the late duck seasons. All hunting shall cease at 3 p.m. (CST) each day, except the last day of the season and the remaining goose seasons when hunting closes at sunset.

Closed to all activities five days before each opening of the late duck season. All hunting other than waterfowl is prohibited during the late duck seasons. No waterfowl hunters permitted on Unit or Access area from two hours after legal shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day during the late duck season(s).

128-PARKER BRANCH

GIBSON COUNTY • 263 ACRES
OFF HWY. 186 BETWEEN GIBSON AND TRENTON
CHAD HARDEN (731) 467-0362 • SG, BG

Farm pond closed to fishing sunset to sunrise.

Big Game

Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to quail hunting.



Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16 - May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey counts toward the statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.



Dog training - Nov. 1 - March 15.

129-PRESIDENTS ISLAND

SHELBY COUNTY • 6,300 ACRES
CHRIS PARK (901) 876-5169 • BG

Hunters must check in at a hunter check station before hunting and check out at the completion of each day's hunt. Permit will be held while hunters hunt. Access allowed only to TWRA authorized personnel and permit holders. Access permitted from Farm Road only. No access permitted from Mississippi River, McKellar Lake, or from the Causeway.



Deer (Archery - Excluding Ensley Unit) - One antlerless hunt: Oct. 16-18. Hunter quota 150. Bag limit two deer (Bonus deer), which may be antlerless or spike bucks. Scouting date Oct. 15. Permit holders only.

Deer (Archery - Excluding Ensley Unit) - One hunt: Dec. 4-6. Hunter quota 50. Two deer, one antlered buck, and one antlerless (bonus deer). Bucks must have at least nine antler points. Scouting date: Dec. 3 for the Dec. 4-6 permit holders only.

ENSLEY UNIT

Access permitted from Shelby Drive only.



Deer (Archery - Ensley Unit) - One hunt: Dec. 4-6. Hunter quota 30. One deer, buck only (bonus deer). Bucks must have at least nine antler points. Scouting date: Dec. 3 for the Dec. 4-6 permit holders only.

130-REELFOOT

LAKE/OBION COUNTIES • 24,000 ACRES
NORTH OF HWY. 22 AND EAST OF HWY. 78
JEFF MARTIN (731) 253-7343

No WMA permits are required. However, in addition to regular hunting and fishing licenses, a Reelfoot Preservation Permit is required to hunt, trap, fish or boat on Reelfoot WMA, (including the washout and tailwaters downstream as marked, and that portion of Reelfoot National Wildlife Refuge in Tennessee). The exceptions are Sportsman License holders, Lifetime Sportsman License holders, youth under 16 and residents over 65.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Small game hunters (except waterfowl) must wear blaze orange during big game hunts. Closed to Spring and Fall Turkey hunting.



Opossum, Raccoon - Sunset, Aug. 28 - the last day of Feb. No limit.



Deer - Same as statewide season except archery only from the first segment of the late waterfowl season until end of the statewide deer seasons and buck only during muzzleloader season. Deer count toward statewide bag limit.

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

 **Turkey (Young Sportsman)** - Open with statewide season.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Waterfowl** - Same as waterfowl zone seasons. Waterfowl hunting closed at 3 p.m. (CST), except for last day of each segment of the late duck and the remaining Reelfoot goose seasons when hunting ceases at sunset.

 **Waterfowl (Wheelchair-bound only blind sites)** - Application must be received by the TWRA Region I Office by noon on Oct. 23. Persons holding a permit for another blind are not eligible to compete in the wheelchair-bound blind drawing. If blind is not occupied by shooting time, another wheelchair-bound hunter and 1 to 3 assistants (at least one assistant must be age 16 or older) may occupy the blind for that day. Hunting restricted to wheelchair hunters and assistants only within the marked wheelchair-hunting zone at designated blinds.

Youth Waterfowl (Wheelchair-bound only blind sites) - Application must be received by Oct. 23. Persons holding a permit for another blind are not eligible to compete in the wheelchair-bound blind drawing. Youths, age 6-15, must be accompanied by an adult, 21 years of age or older, who must remain in position to take immediate control of the hunting device except as otherwise noted. If blind is not occupied by shooting time, another wheelchair-bound hunter and 1 to 3 assistants (at least one assistant must be age 16 or older) may occupy the blind for the day. Hunting restricted to wheelchair hunters and assistants only within the marked wheelchair-hunting zone at designated blinds.

SHELBY FOREST

SEE MEEMAN-SHELBY FOREST STATE PARK AND NATURAL AREA

131-SOUTH FORK WATERFOWL REFUGE

MADISON COUNTY • 778 ACRES • ON HWY. 412
CHAD HARDEN (731) 467-0362 • SG, BG, WF

  Same as statewide seasons, except closed to all activities five days before the first opening of the late duck season to Feb. 15. All hunting other than waterfowl is prohibited during the late duck season. No access during refuge closure dates except for waterfowl hunters on open hunt days. Fall turkey season closed.

 **Turkey** - One non-quota hunt; April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.

 **Waterfowl** - Same as statewide season, except hunting of waterfowl during the late duck season permitted on Saturday and Sunday and the first and last day of each segment of the late duck season. All hunting ceases at 3 p.m. (CST) each day, except the last day of the season when hunting closes at sunset. Walk-in only. No blinds, decoys, materials may be left overnight. No access before 4 a.m. or after 5 p.m.

132-THORNY CYPRESS

DYER COUNTY • 3,100 ACRES
TRACT I - BETWEEN HWY. 104 AND I-155
TRACT II - BETWEEN BOOTHSPPOINT RD. AND WHITE LAKE REFUGE
JASON MAXEDON (731) 285-6124 • SG, WF, BG

   Same as statewide seasons, except as noted, and areas within 150 yards of draw waterfowl pools are closed during small game, trapping and statewide deer gun season(s).

 **Turkey** - One non-quota hunt April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey counts towards statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide seasons.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Waterfowl** - Same as statewide season, except hunting of waterfowl during the late duck season permitted only on Tuesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday and the first and last day of each segment of the late duck season and the youth waterfowl season. Goose season to coincide with statewide season after the youth waterfowl season, no pool restrictions or day, except the last day of each season and the remaining goose seasons when hunting shall close at sunset.

Designated pools (except Pool 10, Pool 11 and Pool 12) will be allocated by computer draw. Waterfowl hunting is restricted to temporary blind sites. Hunters are restricted to pools or number stakes as specified by special instructions supplied by TWRA annually. All hunters in a party are required to hunt in the same temporary blind site for which they are drawn. Decoys and temporary blinds may be left out over the specified hunt but must be removed upon completion of the hunt on the last day.

No waterfowl hunters permitted in Pool 10, Pool 11 or Pool 12 or access area from two hours after legal shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day during the late duck season(s). No permanent blinds. All decoys, temporary blinds, blind materials and boats must be removed daily.

133-THREE RIVERS

OBION COUNTY • 1,577 ACRES
LARRY ARMSTRONG (731) 749-5587 • SG, WF, BG

   Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

 **Turkey** - One non-quota: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Waterfowl** - No waterfowl hunters permitted on unit or access area from two hours after legal shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day during late duck season(s).

134-TIGRETT

DYER COUNTY • 7,419 ACRES
CHAD HARDEN (731) 467-0362 • SG, WF, BG

   Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

All small game hunting (excluding waterfowl hunting) closed on this area during the Young Sportsman hunts.

 **Turkey** - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Waterfowl** - Waterfowl hunting closes at 3 p.m. (CST) each day of the regular statewide waterfowl seasons, except the last day of duck seasons and remaining goose seasons when hunting closes at sunset. No access to WMA by waterfowl hunters before 4 a.m.

135-TULL BOTTOM

CHESTER COUNTY • 762 ACRES
EAST OF HENDERSON ALONG THE SOUTH FORK OF THE FORKED DEER RIVER OFF OF HWY. 200
PETE CREECH (731) 687-3444 • SG, WF, BG

   Same as statewide season, except as noted. Closed to fall turkey hunting.



 Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.

136-TUMBLEWEED

LAKE COUNTY • 5,770 ACRES
SOUTHWEST CORNER, ON HWY. 79
JASON MAXEDON (731) 285-6124 • **SG, BG, WF**

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

 Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.

137-WEST SANDY (SPRINGVILLE BOTTOMS)

HENRY COUNTY • 4,319 ACRES
DAVID ULDERICH (731) 593-0588 • **SG, WF, BG**

Fishing, trapping and hunting all species other than waterfowl prohibited in the sub-impoundments during the late duck season. All activities are prohibited in the sub-impoundments five days before each opening day of the statewide duck season.

Same as statewide seasons,

 Waterfowl - Waterfowl hunting closes at 3 p.m. (CST) each day of the regular statewide waterfowl seasons, except the last day of duck seasons and remaining goose seasons when hunting closes at sunset.

 Waterfowl (Wheelchair-bound blind) - Wheelchair-bound blind provided - first come, first serve.

Hunting restricted to wheelchair hunters and assistants only within the marked wheelchair hunting zone.

 Quail - Dec. 1-31.

 Dog training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15. Closed during the late duck season.

138-WHITE LAKE REFUGE

DYER COUNTY • 1,194 ACRES
JASON MAXEDON (731) 285-6124 • **SG, BG**

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - the last day of February.

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to dove, fall turkey, and waterfowl.

 Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

139-WHITE OAK

HARDIN COUNTY • 7,000 ACRES
SOUTHEAST OF MILLEDGEVILLE,
OFF OF HWY. 69
PETE CREECH (731) 687-3444 • **SG, WF, BG**

All small game hunting is closed during Young Sportsman deer hunts. All water traffic prohibited five days before the opening day(s) of the statewide duck season.

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

 Dove - Sep. 1, noon-sunset. Closed Sep. 2-4. Re-opens Sep. 5 continuing with statewide season.

 Quail - Nov. 30 - Dec. 31.

 Deer - Same as statewide seasons, except archery-only deer hunting after Nov. 29. Archers must meet legal blaze orange requirements during this period. Closed to January Young Sportsman deer hunt.

 Waterfowl - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Waterfowl hunting closes at 3 p.m. (CST) during the late duck season(s) and all types of water traffic prohibited after 5 p.m.

No waterfowl hunters permitted on the area or access areas before 4 a.m. opening day(s), and from 5 p.m. to 4 a.m. the following days during the late duck season.

Waterfowl (Lebanon Pond) - Lebanon Pond waterfowl hunting area will be allocated by computer draw as specified in the waterfowl quota hunt computer drawing and allocation procedures. Draw hunts will be Opening weekend(s), Monday-Thursday, and Friday-Sunday within the late waterfowl seasons. Waterfowl hunting is restricted to ten temporary staked blind sites designated by GPS coordinates. Successful applicants and guests will be required to hunt within 25 yards of staked blind sites and are required to hunt at the same temporary blind site for which they are drawn. Decoys and temporary blinds may be left out over the specified hunt period but must be removed upon completion of the hunt on the last day of that period.

140-WOLF RIVER AND GHOST RIVER STATE NATURAL AREA

FAYETTE COUNTY • 9,321 ACRES ON HWY. 57
EAST OF MEMPHIS, ALONG THE WOLF RIVER
BRANDON GILBERT (901) 878-0855
SG, BG, WF, HI

Ghost River Natural Area is open same as Wolf River WMA. Hunting or access to hunt from the boardwalk structure is prohibited.

UNIT I (THAT PORTION SOUTH OF HWY. 57)

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to quail hunting; dog training permitted. Closed to fall turkey season. All small game hunting is closed during Young Sportsman deer hunts.

 Dove - Sep. 1 at noon and every day thereafter during the remainder of the statewide dove seasons.

 Rabbit - Nov. 14 - Jan. 31.

 Deer - Deer hunting is archery equipment only after Nov. 20 through the end of statewide deer seasons. Archers must meet legal blaze orange requirements during this period. Closed to January Young Sportsman deer hunt.

 Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.

 Waterfowl - Waterfowl hunting closes at 3 p.m. (CST) each day during the late duck season(s), except the last day of each segment of the season(s) when hunting closes as sunset. Temporary blinds only.

 Dog training - Sep. 1 - Jan. 31, except closed during deer gun hunts.

 Shooting range - Rifle Sight-In Range open in Oct.

UNIT II (THAT PORTION NORTH OF HWY. 57)

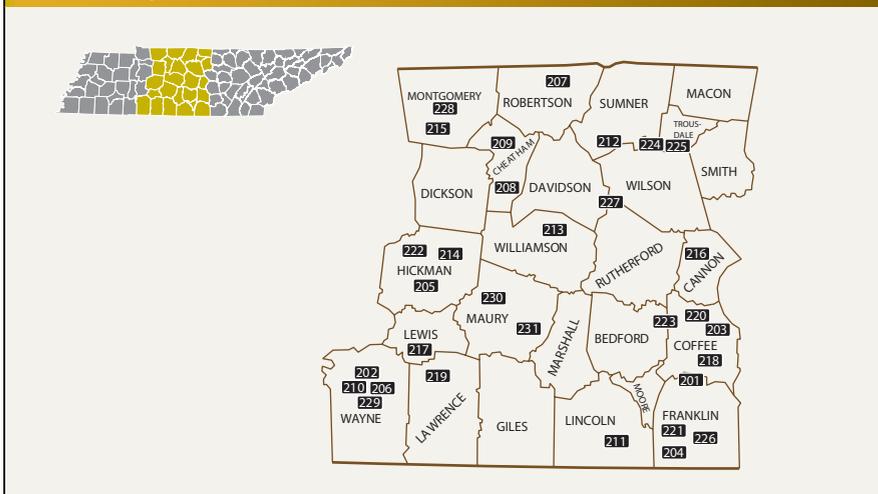
Same as statewide season, except as noted. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

 Turkey - One non-quota hunt: April 16-May 8. Bag limit one bearded turkey, counts toward statewide bag limit.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season and bag limit.

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

WMA Region II



except open on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday of the late duck season. Hunting on Woods Reservoir is from registered blind sites only. During the early duck and goose seasons hunting is allowed outside of blind sites, except 150 yards from the bank starting at the pumping station going west to the Rowland's Creek causeway. Waterfowl hunting is allowed from registered blind sites during the scheduled deer hunts.

Unit 1

Unit 1 is used extensively by the TN Army National Guard for training purposes as such all hunting dates are coordination with military training missions. Hunt dates will be confirmed a month in advance and advertised on the TWRA website and posted at the sign-in stations. Special quota permits will be sold by REAL systems license agents or on the internet. Public access only through gate off of Rifle Range Rd, north of the railroad tracks.



Deer (Shotgun/Muzzleloader) - Four potential hunt dates: November 7-8, 14-15, 21-22, 27-29. Hunter quota 100. Two deer, either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer.

Deer (Young Sportsman-Shotgun/Muzzleloader) - Potential hunt date Oct. 3-4. Two deer, either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer.

Unit 2

Small Game

Same as statewide seasons. The area will be opened and closed to hunting as military training allows. Small game hunting is closed during deer hunts.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Deer (Special Regulations) - All deer hunting season dates are subject to coordination with military training mission. Hunt dates will be confirmed a month in advance and advertised on the TWRA website and posted at the sign-in stations. Special quota permits will be sold by REAL systems license agents or on the internet.

Deer (Young Sportsman-Shotgun/Muzzleloader) - Oct. 3-4. Two deer, either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer.

Deer (Archery) - Three hunts: Oct. 9-11, 16-18, 23-25. Two deer, either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer. One turkey, either sex.

Deer (Shotgun/Muzzleloader) - Two potential hunts: Nov. 13-15, 27-29. Hunter quota 200. Two deer, either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer.



Turkey - Dec. 5-13. Three turkeys, either sex.

Turkey - Same as statewide season, except open only on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

201-AEDC AND WOODS RESERVOIR REFUGE

COFFEE/FRANKLIN COUNTIES
Part of the Arnold Air Force Base • 32,000 ACRES
NEAR TULLAHOMA, I-24 EXIT #117
WES WINTON (931) 967-6101 • **SG, WF, BG**

All access is strictly controlled and all areas are subject to be closed by the military.

The following are **PROHIBITED** on AEDC property:

- Handguns (regardless of carry permit)
- Rifles (rim-fire and center-fire)
- Camping and fires outside of designated campgrounds
- Metal detectors or digging
- ATVs
- Horseback riding

There are areas on AEDC that may contain unexploded ordnances (small ammunition, anti-personnel mines, mortars, and artillery rounds). There are also areas on AEDC where open holes (manholes, wells, and sinkholes) are present. Hunters are advised to use caution. If any unexploded ordnances or holes are found- **DO NOT TOUCH** and notify the AEDC Operations Center at (931) 454-7752.

Big game and small game hunters are required to sign-in prior to hunting at one of three hunter sign-in stations. Sign-in stations are located at the western (next to Harton Blvd.) and eastern (on Dixie Rd) ends of Wattendorf Hwy. Hunters may also sign-in at the Hunter's Check Station on Old Brick Church Rd. Hunters should fill out a sign-in card and keep it on their person or visible in the windshield of their vehicle while hunting.

Deer Archery Zones - may be hunted on any deer hunt by drawn hunters using archery equipment only. These areas are closed to small game and turkey hunting.

UNIT 1 — Previously known as the TNARNG maneuver area. Area north of Wattendorf Hwy., west of Rifle Range Rd. to Hwy 55.

UNIT 2 — Old Camp Forrest area. Area south of Wattendorf Hwy., west from UTSI Rd. to Harton Blvd.

UNITs 3, 4, 5, & 6 — remainder of WMA

WOODS RESERVOIR WATERFOWL REFUGE

Dec. 1-Jan. 31: All forms of trespass are prohibited. (For specific boundary lines see the TWRA website-WMA maps - AEDC WMA)

UNITs 3, 4, 5, & 6

Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except closed during deer hunts.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Feb. 28



Deer- Turkey (Archery) - Three hunts: Oct. 9-11, 16-18, 23-25 - Two deer, either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer. One turkey either sex.



Deer (Young Sportsman-Shotgun/Muzzleloader) - Oct. 3-4. Two deer, either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer.

Deer (Shotgun/Muzzleloader) - Two hunts: Nov. 13-15, 27-29. Hunter quota 600. Two deer either sex. Only one may be antlered. Bonus deer.



Turkey (Fall) - Dec. 5-13. Three turkeys, either sex.

Turkey - Same as statewide season, except open only on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.



Waterfowl - Same as statewide season,



202-ARNOLD HOLLOW

WAYNE COUNTY • 7,844 ACRES
NORTH OF WAYNESBORO
PAM McDONALD (931) 762-5749 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

203-BARK CAMP BARRENS

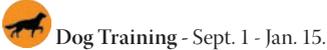
COFFEE COUNTY • 2,800 ACRES
WES WINTON (931) 967-6101 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Rabbit - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sept. 1 - Jan. 15.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

204-BEAR HOLLOW MOUNTAIN

FRANKLIN COUNTY • 17,000 ACRES
STACY STEVENSON (931) 968-6215 • **SG, BG, HI**

ATVs may be used only on existing roads and only to retrieve harvested deer.

No littering. Hunter camping allowed only at designated campground (Lakeview). Fires permitted only in designated campgrounds. Bear Hollow, Keith Springs (HWY 16), Keith Cove, Poplar Springs and Box House Road will be opened for scouting on the 4th Saturday in Aug.

During daylight hours, all users outside of an enclosed vehicle or out of camp must wear blaze orange during the deer gun and muzzleloader seasons.

Hooved animal riders must stay on designated trails and park their vehicles in designated parking areas at all times. Possession of alcoholic beverages is prohibited while horseback riding. No tying horses to trees.



Same as statewide seasons and bag limits, except as noted. Only one antlerless deer per day.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

205-BEAVER DAM CREEK

HICKMAN COUNTY • 7,619 ACRES
SOUTH OF CENTERVILLE
REGION II OFFICE (615) 781-6622 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

206-BROWNTOWN

WAYNE COUNTY • 6,336 ACRES
NORTH OF WAYNESBORO
PAM McDONALD (931) 762-5749 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

207-CEDAR HILL SWAMP

ROBERTSON COUNTY • 200 ACRES
REGION II OFFICE (615) 781-6622 • **SG, WF, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Archery equipment only for Big Game. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during muzzleloader and gun seasons.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

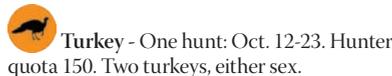
208-CHEATHAM

CHEATHAM COUNTY • 20,810 ACRES
SOUTH OF THE CUMBERLAND RIVER,
NEAR ASHLAND CITY
RANDY CROMER (615) 792-4510 • **SG, BG, HI**

Unauthorized entry or presence is prohibited between sunset and sunrise. Horses and other saddle and pack animals are prohibited during big game seasons.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Buck only during muzzleloader and gun seasons.



Turkey - One hunt: Oct. 12-23. Hunter quota 150. Two turkeys, either sex.



Turkey - Same as statewide spring season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog training - Daylight hours only.



Firing Range - Open 12 noon until one hour after sunset daily. Automatic weapons prohibited.

Archery Range - Open daily. Field points only.

209-CHEATHAM LAKE

CHEATHAM COUNTY • 5,152 ACRES
OFF HWYS. 49 AND 12, WEST OF ASHLAND CITY
RANDY CROMER (615) 792-4510 • **SG, WF, BG**



Same as statewide seasons on Sycamore Creek upstream from railroad trestle, Harpeth River upstream from Highway 49 and on Johnson Creek upstream from Johnson Creek Bridge.

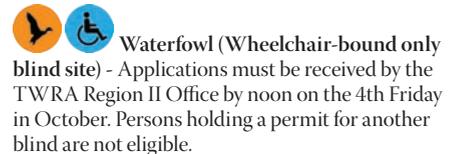
Hunting on remainder of Cheatham Lake WMA same as statewide season, except during the late duck season when hunting is open only on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday and the first and the last day of each segment of the late statewide duck season.

Waterfowl hunting is permitted only from registered blind sites and from staked temporary blind sites during the late duck season.

Hunting on Harpeth Island, Marks Creek, and Bluff Creek wade-in areas is not restricted to registered or staked temporary sites.

Night hunting, trapping and fishing prohibited in waterfowl impoundments during the waterfowl season.

The sub-impoundment units as posted are closed to all types of activity five days before the opening of the first segment of the late duck season.



Waterfowl (Wheelchair-bound only blind site) - Applications must be received by the TWRA Region II Office by noon on the 4th Friday in October. Persons holding a permit for another blind are not eligible.



Dove - Same as statewide. Hunting permitted from designated fields only.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, except closed during duck seasons.

CHEATHAM LAKE - PARDUE POND REFUGE AND DYSON DITCH REFUGE

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - the last day of February. Designated observation areas will be open year round. Access by boat only.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Archery equipment only for deer. All seasons closed during refuge closure dates unless otherwise indicated. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during muzzleloader and gun seasons.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Turkey - One hunt: Oct. 12-23. Hunter quota 50. Two turkeys, either sex.

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

210-EAGLE CREEK

WAYNE COUNTY • 22,000 ACRES
NEAR WAYNESBORO
PAM McDONALD (931) 762-5749 • **SG, BG**

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

211-FLINTVILLE HATCHERY

LINCOLN COUNTY • 750 ACRES
EAST OF FAYETTEVILLE ON HWY. 64
REGION II OFFICE (615) 781-6622 • **NP**

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Archery equipment only for deer. Guns may be used on Young Sportsman hunts and during the fall turkey season. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during muzzleloader and gun seasons.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Dog training - Daylight hours only.

212-GALLATIN STEAM PLANT

SUMNER COUNTY • 250 ACRES • NEAR GALLATIN
REGION II OFFICE (615) 781-6622 • **BG**

Free Gallatin Steam Plant daily permit required in addition to WMA permit. Daily permits available at the cemetery parking area kiosk. Follow instructions on permit. Parking in designated areas. No camping. Scouting begins one week prior to opening day. Closed to dog training.

Deer, Turkey - Same as statewide season, except as noted. Archery equipment only. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during muzzleloader and gun seasons.

213-HALEY-JAQUETH

WILLIAMSON COUNTY • 200 ACRES
COLLEGE GROVE
TOMMY EDWARDS (931) 840-4042 • **SG, BG**

Big Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Archery equipment only for deer. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during muzzleloader and gun seasons.

Dove - Sep. 5. Youth only (6-16) accompanied by a non-hunting adult, and shooting is from

staked positions only. Sep. 7 and every Saturday thereafter of the 1st segment open to all ages. All hunting is on designated field only.

Dog training - Daylight hours only.

214 - HAPPY HOLLOW

HICKMAN COUNTY • 1,800 ACRES
LOCATED OFF HWY 50 NEAR ONLY
TOMMY EDWARDS (931) 840-4042 • **SG, WF, BG**

ATVs may only be used by hunters to retrieve deer. Leaving any personal property unattended for longer than 24 hours, without prior permission, may be impounded and may be disposed of according to state procedures. Treestands must be marked with the hunter's TWRA identification number. Camping in designated areas only, tent camping only. No motorized vehicle access to campground. Fires permitted only in fire pits.

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide season. No hunting the night before or during big game hunts.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Deer (Archery, Muzzleloader, Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

Deer (Gun) - Three hunts: Nov. 21-23, Dec. 12-14, 26-28. Hunter quota 80. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Turkey - Two hunts: Apr. 2-5, 21-24. Hunter quota 50. One bearded bird. Closed to fall turkey season.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - Same as statewide season.

215-HAYNES BOTTOM

MONTGOMERY COUNTY • 971 ACRES
NEAR DOTSONVILLE, ADJOINING THE
CUMBERLAND RIVER
DOUG MARTIN (615) 781-6622 • **SG, WF, BG**

Night hunting, trapping, dog training and fishing prohibited in the waterfowl impoundment from Oct. 15 - May 31.

Participating waterfowl hunters only in the bottoms from the beginning of the late duck season through the conclusion of the youth waterfowl hunt.

No horseback riding during big game hunts.

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. During the late duck season, waterfowl and small game hunting is open only on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday and the first and last day of each segment of the late statewide duck season.



Waterfowl - Waterfowl hunting permitted only from registered blind sites beginning with the first day of the late duck season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog training - open all year-round. Daylight hours only.

216-HEADWATERS

CANNON COUNTY • 600 ACRES (IN 4 PARCELS)
NEAR WOODBURY
REGION II OFFICE • (615) 781-6622 • **SG, BG**

No ATVs permitted.

Parking in designated areas only.

No parking at Blanton School Road gate (May 31 - Sept 15). Use River Road Trail access/parking during Blanton School gate closure.

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to quail hunting.

Blaze orange required by all users during deer muzzleloader and gun hunts.

Night hunting prohibited.



Dog training - Daylight hours only.

217-HICK HILL

LEWIS COUNTY • 3,608 ACRES
SOUTH OF HOHENWALD
PAM McDONALD (931) 762-5749 • **SG, BG**

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

218-HICKORY FLATS

COFFEE COUNTY • 623 ACRES
NORTH OF ASBURY RD
WES WINTON (931) 967-6101 • **SG, BG**

Big Game

Small Game



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

219-LAUREL HILL

LAWRENCE COUNTY • 14,952 ACRES
WEST OF LAWRENCEBURG OFF HWY. 64
Checking Station, 74 VFW Rd. Lawrenceburg
PAM McDONALD (931) 762-5749 • **SG, BG, HI**



ATVs allowed on roads open to motor vehicle traffic only. All hooved animals must be ridden on designated trails or roads open to motorized vehicles. Hooved animal and ATV riding on trails and roads is prohibited during all big game seasons. Possession of alcoholic beverages is prohibited. No fox chases permitted. Unauthorized entry or presence is prohibited between sunset and sunrise. Foot traffic only beyond cables/gates during spring turkey season. Horses and other saddle and pack animals are prohibited during big game seasons.

Small Game

Same as statewide season except as noted.

Small game hunting is closed sunset day before and during big game hunts.

Coyote may be taken during daylight hours only during any open season with weapons specified for that season.

Bobcat may be taken on big game hunts that coincide with statewide season dates and may be taken with weapon legal for that hunt.



Raccoon, Opossum - Sep. 18 - Feb. 28. Bag limit 2 raccoon per person per night. Opossum: no limit.

Fox Chasing - No fox chasing permitted.



Deer (Archery) - One hunt: Sep. 19 - Oct. 4. Three deer, either sex (bonus deer). Special Buck Regulations apply on all deer hunts. Bucks must have at least four antler points on one side or a 15-inch minimum outside spread.

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Oct. 10-11. One deer, either sex (bonus deer), no antler restrictions.

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Oct. 15-18. Hunter quota 500. One deer, buck only (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun) - Three hunts: Oct. 23-25, Nov. 13-15, Nov. 27-29. Hunter quota 500. One deer, buck only (bonus deer).



Turkey - Same as statewide spring turkey season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Trapping - Dec. 1 - Feb. 11.



Dog Training - Sep. 1- Mar. 15, except during big game hunts, daylight hours only.

SHIELDS FARM UNIT



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Centerfire rifles and handguns prohibited.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

220-MAPLE SPRINGS

COFFEE COUNTY • 122 ACRES
NORTH OF MANCHESTER
WES WINTON (931) 967-6101 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

221-MINGO SWAMP

FRANKLIN COUNTY • 460 ACRES
WEST OF WINCHESTER
STACY STEVENSON (931) 968-6215 • **SG, WF, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

222-MTSU

HICKMAN COUNTY • 995 ACRES
WEST OF CENTERVILLE
REGION II OFFICE (615) 781-6622 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

223-NORMANDY

BEDFORD/COFFEE COUNTIES • 750 ACRES
ON NORMANDY LAKE
WES WINTON - (931) 967-6101 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

224-OLD HICKORY

SUMNER/WILSON/TROUSDALE COUNTIES
NORTH OF LEBANON ON OLD HICKORY LAKE
DAN LAVACOT (615) 444-6673

Areas consists of 6,000 huntable acres in narrow strips of land along the 21,700 acres of water on Old Hickory Lake. Of the 6,000 acres only 1,000 acres have public land access. The remaining 5,000 acres are primarily accessible by water.

UNIT I

HIGHWAY 109 UPSTREAM TO RIVER MILE 267
EXCLUDING LOCK 5 REFUGE • **SG, WF, BG**



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Small game hunting is closed after 3 p.m. (CST) during the late duck season. The sub-impoundment units as posted are closed to all types of activity five days prior to the opening of the first segment of the late duck season. Raccoon and opossum hunting, trapping and fishing are prohibited in sub-impoundments during the late waterfowl season.



Dove (Youth/Adult) - Youth/Adult only hunt is Sep. 5 on Barton's Creek. Hunting begins at 6 a.m.

Dove - Same as statewide season, except for Barton's Creek. Barton's Creek opens Sep. 7 and every Friday-Sunday and Wednesday thereafter during the first segment of the statewide season.



Waterfowl - Hunting is permitted only from registered blind sites and staked temporary blind sites during the late duck season. Same as statewide season, except waterfowl hunting shall cease at 3 p.m. (CST) during the late duck season, except hours same as statewide on the last day of each segment of the late duck season.



Waterfowl (Wheelchair-bound only blind site) - Applications must be received by the TWRA Region II Office by noon on the 4th Friday in Oct. Persons holding a permit for another blind are not eligible.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, except closed during duck seasons.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

**UNIT II
HWY. 109 DOWNSTREAM TO OLD HICKORY DAM • SG, WF, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Waterfowl - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Hunting from registered blind sites only, except during the early duck season. All goose hunting is from registered blinds only.

**UNIT III
FROM RIVER MILE 267 UPSTREAM TO THE OLD LOCK 6 SITE AT RIVER MILE 281 • SG, WF, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

 **Waterfowl** - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Hunting from temporary blinds only. Decoys must be picked up each day.

225-OLD HICKORY LOCK 5 REFUGE

TROUSDALE/WILSON COUNTIES • 900 ACRES NORTH OF LEBANON; LOCATED FROM HWY. 231 UPSTREAM TO RIVER MILE 265.5 DAN LAVACOT (615) 444-6673

Public use, including all forms of trespass, is prohibited from Nov. 15 to the last day of February. Public entry and fishing permitted while on the main river channel passing through the refuge. Closed to waterfowl hunting. Boat access only.

OLD HICKORY LOCK 5 REFUGE (NORTH OF THE CUMBERLAND RIVER).



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

OLD HICKORY LOCK 5 REFUGE (SOUTH OF THE CUMBERLAND RIVER)

 **Quail (Young Sportsman Only)** - Nov. 1 - Nov. 14.

 **Deer, Turkey (Young Sportsman Only)** - Sep. 26-27, Oct. 3-4, 10-11, 17-18. Archery equipment only.

Deer, Turkey (Young Sportsman Only) - Oct. 24-25, Oct. 31-Nov. 1, 7-8. Archery and muzzleloader equipment only.

 **Turkey (Young Sportsman Only)** - Same as statewide spring turkey season.

226- OWL HOLLOW MILL

FRANKLIN COUNTY • 3,000 ACRES NEAR TIMS FORD LAKE STACY STEVENSON (931) 968-6215 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Dove (Youth Only)** - Sep. 5. Youth only (6-16) must be accompanied by a licensed non-hunting adult. Maple Bend Road field only. Rest of WMA closed.

Dove - Sep. 6. Entire WMA open to all ages for the remainder of the statewide dove season.

227-PERCY PRIEST

DAVIDSON/RUTHERFORD/WILSON COUNTIES TWO UNITS CONSISTING OF 10,768 HUNTABLE ACRES SURROUNDING 14,500 ACRES OF WATER BORDERING PERCY PRIEST LAKE GLEN ROGERS (615) 355-0914

Centerfire prohibited on all units.

UNIT I

NEAR LAVERGNE NORTH OF SMYRNA AIR BASE • 1,408 ACRES • **SG, BG**

Unit I closed to all activity from sunset to one-half hour before sunrise, except as noted. Trucks and ATVs allowed off-road during field trials and training only.

All activities, except dove hunts on designated fields and scheduled field trials, prohibited on Friday, Saturday and Sunday from Sept. 1 - Apr. 30.

Additional WMA closures for special field trial dates are determined by the manager.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Dove** - Sep. 1, and each Saturday and Sunday thereafter, and Labor Day during the first and second segments of the statewide season. Shooting from staked positions only. On Sep. 1, staked positions will be assigned by a drawing held on site at 10 a.m. and hunters must check out at the conclusion of their hunt. Successful applicants must be at their staked position at the start of shooting hours.

 **Squirrel** - Same as statewide season, except as noted.

 **Quail, Rabbit (Youth)** - Same as statewide seasons, except Monday through Thursday only. Shotguns only. Each Youth must be accompanied by an adult who may not hunt or carry weapons. Each adult must possess a valid hunting license and an area permit.

 **Deer, Turkey (Archery Only)** - Same as statewide seasons, except closed Friday, Saturday, Sunday and except as noted.

 **Deer (Muzzleloader)** - Nov. 9-12, 16-18 except, on Monday through Thursday only. Remainder of deer season is archery only.

 **Turkey** - Same as statewide spring turkey season, except closed Friday-Sunday until Apr. 30.

 **Dog Training** - Sep. 1 - Apr. 30. Small game permit required. Training from horseback prohibited before Oct. 1. Participants of sanctioned field trials may train 72 hours prior to and after scheduled dates without a small game permit. Blank ammunition only. Night time dog training prohibited.

Retriever Dog Training and Trials - Year-round in designated areas only. Trials must be scheduled with Area Manager, and special field trial permits must be obtained from the TWRA Region II Office at least 30 days in advance of trial dates. Participants of sanctioned field trials may train 72 hours before and after scheduled dates without a small game hunt permit.

Bird and Rabbit Dog and Fox Hound Trials - Sep. 1 - Apr. 30. Trials must be scheduled with Area Manager, and special field trial permits must be obtained from the Region II Office at least 30 days in advance of trial dates. Field trial gallery must be kept out of standing or planted crops by Marshals provided by sponsoring club. Fox hound trials subject to special regulations.

UNIT II



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Deer is shotgun/muzzleloader/archery only. Fall turkey is archery only.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Waterfowl** - Same as statewide seasons. Temporary blinds only. No blinds, blind materials, boats, or decoys may be left overnight.

 **Dog Training** - Sep. 1 - Apr. 30. No hunting or training from horseback.

Archery Practice - Open year-round, on designated range site (Poole Knobs) only. Target arrows only.

228-SHELTON FERRY

MONTGOMERY COUNTY • 628 ACRES SOUTH OF CLARKSVILLE REGION II OFFICE (615) 781-6622 • **SG, WF, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Deer is archery equipment only, except during Young Sportsman hunts.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

 **Firing Range** - Montgomery County Shooting Complex, see page 36.

229-TIE CAMP

WAYNE COUNTY • 8,088 ACRES NORTH OF WAYNESBORO PAM McDONALD (931) 762-5749 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



230-WILLIAMSPORT

MAURY COUNTY • 1,722 ACRES
ON HWY. 50 APPROXIMATELY 10 MI.
WEST OF COLUMBIA
TOMMY EDWARDS (931) 840-4042 • **SG, BG, HI**

Open one hour before sunrise until one hour after sunset on hunt days. No riding during scheduled Big Game hunts. Possession of alcoholic beverages is prohibited. No camping allowed.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. No hunting the night before or during big game hunts.

Dove - Same as statewide season, except open only on Sep. 1 and every Saturday during the first segment. Designated fields only. Shooting from staked positions only on Sep. 1. On Sep. 1, staked positions will be assigned by a drawing held on site at 10 a.m. Hunters must be present at drawing and must check out at the conclusion of the hunt. Successful applicants must be at the staked position at legal shooting hours.

Deer (Archery) - Three hunts: Sep. 26-28, Oct. 3-5, Oct. 10-12. Two deer, either sex, but only one can be antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - Two hunts: Oct. 17-18, 24-25. Two deer, either sex, but only one can be antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Nov. 7-9. Hunter quota 100. Two deer, either sex but only one can be antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun) - Four hunts: Nov. 21-23, 28-30, Dec. 12-14, 19-21. Hunter quota 100. Two deer, either sex but only one can be antlered (bonus deer).

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Mar. 26-27. One bearded bird.

Turkey - Two hunts: Apr. 2-5, 16-19. One bearded bird per hunt. Closed to fall turkey hunting.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Crow - Sep. 1 - Feb. 28. All crow hunting is limited to Saturdays during the month of September during the first segment of dove season, thereafter on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, daylight hours only.

231-YANAHLI

MAURY COUNTY • 12,325 ACRES
SOUTH EAST OF COLUMBIA
TOMMY EDWARDS (931) 840-4042 • **SG, WF, BG, HI**

The use of any alcoholic beverages is prohibited by all users. During daylight hours, all users outside of an enclosed vehicle or out of camp must wear fluorescent orange during the deer gun and muzzleloader seasons. Horses and other saddle and pack animals are prohibited during big game seasons. ATVs are prohibited.

Hooved animal riding: possession of alcohol prohibited, must ride on designated trails only.

Treestands must be marked with the hunter's TWRA identification number. Leaving any personal property unattended for longer than 24 hours, without prior permission, may be impounded and may be disposed of according to state procedures.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Firing Range - Automatic weapons prohibited. See page 36.

Farmland Owner License Exemption Statement

FARMLAND OWNER LICENSE EXEMPTION STATEMENT

County: _____ Map #: _____ Parcel #: _____

Location: _____

Name of landowner: _____

Name of hunter/fisherman: _____

Address: _____

TN Driver's License #: _____

I attest that I am exempt from requirements to possess a hunting and fishing license under the terms of TCA 70-2-204(a) while hunting or fishing on the property identified above due to the following owner relationship. I am a resident of Tennessee and I am (check one):

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> an owner of the property | <input type="checkbox"/> a tenant on the property |
| <input type="checkbox"/> a spouse of the owner | <input type="checkbox"/> a spouse of the tenant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> a child of the owner | <input type="checkbox"/> a dependent child of the tenant |

Signature of hunter/fisherman

This card shall be completed, signed and submitted upon the request of an officer of the TWRA, or upon presenting game to a check station.

WR-0815

TCA 70-2-204. Hunting and fishing on farm land - License exemption to owner, tenants and their spouses and children - (a) The owners and tenants of farmlands, and their spouse and children, have the right to engage in the sport of hunting and fishing, subject to all the provisions of all laws or regulations concerning wildlife, upon such lands and waters thereon of which they or their spouses or parents are the bona fide owners or tenants with the permission of the landowners, during the season when it is lawful to do so, without procuring a hunting and sport fishing license. Tenants and their spouses and their dependent children must be bona fide residents of the state and must actually reside on the land. Owners and their spouses and children must be bona fide residents of the state. Land may qualify as farmland onlly if it is owned by no more than one (1) individual or a family; provided, that if land is owned jointly or in common by persons who are first cousins related by blood, then such cousins and their children may hunt small game and fish on such land under the provisions of this subsection. "Family" means any combination of kinship within the third degree, including any spouse who has an interest in the property. "Tenant" means an individual who receives compensation such as free rent or money for acting either in the place of or at the direction of the landowner in tending of the requirements needed to care for the farmland. The primary purpose of the tenancy shall be agricultural in nature.

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

*Unauthorized entry or presence is prohibited between sunset and sunrise. During big game hunts, the area is open only to legal big game hunting participants. Hooved animal riding, bicycling and Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit. OHVs permitted from the fourth Saturday in August through the spring squirrel season. OHVs, bicyclists and hooved animal riders may not enter the area except through gated TWRA access points. Big game hunters are required to check out big game and wild hogs at the WMA check stations when stations are in operation. **Attention persons participating in the hog control hunt:** There have been multiple documented cases of Brucellosis in hogs on Catoosa. Use caution when handling harvested hogs. Closed to all hunting Mar. 1 - fourth Friday in August, except during turkey and spring squirrel seasons.*

All dog training is prohibited.

Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except closes at sunset the day before and during scheduled big game hunts, unless otherwise noted. Dogs are not permitted during the spring squirrel season. Trapping and small game hunting closed during wild hog control season. Closed to quail hunting and dog training.

Rifles and handguns using center-fire ammunition are legal for hunting beaver, bobcat, foxes, coyotes, groundhogs and crows only during big game seasons and the hunter must be a licensed legal big game hunter. During big game hunts, coyotes may be taken with any weapon legal for that hunt. Chasing fox, coyote or bobcat with dogs is not permitted.



Raccoon and opossum season is Nov. 1 to sunrise Dec. 31, except closes at sunset on the day before and during scheduled big game hunts.



Deer - On all hunts, antlered deer must have a minimum of 4 points on one antler or a 15-inch minimum outside antler spread. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters.



Deer (Archery) - Three hunts: Oct. 10-12, 13-15, 16-18. Archery equipment only. Area checking stations operated. Entire area open. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Nov. 19-22. Station quota: Genesis 1,000; Bicolor 1,000. One deer, buck only (bonus deer).

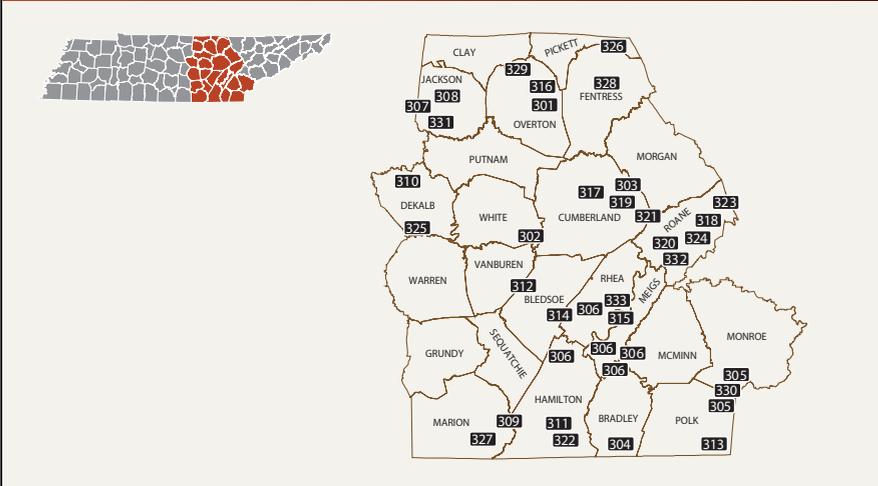
Deer (Gun) - One hunt: Nov. 12-15. Station quota: Genesis 1,000; Bicolor 1,000. One deer, buck only (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Oct. 31 - Nov. 1. Station quota: Genesis 100; Bicolor 100. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun) - One hunt: Dec. 3-6. Entire area open. One deer, buck only (bonus deer).

Wild Hog (Control Season - Dogs Permitted) - Dec. 9-13, Jan. 6-10 Entire area open. No limit, either sex.

WMA Region III



301-ALPINE MOUNTAIN

OVERTON COUNTY • 1,642 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.



Deer (archery) - Sept. 26 - Oct. 30, Nov. 2-6. Bag limit: same as statewide season.

Deer (muzzleloader) - Nov. 7-12. Bag limit: same as statewide season.

Deer (gun/archery) - Nov. 21 - Dec. 11. Bag limit: same as statewide season.

Deer (gun/archery) - Young Sportsman: Oct. 31 - Nov. 1. Bag limit: same as statewide season.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

BIG BOTTOM UNIT • SG, BG, HI

Unauthorized entry is prohibited between sunset and sunrise. Closed to all non-hunting activities during big game hunts. Hooved animal riding, bicycling, and OHV use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to quail hunting.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

302-BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE CENTENNIAL WILDERNESS

WHITE COUNTY • 15,454 ACRES
ON THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY LINE
6 MILES SOUTH OF HWY. 70S
JAMES DOUGLAS (931) 935-3280 • **SG, BG**

No ATVs, motorcycles or hooved animal riding permitted. Closed to all non-hunting activities during deer hunts. Closed to all non-hunting activities during spring turkey season until 12 noon CDT. Antlered deer must have a minimum of four (4) points on one antler or a 15 inch minimum outside spread on all hunts. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters.

Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to all hunting Mar. 1 through the fourth Friday in August, except during spring turkey and squirrel seasons. Small game hunting and dog training closed at sunset on the day before and during scheduled deer and turkey hunts. Closed to quail hunting.

Big Game

Same as statewide seasons, except deer season is closed Nov.13-20 and after Dec. 11.

303-CATOOSA

CUMBERLAND/MORGAN COUNTIES
79,740 ACRES
I-40 EXITS, PEAVINE, GENESIS
AND WESTEL ROADS
JIM LANE (931) 456-2479 • **SG, BG, HI**

Entire area open on all deer hunts. Catoosa WMA will be closed to all users Feb. 1 through last Friday in March except for walk-in small game hunting and trapping from Feb. 1 - last day of Feb. Guides prohibited on all hunts.



All participants in the hog control season must wear on the upper portion of their body and head a minimum of 500 square inches of daylight fluorescent orange, visible front and back. Participants may use any legal weapon and ammunition that is legal for taking Deer, Bear or Elk. Legal hours: One-half hour before sunrise to one half-hour after sunset. Checking stations open on Catoosa—all hogs must be transported whole to the checking stations for data collection.

Bullfrog - Apr. 1 - Sep. 1. No hunting during turkey hunts.



Turkey - Six hunts: Apr. 8-10, 12-14, 19-21, 22-24, 26-28, April 29 - May 1. One turkey per hunt, not to exceed four per season.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Apr. 16-17. One turkey (bonus bird).



Trapping - Dec. 15 - Feb. 28.



Firing Range (Genesis Checking Station) - Open daily except during deer archery hunts and turkey hunts. Daylight hours only. Permit required (See pg. 36).

Firing Ranges (Peavine Campground) - Open Apr. 1 - Jan. 31, except closed during deer archery hunts and turkey hunts. Daylight hours only. Permit required (See pg. 36).

304-CHARLOTTE ANN FINNELL NEAL

BRADLEY COUNTY • 495 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **SG,WF,BG**

Use of motorized vehicles prohibited.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Deer season closes Dec. 11. Archery equipment only for deer.

Small Game

Dec. 12 - last day of Feb., except as noted. Squirrel season open from last Saturday in Aug. to Sep. 25, and during spring squirrel season. Dogs are not permitted during spring squirrel season. Quail season ends Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

305-SOUTH CHEROKEE

ALONG THE TENNESSEE-NORTH CAROLINA STATE LINE SOUTH OF THE GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK • 250,000 ACRES
DAVID WHITEHEAD (423) 884-6767 • **BG**

Includes former Ocoee and Tellico Units. Bear reserves are closed to all big game hunting when the bear season (dogs permitted) is open on the South Cherokee. It is illegal to possess firearms with any breed of dog other than pointing breeds during daylight hours, excluding bear season, except as provided. Cherokee WMA Nonquota Big Game permit (Type 095, Type 167 or Type 094) or Sportsman License required to hunt the nonquota big game hunts. Some roads normally open to public travel may be closed from Dec. 15 - March 31. Wild hog may be taken during any deer or bear hunt with no limit. During gun and muzzleloader Big Game hunts all wild hog hunters must comply with the blaze orange requirements. A bear hunter who has filled the daily or seasonal limit may continue to carry a firearm and take wild hogs where incidental taking is allowed. Closed to all hunting Mar. 1 through the 4th Friday in Aug., except turkey season.



Same as statewide, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Small game hunters, except raccoon and opossum hunters, must wear 500 square inches of blaze orange

during big game muzzleloader and gun hunts.

Spring squirrel season is closed.

Small game hunting in bear reserves and party hunt area during scheduled party hunts prohibited one day before and during bear (dogs permitted) hunts.

The use and/or possession of any tracking device for squirrel dogs is prohibited. Squirrel hunters utilizing dogs are limited to a maximum of 2 dogs per vehicle.

Dogs permitted for squirrel hunting outside of Bear Reserves during bear dog hunts and Jan. 2 - last day of February.

Season open on groundhog, fox and skunk during any small game hunt with weapons legal for that small game hunt. Bobcat may be taken on any scheduled big game or small game hunt that coincides with the statewide bobcat season with weapon legal for that scheduled hunt. Beaver and coyote may be taken on any hunt with weapon legal for that hunt. Bobcat hunting with dogs is prohibited.



Deer/Bear (Archery) - One hunt: Sep. 19 - Oct. 1. One deer, either sex (bonus deer). One bear, either sex, outside of bear reserves.

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Oct. 26 - Nov. 1. One deer, buck only (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Oct. 17-18. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun) - Two hunts: Nov. 21-29, Dec. 14-28. Two deer, buck only (bonus deer).



Bear (Gun - Dogs Permitted) - Four hunts: Oct. 3-11, Nov. 2-6, Nov. 30 - Dec. 13, Dec. 29 - Jan. 1. One bear, either sex. Hunting confined to that area outside the Ocoee and Tellico Bear Reserves.

Bear Party-Dog Hunts (Gun - Dogs Permitted) - Four hunts: Oct. 3-4, Oct. 10-11, Nov. 2-3, Nov. 30 - Dec. 1. Quota party dog hunts, 75 permits per party. One party permitted in each of the following areas: Upper Tellico, Lower Tellico, Upper Bald River, and Lower Bald River. One

South Cherokee Bear Reserves

Ocoee Bear Reserve

The Cherokee Wildlife Management Area and private inholdings bounded on the north by Ocoee Lake and Ocoee River, on the south by the Tennessee/Georgia state line and on the east and west by the National Forest Boundary.

Tellico Bear Reserve

The Cherokee Wildlife Management Area in Monroe County that lies north of the Tellico-Robbinsville Road, east of Forest Service Road 35, south of Forest Service Road 26 and west of the ridge running from Farr Gap through Little Fodderstack to Big Fodderstack and following the North Carolina state line to the Tellico-Robbinsville Road.

For other bear reserves, see page 64.

Cherokee Party Hunt Compartments

Upper Tellico

The portion of the Tellico River drainage lying north of the Tellico River Road, south of the North River Road and west of the North Carolina line.

Lower Bald River

That portion of the Bald River and Tellico River drainages lying south of the Tellico River Road, and north of the Holly Flats Road.

Lower Tellico

That portion of the Tellico River drainage lying east of Turkey Creek, north of the Tellico River Road, west of the North Carolina state line, and south of the Tellico-Robbinsville Road.

Upper Bald River

That portion of the Bald River and Tellico River drainages lying south of the Tellico River road, south of the Holly Flats Road, and north of the North Carolina state line.

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

bear, either sex. Party-Dog Area closed during scheduled quota party-dog hunts.

Non-hunting juveniles under the age of 13 may accompany an adult hunter (18 years old or older) who has a valid party-hunt permit. Juveniles must also comply with all regulations specified for permitted hunters.



Opossum, Raccoon - Outside of Tellico and Ocoee Bear Reserves Nov. 7-19, Jan. 2 - last day of Feb. Inside Tellico and Ocoee Bear Reserves Jan. 2 - Feb. 1. Hunters are limited to a maximum of two dogs per vehicle. The only legal weapons on a raccoon hunt are .22 caliber short and long rifles.



Bear Dog Training Season - Sep. 9-18. No bears may be harvested. No weapons may be possessed. No training in bear reserves.



Turkey - Same as statewide spring turkey season.



Trapping - Jan. 1 - the last day in Feb.



Shooting ranges - Open daylight hours only (see page 36).

Safety Zone - On the Cherokee WMA, hunting or discharging a firearm is prohibited within 150 yards of a developed recreation area, campsite, residence, building, occupied area, across or on a National Forest system road. Contact the appropriate U.S. Forest Service office for more information.

Horseback riding - Horseback riding on properties owned by the U.S. Forest Service shall be the same as U.S. Forest Service regulations. Contact the U.S. Forest Service (423-476-9700). On those properties owned or leased by the TWRA, horseback riding is only allowed upon roads opened for vehicle travel. No riding off road into openings, fields, trails or through streams.



Dog Training - Dog training prohibited unless otherwise specified. The use or possession of any electronic tracking devices from Mar. 1 - Aug. 15 is illegal. Hunting of coyotes with dogs is prohibited.

306-CHICKAMAUGA

BRADLEY/HAMILTON/MCMINN/MEIGS/RHEA COUNTIES • 4,000 ACRES

SODDY AND SALE CREEK

GREG ATCHLEY (423) 693-6604 • SG, WF, BG



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to quail hunting. Deer hunting with archery equipment only. Archery hunters must comply with blaze orange requirements during the statewide deer gun or muzzleloader seasons. Shotguns loaded with No. 4 shot or smaller only (except waterfowl). Waterfowl hunting restricted to use of shotguns loaded with No. 2 shot or smaller.

COTTONPORT, WASHINGTON FERRY

BERNIE SWINEY (423) 365-9166 • SG, WF, BG

SHELTON BOTTOMS, MUD CREEK, NEW BETHAL, MOON ISLAND, GOODFIELD CREEK, GILLESPIE BEND, LEDFORD ISLAND, AGENCY CREEK, SUGAR CREEK, SOUTH MOUSE CREEK UNITS

ROB KLIPPEL (423) 693-6791 • SG, WF, BG



Same as statewide hunting and trapping seasons. No waterfowl hunters permitted on Units from two hours after legal shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day during the duck season(s). Closed to quail hunting.

CANDIES CREEK, JOHNSON BOTTOMS, ROGERS CREEK

JASON JACKSON (423) 614-3018 • SG, WF, BG

YELLOW CREEK UNITS

BERNIE SWINEY (423) 365-9166 • SG, WF, BG



Same as statewide seasons, except units closed to all forms of trespass including fishing, trapping and hunting for all species except waterfowl from the first opening day of the late duck season until the last day of the late duck season and on the day before and during the Youth Waterfowl hunts. Closed to quail hunting.



Waterfowl - Waterfowl hunting permitted on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday and the first and last day of the duck season. Waterfowl hunting ends at 3 p.m. Thursday and Friday only. No waterfowl hunters or other activities permitted on units from two hours after legal shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day during the duck seasons. Hunting is allowed only from registered blinds sites. Blind sites and hunting dates will be allocated through a computer drawing held in September. Quota application period runs from Sep. 9-30, 2015. Hunters selected for a blind site may bring up to four additional hunters. No more than five hunters per blind. No blind site may be hunted unless a hunter selected for that assigned blind site and date is present. Hunters may leave in place decoys and a temporary blind at their blind site during their assigned hunt date, but must remove all decoys at the end of their last hunt date. Young Sportsman hunters may hunt blind sites during the youth waterfowl season on a first come, first serve basis. Youth hunters during the youth waterfowl season must enter the hunting area only from established TWRA parking areas.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, except closed during late duck season.

307-CORDELL HULL

JACKSON/SMITH COUNTIES • 25,000 ACRES INCLUDES ALL PROPERTY POSTED AND PAINTED WITH CORPS OF ENGINEER AND/OR

TWRA SIGNS

GARY BLACK (931) 484-9571 • SG, WF, BG



Same as statewide seasons, except deer hunting ends on Dec. 11. Closed to quail hunting. Wheelchair-bound hunter zone open to wheelchair-bound hunters only.



Wheelchair-bound Hunter Only Zone - That area in the old "Corps of Engineers Roaring River Campground" area of Cordell Hull WMA (north of Hwy. 135, north of Roaring River, south and east of Hwy. 85 and west of Old Roaring River Iron Bridge Road).



Deer (Gun/Archery) - Wheelchair bound hunting zone, Nov. 21 - 22. Deer bag limit is two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer). Wheelchair-bound hunters only.



Turkey (Wheelchair-bound Hunter Only Zone) - Apr. 2 - May 15. Wheelchair-bound hunters only. Two turkeys, either sex (bonus bird).



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

DEFEATED CREEK UNIT

Same as statewide seasons except as noted. Closed to quail hunting. Archery equipment only for deer hunting. Shotguns only for small game hunting.

Defeated Creek Unit is that area of Defeated Creek that extends from the main river channel to the Corps of Engineers boundary along Defeated Creek excluding Defeated Creek Recreational Area.

308-CORDELL HULL REFUGE

JACKSON COUNTY • 600 ACRES NEAR GAINESBORO BETWEEN FREESTATE BRIDGE HWY 85A AND HWY 56 BRIDGE GARY BLACK (931) 484-9571 • SG, WF, BG

Public use including all forms of trespass and hunting is prohibited from Nov. 15 - last day of Feb., except as otherwise indicated. Public entry permitted while on the main river channel passing through the refuge. Fishing by boat allowed during refuge closure in marked river channel only.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Deer season is Sep. 28 - Nov. 1. All seasons closed during refuge closure dates including dog training. Closed to quail hunting.



Deer (Archery - Wheelchair-bound Hunter Only) - One hunt: Sep. 26-27. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).



Deer (Gun - Wheelchair-bound Hunter Only) - One hunt: Nov. 7-8. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, daylight hours only.

309-CUMMINGS COVE

HAMILTON/MARION COUNTIES • 1,200 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **SG, BG**

Access via Aetna Mountain Road. This is an unimproved dirt road with numerous washouts. Hazardous terrain, 4wd only.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

310-EDGAR EVINS STATE PARK

DEKALB COUNTY • 6,000 ACRES
ON CENTER HILL LAKE
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **BG**



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to spring squirrel hunting on north side of Center Hill Lake.



Deer (Safety Zone) (Archery) - One hunt: Oct. 14-15. Hunter quota 150. Bag limit two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer). Sign up for hand-held drawing will be from 8am - 12pm CST Sept. 9 at Park Office.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Same as statewide seasons, except closed on north side of Center Hill Lake.

311-ENTERPRISE SOUTH NATURE PARK

HAMILTON COUNTY • 1800 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE • (931) 484-9571 • **BG**

Hunters are required to check out big game at WMA check station when check station is in operation. Closed to hunting, trapping and dog training, except as noted.



Deer (Shotgun - Hunts for Warriors) - One hunt: Oct. 19-20. Hunter quota 15. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

312-FALL CREEK FALLS STATE PARK

BLEDSOE/VAN BUREN COUNTIES • 7,000 ACRES.
OFF HIGHWAY 30 BETWEEN PIKEVILLE AND SPENCER

REGION III OFFICE • (931) 484-9571 • **BG**

All hunters are required to register and obtain a free permit at the park headquarters (423) 881-5298. Dog training prohibited. Vehicle parking restricted to designated parking areas only during the hunting season. No parking allowed on roadside grass. All deer and turkey hunters must sign register at the horse stables before hunting. Coyotes may be taken on any hunt with weapons legal for that hunt.



Squirrel - Dec. 1 - last day of Feb. Shotguns only. Spring squirrel season is closed.



Deer (Archery) - Four hunts: Nov. 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, Dec. 18-20. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer). One turkey either sex.

Deer (Jim Hall Hunts for Warriors - Shotgun/ Muzzleloader - Golf Course Zone) - One hunt: Dec. 1-2. Hunter quota 15. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).



Turkey (Archery) - One hunt: Apr. 2-10. One turkey per day, not to exceed two turkeys (bonus bird).

313-FOURTH FRACTIONAL TOWNSHIP

POLK COUNTY • 1,107 ACRES
NEAR COPPER HILL
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **NP**

Use of motorized vehicles prohibited.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Archery equipment only for big game. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during muzzleloader and gun seasons. Beagles and pointing breeds only. Dogs not permitted during spring squirrel season.

Small game hunting with shotguns only, using No. 6 shot or smaller.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Beagles and pointing breeds only. No dog training allowed during spring turkey season.

314-HARP

BLEDSOE COUNTY • 285 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571



Same as statewide seasons.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

315-HIWASSEE REFUGE

MEIGS/RHEA COUNTIES • 2,500 ACRES
ON CHICKAMAUGA RESERVOIR
JASON JACKSON (423) 614-3018 • **SG, WF, BG**

Refuge is closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 through the last day of Feb., except the wildlife viewing area is open year-round. During refuge closure, public entry and fishing is permitted while on the main river channel passing through the refuge. Beaver and coyotes may be taken on any scheduled big game or small game hunt that coincides with the statewide bobcat season with hunting implements legal for that scheduled hunt. Season open on groundhog, fox and skunk during any scheduled small game hunt. All seasons closed during refuge closure date unless otherwise indicated. Nontoxic shot approved by the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service is required for small game hunting. Small game hunting and dog training is closed at sunset on the day before and during scheduled big game hunts, unless special exception is indicated.



Dove - Sep. 1, 12. Noon to sunset only. No access permitted by boat.

Dove (Youth) - Sep. 5. Noon to sunset only. No access permitted by boat.



Squirrel - Same as statewide seasons except as noted.



Rabbit - Nov. 2-14. Bag limit of three per day.



Opossum, Raccoon - Sep. 8 - Nov. 7. Hunting will be limited to Tuesday and Wednesday nights only.



Canada Goose - Sep. 1-15. No goose hunters permitted on refuge from two hours after shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day.



Wood Duck, Teal - Same as Sep. Wood Duck/Teal season. No duck hunters permitted on the refuge from two hours after shooting hours have ended until 4 a.m. the following day.



Deer (Shotgun - Muzzleloader)(Young-Sportsman) - One hunt: Sep. 19-20. Hunter quota 100. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Archery) - One hunt: Sep. 25-27. Hunter quota 200. Two deer no more than one antlered, one turkey either sex. (bonus deer).

Deer (Archery) - One hunt: Oct. 9-11. Two deer, no more than one antlered, one turkey either sex. (bonus deer).

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Oct. 23-25. Hunter quota 150. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Oct. 30 - Nov. 1. Hunter quota 150. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).



Turkey - Same as statewide spring turkey season.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, daylight hours only.

Retriever Dog Field Trials - Pre-approved by Area Manager at least 30 days in advance of trial dates.

316-JACKSON SWAMP

OVERTON COUNTY • 203 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • SG, WF, BG



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to quail hunting.



Dove - Sep. 1 by hand-held drawing. Drawing to be conducted on Aug. 29 at Independence Community Center. Drawing sign-up begins at 5 p.m. local time. Drawing will be held at 6 p.m. local time.

Dove - Sep. 2 through remainder of statewide season, same as statewide regulations.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

317-KEYES-HARRISON

CUMBERLAND COUNTY • 1,740 ACRES
JIM LANE (931) 456-2479 • SG, BG, HI

Hooved animal riding, bicycling and Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Dogs are not permitted during the spring squirrel season. Closed to quail hunting.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

318-KINGSTON REFUGE

ROANE COUNTY • 300 ACRES
ROB KLIPPEL (423) 693-6791 • BG

Closed to hunting, trapping and dog training.

319-LUPER MOUNTAIN

CUMBERLAND COUNTY • 2,070 ACRES

JIM LANE (931) 456-2479 • SG, BG, HI

Hooved animal riding, bicycling and Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Dogs are not permitted during the spring squirrel season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

320-MCGLOTHIN-LARGEN

ROANE COUNTY • 112 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571

Use of motorized vehicles prohibited.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Deer season closes Dec. 11. Archery equipment only for deer. Waterfowl season closed for Sept. wood duck, teal, and Canada goose seasons.



Rabbit - Dec. 12 to last day of Feb. on Saturday and Sunday only. Bag limit of three per day.



Squirrel - Last Saturday in Aug. to Sep. 25, Dec. 12 to last day of Feb. and during spring squirrel season except as noted. Shotguns with No. 6 shot or smaller only.



Dove - Sep. 1, 5. Noon to sunset only on Sep. 1.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15. Beagles and pointing breeds only.

321-MT. ROOSEVELT

CUMBERLAND/ROANE/MORGAN COUNTIES • 11,000 ACRES
JIM LANE (931) 456-2479 • SG, BG, HI

Closed to all non-hunting activities during big game hunts. Hooved animal riding, bicycling and Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit.



Same as statewide season except as noted. Closed to September Archery Bear Season. Dogs are not permitted during spring squirrel season.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Deer - same as statewide Unit A deer season. Closed to special antlerless deer hunts.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

322-NORTH CHICKAMAUGA CREEK

HAMILTON COUNTY • 5,400 ACRES
GREG ATCHLEY (423) 693-6604 • SG, WF, BG

HIXSON, ROGERS, SUTTON, THRASHER BOTTOMS, VANDERGRIF AND VARNER UNITS.

No motorized vehicles outside parking areas. Units closed after sunset except to opossum and raccoon hunters. Trespass prohibited by non-hunters on hunt days. Hixson, Rogers, Varner and Vandergriff Units closed to all forms of trespass except hunting and trapping during the late waterfowl seasons.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. All hunting ends on Jan. 31, except spring squirrel season and spring turkey season.

Hunting only allowed on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, unless exception is indicated.

Shotguns loaded with No. 4 shot or smaller only (except waterfowl).

Closed to quail hunting.

Bag limit for rabbits is three per day.

Hixson, Rogers, Vandergriff and Varner Units closed to all forms of trespass except hunting and trapping during the late waterfowl seasons.



Dove - Sep. 1 and every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of the statewide dove season.

Dove hunting from noon to sunset only. No dove hunters or dove hunting equipment on dove fields prior to 7 a.m. on opening day of the first segment on the dove season.



Deer - hunting with archery equipment only. Archery hunters must comply with blaze orange requirements during the statewide deer gun and muzzleloader seasons.



Turkey - hunting ends at noon each day.



Waterfowl - Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and the first and last day of the statewide season and the youth waterfowl season. Shotguns loaded with No. 2 shot or smaller. Waterfowl hunting ends at noon each day, including the youth waterfowl season. Hunting from temporary blinds only. No blinds, blind materials, boats, or decoys may be left overnight.



Deer (Archery - Wheelchair-bound Hunter Only - Varner Unit Wheelchair Accessible Blind Site Only) - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Hunting only allowed on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. To reserve blind call the Region 3 office.



Turkey (Wheelchair-bound Hunter Only - Varner Unit Wheelchair Accessible Blind Site Only) - Same as statewide season, except as noted. Hunting only allowed on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Turkey hunting ends at noon each day. Shotguns loaded with No. 4 shot or smaller only. To reserve blind call the Region 3 office.



Waterfowl (Wheelchair-bound Hunter Only - Varner Unit Wheelchair Accessible Blind Site Only) - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Hunting only allowed on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Hunting ends at noon each day. Waterfowl hunting restricted to use of shotguns loaded with No. 2 shot or smaller. To reserve blind call the Region 3 office.



Trapping - Friday before Thanksgiving - Jan. 31. Traps must be checked each day.



Dog Training (all breeds) - Sep. 1 - Jan. 31. Hixson, Rogers, Varner and Vandergriff Units closed to dog training from the first opening day of the late duck season until the end of duck season.

PATTON UNIT • SG, WF, BG, HI

Possession of alcoholic beverages prohibited. Hooved animal riding, bicycling and Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Conservation Permit.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

323-OAK RIDGE

ROANE/ANDERSON COUNTIES • 37,000 ACRES
JIM EVANS (865) 576-2380 • **SG, WF, BG**

Shotguns, muzzleloading rifles and archery equipment only. On big game quota hunts and on approved scouting days for all areas, except Tower Shielding and Chestnut Ridge/Park City Road, a non-hunting juvenile under the age of 16 may accompany an adult hunter (21 years old or older) who has a valid Oak Ridge WMA quota permit. However, these non-hunting juveniles may not accompany hunters into any area requiring entry through a Security Portal or Security Police Officer Check Point (e.g. Tower Shielding Facility, Chestnut Ridge/Park City Road or any badged-only hunting areas). During deer hunts, non-hunting juveniles must also comply with blaze orange regulations specified for legal hunters. No boat access during deer hunts except to access Haw Ridge Park. Boat access only for waterfowl hunters accessing Solway and Freels Bend on or during the designated Sept. and Oct. hunting dates. Hunters must carry, at all times, hunting license and permit, valid picture identification (youth excluded), and signed current hunt map.

During Oct., Nov., and Dec. big game hunts all hunters must wear daylight fluorescent orange (blaze orange) including archery hunters in the Archers-Only Zones. Dog training prohibited. Hunters are required to check out big game and coyotes at WMA check station. Coyotes may be taken on any hunt with weapons legal for that hunt.



Deer (Shotgun/Muzzleloader - Gun Zones Only) - Three hunts: Oct. 31-Nov. 1, Nov. 14-15, Dec. 12-13. Hunter quota 450. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Archery - Archery Zone) - Three hunts: Oct. 31-Nov. 1, Nov. 14-15, Dec. 12-13. Hunter quota 600. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer). One turkey, either sex.

Scouting dates: 7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Oct. 24 for the Oct. 31-Nov. 1 permit holders; Nov. 7 for the Nov. 14-15 permit holders; Dec. 5 for the Dec. 12-13 holders Haw Ridge Park will not be open for scouting on Oct. 24.



Waterfowl - One half hour before sunrise to noon - hunting on Solway Frills Bend only from the shoreline to Solway Bend Farm Road and from the shoreline to Frills Bend Farm Road. Access by boat from Melton Hill Reservoir only. Hunting from temporary blinds only.

Canada Goose - Sep. 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, and Oct. 10, 11, 17, 18.

Wood Duck/Teal - Sep. 12-13.



Turkey - Two hunts: Apr. 9-10, 16-17. Hunter quota 225. One turkey (bonus bird). Hunting ends at noon daily. Successful hunters must be at the check station by 1 p.m.

Turkey scouting date: 7 a.m. to noon EST Apr. 2 for the Apr. 9-10 and Apr. 16-17 permit holders and approved youths only.

All listed times are Eastern Daylight Savings Time or Eastern Standard Time.

324-PAINT ROCK

ROANE COUNTY • 1,600 ACRES
ON WATTS BAR LAKE
ROB KLIPPEL (423) 693-6791 • **SG, BG**



Same as statewide, except as noted. Archery equipment only for deer. Archers must comply with legal blaze orange requirements during muzzleloader and gun seasons. Shotguns only for small game.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15

325-PEA RIDGE

DEKALB COUNTY • 1,958 ACRES

REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **SG, BG, HI**

Hooved animal riding, bicycling and Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Conservation Permit.



Same as statewide Unit A seasons, except as noted. Closed to quail hunting.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

326-PICKETT STATE FOREST

PICKETT COUNTY • 11,000 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **NP**



Same as statewide seasons.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

327-PRENTICE COOPER STATE FOREST

MARION COUNTY • 24,000 ACRES
ON HWY. 27, 5 MILES EAST OF
POWELL'S CROSSROADS
CLINT SMITH (423) 658-0298 • **SG, BG**

Unauthorized entry or presence is prohibited between sunset and sunrise. Organized competition events for motorized vehicles is prohibited. The maximum noise limit for all motorized vehicles is 86 dBA, as measured 50 feet from the exhaust, except as otherwise permitted. The maximum speed limit is 25 mph or less if otherwise posted. All side roads and trails will be closed to motorized vehicles Dec. 20 - Mar. 15. Big game hunters are required to check out big game at the WMA check station when station is in operation. Closed to all hunting Mar. 1 - the fourth Friday in August, except during spring turkey and spring squirrel seasons.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Small game hunting and dog training will close at sunset the day before and during scheduled big game hunts unless otherwise indicated.

Closed to quail hunting.



Fox, Opossum, Raccoon - 3rd Friday in Oct. - Jan. 31, except hunting will be limited to Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights only. Bag limit is one per party per night.



Deer (Archery) - One hunt: Sep. 19-21. Hunter quota 400. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Archery) - One hunt: Sep. 22-25. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer). No area checking station operated.

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

Deer (Muzzleloader) - Two hunts: Oct. 8-10, 29-31. Hunter quota 250. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Oct. 24-25. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun) - One hunt: Nov. 6-8. One deer, buck only (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun) - One hunt: Nov. 28 - Dec 3. Two deer, buck only (bonus deer).

 **Turkey** - Six hunts: Apr. 5-7, 8-10, 13-15, 21-23, 26-28, Apr. 29 - May 1. One turkey per day, not to exceed the statewide bag limit.

 **Trapping** - Dec. 15-27.

 **Dog Training** - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

 **Firing Range** - Open Thursday, Friday, Saturdays only, during daylight hours. Closed during big game hunts. Permit required (see page 36).

328-SKINNER MOUNTAIN

FENTRESS COUNTY • 4,193 ACRES
REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **SG, BG, HI**

Hooved animal riding, bicycling and Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use permitted only by individuals possessing a valid hunting and fishing license and WMA permit or a High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit. OHVs permitted from the fourth Saturday in August through the spring squirrel season.

Same as statewide seasons. Trapping and small game hunting closes at sunset the day before hog control season. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Wild Hog (Control Season - Dogs Permitted) - Jan. 15-17. No limit, either sex. Only authorized participants allowed on the area during the Wild Hog Control Season.

All participants in the hog control season must wear on the upper portion of their body and head a minimum of 500 square inches of blaze orange, visible front and back.

Participants may use any legal weapon and ammunition that is legal for taking Deer, Bear or Elk.

Legal hours - One half-hour before sunrise and to one half-hour after sunset.

 **Dog Training** - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

329-STANDING STONE STATE FOREST

OVERTON COUNTY • 8,764 ACRES

REGION III OFFICE (931) 484-9571 • **NP**

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

 **Deer** - Closed to special season antlerless season. Buck only during statewide muzzleloader seasons. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters.

 **Dog Training** - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

330-TELLICO LAKE

MONROE AND LOUDON COUNTY • 8,000 ACRES
DAVID WHITEHEAD (423) 884-6767 • **SG, BG**

Field Trial Permit required.

Same as statewide season, except as noted. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters. No blinds or decoys left overnight.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

WEAR'S BEND UNIT - (THAT PORTION OF TELLICO RESERVOIR DEVELOPMENT AGENCY INDUSTRIAL PARK AT LTRM 18.0 ON THE NORTH SIDE OF TELLICO RESERVOIR)

Same as statewide season, except as noted. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer hunt by legal deer hunters. Closed to special season antlerless hunts. No blinds or decoys left overnight.

 **Quail** - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

TELLICO WEST UNIT - (THAT PORTION OF TELLICO RESERVOIR DEVELOPMENT AGENCY INDUSTRIAL PARK AT LTRM 18.0 ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF TELLICO RESERVOIR)

 **Deer (Archery)** - Four hunts: Sep. 19-20, Oct. 17-18, Nov. 14-15, Dec. 19-20. Hunter quota 30 each hunt. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer).

 **Turkey (Young Sportsman)** - One hunt: Mar. 26-27. Hunter quota 5. One turkey (bonus bird).

MCGHEE-CARSON UNIT - (THAT PENINSULA OF FT. LOUDOUN STATE HISTORIC PARK AT LTRM 21.0)

All small game hunting is for Young Sportsman (ages 6 - 16 only). For all hunting, youths must be accompanied by a licensed adult, 21 years of age or older, who may not hunt or carry hunting devices. Each adult must possess a valid hunting license and area permit.

 **Dove** - Sep. 7, opens at noon.

  **Rabbit, Squirrel** - Nov. 28-29, Dec. 19-20, 26-27, Jan. 2-3, 9-10. Bag limit 3 rabbits per day. Shotguns only.

 **Deer (Shotgun only - Young-Sportsman)** - One hunt: Dec. 12. Hunter quota 35. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).

 **Turkey (Young Sportsman)** - One hunt: Mar. 26-27. Hunter quota 5. One turkey (bonus bird).

 **Dog Training** - Closed during field trials and big game hunts. Daylight hours only.

Dog Field Trials - Field Trial Permit Required. Sep. 1-Apr. 30. Trials must be scheduled with Area Manager and special field trial permit must be obtained from the TWRA Region III Office at least 30 days before trial dates. Field trial gallery - must be kept out of standing or planted crops by marshals provided by sponsoring clubs. Horses permitted during dog training and field trials.

CHOTA REFUGE UNIT - (THAT PORTION FROM LTRM 26.0 UPSTREAM TO THE HIWASSEE - ALCOA POWERLINE AT LTRM 29.7)

Same as statewide, except as noted. Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 through last day of Feb., except in designated observation areas. Wild hogs may be taken during any deer or bear hunt by legal deer or bear hunters. All seasons closed during the refuge closure dates. Steel shot is required for doves.

No deer hunting Oct. 31 - Nov. 6.

Nontoxic shot approved by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service required for small game hunting as posted.

  **Rabbit, Quail** - Oct. 31- Nov. 6.

 **Dog Training** - Mar. 1 - Oct. 31.

Dog Field Trials - Mar. 1 - Oct. 31. Field Trial Permit Required. Trials must be scheduled with Area Manager and special field trial permit must be obtained from the TWRA Region III Office at least 30 days before trial dates.

331-THE BOILS

JACKSON COUNTY • 119 ACRES
REGION III • (931) 484-9571 • **SG, WF, BG**

Use of motorized vehicles prohibited.

Same as statewide seasons, except closed to quail hunting.

 **Dog Training** - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.



332-WATTS BAR

ROANE COUNTY • 3,880 ACRES
PRIMARYLY ON ISLANDS AND ACCESS
AREAS ON WATTS BAR LAKE
ROB KLIPPEL
(423) 693-6791 • **SG, WF, BG**

Big Game Small Game 

Same as statewide season, except as noted. Waterfowl hunting allowed from temporary blinds only. No blinds, blind materials, boats, or decoys may be left overnight.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15.

IRON HILL ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, AND THIEF NECK ISLAND UNITS

Big Game Small Game 

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Archery equipment only for deer except juveniles may use shotguns or muzzleloaders during statewide Young Sportsman hunts. Centerfire rifles prohibited. Small Game hunting is Shotgun-Archery only. Small game hunting and dog training closed at sunset on the day before and during scheduled deer and turkey hunts on Thief Neck Island Unit.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.



Same as statewide season, except no trapping during the duck season on the Long Island Unit.

333-YUCHI REFUGE

RHEA COUNTY • 2,364 ACRES
BERNIE SWINEY (423) 365-9166 • **SG, WF, BG**

Non-toxic shot only in Wetland Zone. Wetland Zone closed to all forms of public use, including all forms of trespass, from Nov. 15 - the last day of Feb. No boat access. No ATV, ORV, or horseback riding permitted.

On big game quota hunts, one non-hunting juvenile under the age of 16 may accompany an adult hunter (18 years or older) who has a valid WMA quota permit. During deer gun hunts, non-hunting juveniles must also comply with blaze orange regulations specified for legal hunters. Hunters required to check out big game at WMA check station when check station is in operation.

Small Game 

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Closed to quail hunting. Small game seasons closed in Wetland Zone from Nov. 15 - last day of Feb. Small game hunting closes at sunset the day before and during scheduled big game hunts.



Dove (Young Sportsman) - Sep. 1.

Dove - Sep. 5 until end of first segment.



Raccoon, Opossum - Same as statewide seasons, except closed after Nov. 14. Hunting permitted on Tuesday and Wednesday only, sunset to sunrise. Bag limit on raccoons, one per party per night. No limit on opossums. All dogs must be removed from the area prior to sunrise on Thursday.



Rabbit - Nov. 2 - last day of Feb. Bag limit on rabbits is three per day.

Deer - Antlered deer must have a minimum of 4 points on one antler or a 15-inch minimum outside antler spread on all hunts.



Deer, Turkey (Archery) - Two hunts: Sep. 26-27, Oct. 10-11. Hunter quota 100 each hunt. Two deer, no more than one antlered (bonus deer). One turkey, either sex.



Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - Two hunts: Oct. 3-4, 24-25. Hunter quota 75 each hunt. Two deer, only one antlered (bonus deer).

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Oct. 17-18. Hunter quota 50. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).

Deer (Gun) - One hunt: Oct. 31-Nov. 1. Hunter quota 50. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).



Deer (Wheelchair-bound Only) - One hunt: Nov. 7-8. One deer, either sex (bonus deer).



Turkey - Five hunts: Apr. 8-10, 15-17, 22-24, 26-28, May 3-5. Hunter quota 10. One turkey (bonus bird). Hunting ends at noon. Walk-in only.

Turkey (Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Mar. 18-20. Hunter quota 10. One turkey either sex (bonus bird). Hunting ends at noon. Walk-in only.



Turkey (Wheelchair-bound Only) - One hunt: April 1-3. One turkey, either sex (bonus bird). Hunting ends at noon.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15 in Upland Zone. Sep. 1 - Nov. 14 and Mar. 1-15 in Wetland Zone. Daylight hours only. No fox or coyote chasing. No dog training one day before and during scheduled big game hunts.

Retriever Dog Field Trials - Pre-approved by Area Manager at least 30 days in advance of trial dates.



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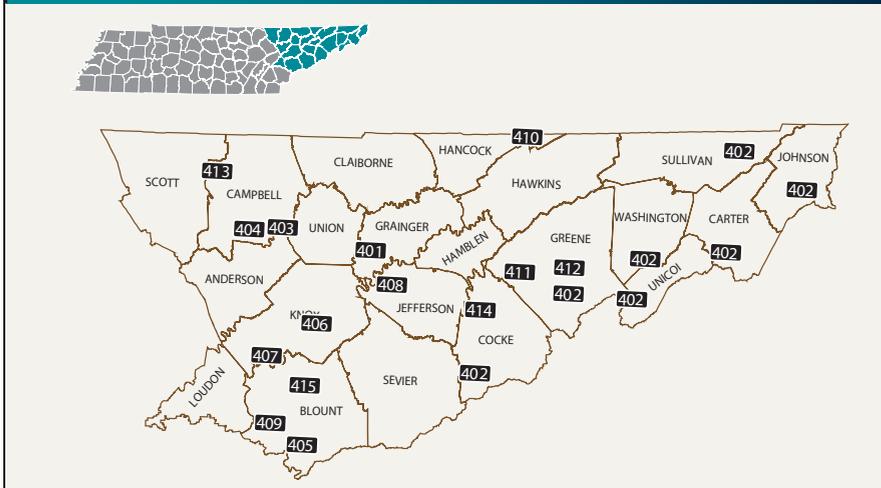
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WMA Region IV



401- BUFFALO SPRINGS

GRAINGER COUNTY • 342 ACRES
SCOTT DYKES (423) 587-7037 • **SG, BG**

Waterfall parking area closed one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise.

Use or possession of alcohol is prohibited in the waterfall area.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Quail hunting closed. Quail dog training only during statewide quail season.

Cherokee WMA Nonquota Big Game permit (Type 095, Type 167 or Type 094) or Sportsman License required to hunt the nonquota big game hunts. Some roads normally open to public travel may be closed from Dec. 15–March 31.



Shooting ranges - Open daylight hours only (see page 36).

Safety Zone - On the Cherokee WMA, hunting or discharging a firearm is prohibited within 150 yards of a developed recreation area, campsite, residence, building, occupied area, across or on a National Forest system road. Contact the appropriate U.S. Forest Service office for more information.

Horseback riding - Horseback riding on properties owned by the U.S. Forest Service shall be the same as U.S. Forest Service regulations. Contact the U.S. Forest Service (423-476-9700). On those properties owned or leased by the TWRA, horseback riding is only allowed upon roads opened for vehicle travel. No riding off road into openings, fields, trails or through streams.

Dog Training - Dog training prohibited unless otherwise specified. The use or possession of any electronic tracking devices from Mar. 1 - Aug. 15 is illegal.

On property owned or leased by the TWRA, ATV and OHV operation is prohibited.

Only pointing breed dogs are permitted in the bear reserve one day before and during bear hunts.

Wild hogs may be taken on any big game hunt with the weapon legal for that hunt, except wild hogs may not be taken in the bear reserves during bear season.



Dove, Grouse, Quail, Rabbit, Snipe, Squirrel, Trapping - Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Small game hunters (except raccoon and opossum hunters between sunset and sunrise) must wear 500 square inches of blaze orange during big game muzzleloader and gun hunts.

Beaver and coyote may be taken on any hunt with weapon legal for that hunt.

Groundhog, fox and skunk may be taken on any small game hunt with weapon legal for that hunt. Fox closed in Washington County.

Bobcat may be taken on any scheduled big game or small game hunt that coincides with the statewide bobcat season with weapons legal for the scheduled hunt. No dogs allowed.

Spring squirrel season is closed.



Deer, Turkey - Same as statewide seasons, except closed to special county antlerless hunts.



Opossum, Raccoon - Oct. 9 - last day in Feb. Season closed Oct. 9-25, Nov. 2-6, Nov. 21-24, Nov. 30-Dec. 19 in all bear reserves.



Bear - Same as statewide season, except closed Sept. 26 - Oct. 9.



Bear Dog Training Season - Sep. 3-28. No bears may be harvested. No weapons may be possessed. No training in bear reserves.

402- NORTH CHEROKEE

ALONG THE TENNESSEE-NORTH CAROLINA STATE LINE NORTH OF THE GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK
REGION IV OFFICE (423) 587-7037 • **BG**

North Cherokee Bear Reserves

Bear hunting is not permitted in the following bear reserves unless a special exception is provided by proclamation.

Andrew Johnson Bear Reserve

The Cherokee Wildlife Management Area and private inholdings lying southwest of Hwy. 70, east of Hwy. 107 and north of Hwys. 25-70.

Kettlefoot Bear Reserve

The Cherokee Wildlife Management area and private inholdings lying north of Hwy 421, east of South Holston Lake, south of the Tennessee-Virginia line, and west of Hwy. 91.

Laurel Fork Bear Reserve

The Cherokee Wildlife Management area and private inholdings lying south of Hwy. 321, west of Poga Road, west of the Tennessee-North Carolina line, and north of HWY. 19 E.

Unicoi Bear Reserve

The Cherokee Wildlife Management Area lying west of U.S. Hwy. 23, and the Devils Fork Road, north of the Tennessee/North Carolina state line, east of the Horse Creek Road to Hwy. 107 and south of Hwy. 107 to Erwin.

For other bear reserves, see page 57.

403-CHUCK SWAN STATE FOREST

UNION/CAMPBELL COUNTIES • 24,444 ACRES
NEAR MAYNARDVILLE
DUSTIN MCCUBBINS (865) 278-3248 • **SG, BG**

Deer driving, loud noises, and harassment on all deer hunts is prohibited. Entering the WMA from Norris Lake during the deer and turkey hunts is prohibited. Guides prohibited on all hunts. Horses, ATVs, bicycles, non-licensed passenger vehicles and motorcycles are prohibited on the main

forest road. The main forest road is defined as the road beginning at the Big Game check station and ending at the intersection of the Back Valley, Forks of the River, and Big Loop roads. ORV, horseback riding, bicycles, and all other vehicles are restricted to roads marked "open to vehicular traffic." A licensed vehicle is defined as a vehicle that is tagged, registered and insured and it legal to operate on county, state and federal highways. Speed limit is 25 mph. Organized competition events for motorized/non-motorized vehicles prohibited. Maximum noise limit of 86 dBs for all motorized vehicles as measured at 50 feet from the exhaust.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Waterfowl hunting is closed as posted. Closed to hunting Mar. 1 - the fourth Friday in August, except for Spring Turkey and Spring Squirrel hunting. Small game hunting will close at sunset the day before and during scheduled big game hunts unless otherwise specified. Closed to quail hunting.

Beaver and coyote may be taken on any hunt with weapon legal for that hunt.

Groundhog, fox and skunk may be taken on any small game hunt with weapon legal for that hunt.

Bobcat may be taken on any scheduled big game or small game hunt that coincides with the statewide bobcat season with weapons legal for the scheduled hunt.

Raccoon - Seven 1-night hunts. Nov. 8-14. Hunters must check out by 1 a.m. All raccoons must be checked out. One raccoon per party. A party is defined as all the occupants of a single vehicle.

Coyote - Jun. 6 - Aug. 14, 2016. Centerfire allowed. Free permit required. Call Dustin McCubbins (865) 278-3248

Deer (Archery) - One hunt: Oct. 16-17. Hunter quota 400. One deer, either sex. Deer counts toward statewide bag.

Deer (Gun - Young Sportsman) - One hunt: Oct. 24-25. Hunter quota 200. One deer, either sex. Deer counts toward statewide bag.

Deer (Gun) - Two hunts: Dec. 4-5, 11-12. Hunter quota 650. One deer, buck only. Deer counts toward statewide bag.

Deer (Muzzleloader) - One hunt: Nov. 27-28. Hunter quota 650. One deer, buck only. Deer counts toward statewide bag.

Turkey - Five hunts: Mar. 24-26, Mar. 31-Apr. 2, 7-9, 14-16, 21-23. Hunter quota 150. One turkey per hunt (bonus bird). Hunting ends at noon each day. Hunter must sign in and out at check station and be out by 1 p.m.

Trapping - Jan. 4 - Feb. 29. No raccoons. Quota is one party per compartment. Trappers must apply at WMA office. No snares or conibear traps. Trappers must report catch annually.

Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15, daylight hours only. Pointing breed dogs prohibited.

Range open Thursday and Friday from noon to sunset and Saturday and Sunday from sunrise to sunset. Closed during all big game quota hunts. No buckshot allowed on range. Permit required for range.

404-COVE CREEK

CAMPBELL COUNTY • 2,450 ACRES
JOE ELKINS, KEITH THOMAS (423) 566-8557
SG, BG



Same as statewide seasons.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

405-FOOTHILLS

BLOUNT COUNTY • 11,000 ACRES
GPS: 35 36.766 BY 084 02.216 W
BILL SMITH (865) 856-9711 • SG, BG

Motorized vehicles and horseback riding prohibited. The use of and/or possession of any tracking device for dogs from Mar. 1 to Aug. 31 is not permitted.

Blaze orange required by small game hunters during big game muzzleloader and gun hunts (excluding spring turkey).

Wild hogs may be taken during any hunt with legal hunt devices for that hunt.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

Closed to hunting Mar. 1st through 4th Friday in Aug., except for spring turkey. Closed to quail hunting and dog training.

Opossum, Raccoon - Jan. 1 - Feb. 28.

406-FORKS OF THE RIVER

KNOX COUNTY • 648 ACRES
EAST OF KNOXVILLE
GPS: 35.952572 N BY 83.858632 W
BILL SMITH (865) 856-9711 • SG, BG, HI

All trails on the area used for bicycling require the High Impact Conservation Permit, except the Will Skelton Greenway and Whaley Trail (formerly known as Auggies Run and Bluff Trail) to the Burnett Creek parking area. Will Skelton Greenway and Whaley Trail is open year round. From Sept. 6

- Feb. 29, area closed to non-hunters except as noted. On Sat. and Sun., area closed to non-hunters until noon, except as noted. During Spring Turkey season (Apr. 2 - May 15), area closed to non-hunters till noon, except as noted.

Shotguns, Muzzleloader and Archery equipment only.

Area closed one hour after sunset to one hour before sunrise, except for raccoon and opossum hunters and scheduled events.

Paintball guns and accessories prohibited.

All animals accompanied by a non-hunting person are required to be leashed.

Hooved animal riding and OHV riding is prohibited.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted.

All hunting is closed from Mar. 1 through 4th Friday in Aug., except for spring squirrel and spring turkey season.

The early September waterfowl seasons are closed.

Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15.

Dove - Sep. 1, 5 and the remainder of the statewide season. Designated youth field closed until Sep. 5.

Dove (Youth/Adult) - Youth/Adult field will be open Sep. 5 to youths who must be accompanied by a licensed adult who may also hunt this field. The field will be opened to all hunters beginning on Sep. 6.

Pigeon is open with dove season.

Falconry and Crow - Opens Sept. 12 and runs concurrent with statewide season.

407-FORT LOUDOUN

KNOX COUNTY • 492 ACRES
LANDS OWNED BY THE TVA AND PUBLIC WATERS OF FORT LOUDOUN RESERVOIR BETWEEN TRM 638.5 AND TRM 649.5 AS POSTED REGION IV OFFICE (423) 587-7037 • NP

Closed to dog training.

Waterfowl - Same as statewide seasons, except open only on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, one-half hour before sunrise until noon. Size BBB or smaller required.

408-HENDERSON ISLAND REFUGE

JEFFERSON COUNTY • 525 ACRES
ON DOUGLAS RESERVOIR BETWEEN RIVER MILES 42 AND 44
DAVID SAMS (423) 235-4882 • SG, BG

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - last day of Feb. except as

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

otherwise indicated. Public entry and fishing permitted while in the main river channel passing through the refuge. Horses prohibited. Nontoxic shot approved by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service required for small game hunting as posted. All small game hunting is Youth/Adult only. Youths must be accompanied by a licensed adult, age 21 years or older, who may also hunt. Blaze orange required by small game hunters during big game muzzleloader and gun hunts (excluding spring turkey).

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. All small game hunting and dog training, excluding raccoon and opossum, closes at 4 pm. Quail season is closed.



Rabbit - Nov. 1 - 14.



Dog Training - Rabbit and Quail - Oct. 1-Nov. 14. All other: Mar. 1 - Oct. 31.

409-KYKER BOTTOMS REFUGE

BLOUNT COUNTY • 525 ACRES
GPS: 35.602180 BY 84.122143 W
BILL SMITH (865) 856-9711 • **SG, BG**

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - last day of Feb. except in designated observation areas. Nontoxic shot approved by the US Fish and Wildlife Service required for small game hunting as posted.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. All small game hunting is Youth/Adult only. Youths must be accompanied by a licensed adult, age 21 years or older, who may also hunt. Blaze orange is required by small game hunters during big game muzzleloader and gun hunts (excluding spring turkey).

Deer hunting is open during archery and youth only. Wild hogs may be taken on any deer and turkey hunt with hunting devices legal for those hunts.

Turkey is Youth/Adult only. Open Friday-Sunday only. Youth must be accompanied by a licensed adult, age 21 years or older, who may also hunt.



Rabbit, Quail - Nov. 1-14. Quail bag limit 2/day, rabbit and quail hunting closes at 4 p.m.



Raccoon - Sep. 11-12, 18-19.



Dog training - Rabbit and Quail - Oct. 1 - Oct. 31.

410-KYLES FORD

HANCOCK/HAWKINS COUNTY • 1,000 ACRES
DAVID SAMS (423) 235-4882 • **SG, BG**

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. All small game hunting and dog training excluding raccoon/opossum closes at 4pm. Blaze orange is required by small game hunters during big game muzzleloader and gun hunts (excluding spring turkey).



Quail - Open to dog training only. Quail dog training open only during quail season.



Rabbit Dog Training - Oct. 1-31.

411-LICK CREEK BOTTOMS

GREENE COUNTY • 1,400 ACRES
DAVID SAMS (423) 235-4882 • **SG, WF, BG**

Nontoxic shot approved by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service required for small game (including dove) hunting.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. All small game hunting and dog training (excluding raccoon and opossum) closes at 4 p.m. Blaze orange required by small game hunters during big game muzzleloader and gun hunts (excluding spring turkey).



Quail - Open to training only. Training open only during the statewide quail season.



Rabbit Dog Training - Oct. 1 - Oct. 31.



Dove - Sep. 1, and the remainder of the statewide season. Sep. 5, Youth/Adult only, from sunrise to noon then open to all hunters.

Entire Mohawk dove field is non-toxic shot.

EARLY WATERFOWL SEASONS - WOOD DUCK/TEAL, TEAL ONLY, CANADA GOOSE

Same as statewide seasons.

LATE WATERFOWL SEASONS - SOUTH MOWHAWK, SKINNER, AND FOXGATE UNITS:

Open only on Tuesdays and Saturdays as well as the closing day of the season. Hunting closes at noon. Waterfowl hunting will be allocated by hand held weekly drawings. Each Saturday, a hand held drawing will be conducted at 1 p.m. to determine the following Tuesday and Saturday hunters. The final drawing of the season will also include closing day. The drawing will be held at the Joachim Bible Refuge Maintenance Facility and hunters must be present and have all applicable licenses/permits to enter drawing. Hunting will only be allowed from designated staked positions and/or pools. Hunters drawn may bring up to 3 guests. Note: Drawn hunter must accompany these guests. After the youth waterfowl seasons, goose seasons to coincide with statewide seasons. No stake/pool restrictions or drawings.

Remainder of Area: Same as statewide seasons. No staked positions/pools.

YOUTH WATERFOWL HUNT

Closes each day at sunset.

South Mowhawk, Skinner, and Foxgate Units: Same as statewide dates. First come first serve at designated stakes and pools as posted.

Remainder of Area: Same as statewide seasons. No staked positions/pools.

For all seasons, no permanent blinds. All decoys, temporary blinds, blind materials and boats must be removed at the end of legal hunting hours.

JOACHIM BIBLE WATERFOWL REFUGE UNIT (THAT PORTION OF LICK CREEK BOTTOMS WMA BETWEEN MURRAY BRIDGE ROAD, BIBLES CHAPEL ROAD, AND SOUTH MOWHAWK ROAD)

Closed to all forms of use and trespass from Nov. 15 - last day of Feb. except in designated observation areas. Closed to waterfowl hunting.

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide, except as noted. All small game hunting and dog training (excluding raccoon/opossum) closes at 4 p.m. Closed to quail hunting. Nontoxic shot approved by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service required for small game (including dove) hunting as posted. All small game hunting is Adult/Youth only. Youths must be accompanied by a licensed adult who may also hunt.



Dove - Sep. 5 and everyday thereafter during the first and second segments.



Rabbit - Nov. 1-14. Bag limit 2 rabbits/day.



Dog Training - Rabbit and Quail - Oct. 1 - 31. All other: Mar. 1 - Oct. 31.

412-NOLICHUCKY

GREENE COUNTY • 1,000 ACRES
TEN MILES SOUTH OF GREENEVILLE
DAVID SAMS (423) 235-4882 • **SG, WF, BG**

Big Game Small Game

Same as statewide seasons except as noted.



Waterfowl - Blinds, blind materials and decoys must be removed daily at the end of legal shooting hours. During all waterfowl seasons, boats may not be anchored, moored or aground more than 1 hour after legal waterfowl hunting hours or earlier than 1 hour before legal shooting hours.



Quail - Nov. 7 - Jan. 15

413-NORTH CUMBERLAND

ANDERSON, CAMPBELL, CLAIBORNE, MORGAN AND SCOTT COUNTIES • 189,000 ACRES

ROYAL BLUE, SUNDQUIST, TACKETT CREEK & NEW RIVER UNITS

35 MILES NORTH OF KNOXVILLE
JOE ELKINS (423) 566-8557 • **SG, BG, HI**
OHV INFORMATION • RUSTY DUNN (423) 562-2013

All users should be aware that hazards associated with mining (deep and strip) exist on this area.

Public use is permitted during all hunts. During daylight hours all users outside of an enclosed vehicle or outside of camp must wear, on the upper portion of their body and head, a minimum of 500 square inches of blaze orange, visible front and back, during the deer and elk gun and muzzleloader seasons. No person shall remove minerals, including coal, trees, plants (including vines), or building stones from the area without specific authorization.

Camping is permitted on the entire area. Night time use by the general public and raccoon hunters is permitted area wide.

ORV, hooved animal riding, bicycles and all other vehicles are restricted to roads marked "open to vehicular traffic." See page 9 for High Impact Habitat Conservation Permit information and fees. Speed limit is 25 mph. Organized competition events for motorized/nonmotorized vehicles prohibited. Maximum noise limit of 86 dBs for all motorized vehicles as measured at 50 feet from the exhaust.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Closed to hunting Mar. 1 through the 4th Friday in Aug., except for spring turkey. Closed to spring squirrel hunting and fall turkey hunting. Coyote hunting with centerfire weapons only allowed during deer gun seasons by licensed deer hunters. Archery hunters will be required to meet legal blaze orange

requirements while hunting in the elk zones during the elk hunt. Wild hogs may be taken during any hunt with hunting devices legal for that hunt.

Beaver Trapping - restricted to designated compartments. Contact WMA manager for information. Annual harvest log must be maintained and submitted to WMA Manager by Jan. 15.



Dates	Bag Limits* and Restrictions
Archery	
Sept. 26 - Oct. 30 Nov. 2-6	2 deer*
	1 Antlered and 1 Antlerless
Muzzleloader	
Nov. 7-20	2 deer*
	1 Antlered and 1 Antlerless
(The antlerless deer may be taken only during last 7 days — Nov. 14-20)	
Gun	
Nov. 21 - Dec. 20	1 deer*
	Antlered only
Dec. 21 - Jan. 3	1 deer*
	Antlered only
(Exception: may be an antlerless deer — Dec. 21-27)	
Young Sportsman	
Oct. 31 - Nov. 1 Jan. 9-10	Same as Unit B*

*These are not bonus deer. All deer count toward Unit B statewide bag limits.



Dog Training - Sep. 1 - Mar. 15. Chasing fox, coyotes, and bobcats with dogs is not permitted.

Elk hunting information can be found on page 32.

Ginseng - Sept 1. - Dec. 31.

See page 36 for firing range information. Permit required for range.

414-RANKIN

COCKE COUNTY • 1,975 ACRES
DAVID SAMS (423) 235-4882 • **SG, BG**

No permanent blinds. All decoys, temporary blinds, blind materials and boats must be removed at the end of legal hunting hours.



Same as statewide seasons, except as noted. Small game hunters (except waterfowl) must wear fluorescent hunter orange during big game hunts.



415-WHITES MILL

BLOUNT COUNTY • 53 ACRES
BILL SMITH (865) 856-9711 • **NP**

Closed to all activity from Nov. 15 to the last day of the youth waterfowl season, except legal hunters on Saturdays.

Waterfowl, Snipe - Youth/Adult only. Youths must be accompanied by a licensed adult who may also hunt. Saturdays only from staked positions.

Bullfrog - Mar. 1 - Nov. 14, gigs only.

Sheriff Dept. Phone #: _____

Wildlife Officer Phone #: _____

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3. Respect nature, taking every precaution against littering and fire.
4. Respect the game and firearms laws.
5. Respect fellow outdoorsmen, observing all safety precautions and the traditions of good sportsmanship

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Hunter/Landowner Permission Card

Hunter Copy

Hunter's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: () _____

Vehicle Make/Model: _____

License Plate #: _____ Vehicle Color: _____

Landowner Copy

Hunter's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I, the undersigned, hereby grant permission to

to hunt on my property on the following dates

Landowner's Signature

Print Name / Date

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