

MARYLAND PARK SERVICE

HUNTING in STATE PARKS

September 2017

State Park	Hunting Policy
Western Region	
Big Run	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting • Hunting permitted in adjacent State Forest
Casselman River Bridge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Cunningham Falls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 4,400 acre designated hunting area • Nighttime furbearer hunting by permit only • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters • Provisions for hunters with mobility impairments
Dans Mountain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Deep Creek Lake	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 551 acre designated hunting area • No firearms hunting until October 15 • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters • Provisions for hunters with mobility impairments • Waterfowl hunting only at designated sites on Deep Creek Lake (reservation required)
Fort Frederick	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Managed shotgun deer hunting program in a 500 acre designated area – lottery system to select hunters – Managed Hunt Permit required to participate in the hunt (not required to participate in the lottery)
Gambrill	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Gathland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting • Hunting permitted in areas of adjacent South Mountain State Park
Greenbrier	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 500 acre designated hunting area • Nighttime Furbearer hunting by permit only • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday

Herrington Manor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting • Hunting permitted in adjacent State Forest
New Germany	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting • Hunting permitted in adjacent State Forest
Rocky Gap	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 1,451 acre designated hunting area • Archery-only hunting permitted in 300 acre designated hunting area • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
South Mountain and South Mountain State Battlefield	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted on 4,000 acres of designated hunting areas • Archery-only hunting permitted on additional 170-acre area • Hunting permitted on State Park property only – hunting prohibited on all National Park Service property • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday
Swallow Falls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting • Hunting permitted in adjacent State Forest
Washington Monument	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting • Hunting permitted in areas of adjacent South Mountain State Park
Western Maryland Rail Trail	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Woodmont	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 2,400 acre designated hunting area • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Youghiogheny Wild River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 1,200 acre designated hunting area • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday
State Park	
Southern Region	Hunting Policy
Belt Woods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery / Muzzleloader / Shotgun hunting for deer only permitted in 615 acre designated hunting area with free WHS permit (reservation required)
Calvert Cliffs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 950 acre designated hunting area with daily sign-in required
Cedarville	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 1,100 acre designated hunting area • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Chapel Point	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 550 acre designated hunting area with daily sign-in required • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Chapman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deer and waterfowl hunting only permitted in designated Mt. Aventine hunting area (free WHS permit /daily sign-in required) • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters

Franklin Point	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Greenwell	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 187 acre designated hunting area with daily sign-in required • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Merkle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Newtowne Neck	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 360 acre designated hunting area (free WHS permit / reservation required) and daily sign-in required • Waterfowl blind sites by permit
Patuxent River (all areas)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in designated hunting areas with daily sign-in required
Point Lookout	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery-only hunting for deer permitted during the early muzzleloader season in 240 acre Jacobs tract designated hunting area with daily sign-in required • Waterfowl hunting at designated blind sites
Rosaryville	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery-only hunting for deer permitted in 460 acre designated hunting area (free WHS permit / daily sign-in required) • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Sandy Point	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterfowl blind sites available (free WHS permit / reservation required) during third split of the waterfowl season (boat access only)
Severn Run	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Smallwood	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
St. Clements Island	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterfowl and rabbit hunting only permitted in 63 acre designated hunting area (boat access only)
St. Mary's River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 2,200 acre designated hunting area with daily sign-in required • Waterfowl blind sites available – free WHS permit / reservation required (boat access only)
Zekiah Swamp	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterfowl blind sites available – free WHS permit / reservation required (boat access only)
State Park	
Eastern Region	Hunting Policy
Assateague	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery-only hunting for deer in 450 acre designated hunting area with limit of 10 hunters per day (plus two disabled hunters) with daily sign-in required • Season restricted to November 6 to end of Archery deer season • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Bill Burton Fishing Pier	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Black Walnut Point	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Janes Island	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterfowl hunting permitted in 3,147 acre designated hunting area
Love Point	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Martinak	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting

Pocomoke River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting • Hunting permitted in adjacent State Forest
Sassafras	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 1,000 acre designated hunting area with daily sign-in required • Migratory goose and waterfowl hunting by lottery – Managed Hunt Permit required • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Tuckahoe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 1,000 acre designated hunting area – daily sign-in required • Migratory goose hunting by lottery – Managed Hunt Permit required • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Wye Island	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery hunting for deer permitted on 2,500 acres – limited to 25 hunters per day with daily sign-in required • Muzzleloader hunting for deer permitted on 2,500 acres by lottery – Managed Hunt Permit required • Firearms hunting for deer permitted on 2,500 acres by lottery – Managed Hunt Permit required • Migratory goose blind sites / hunting by lottery – Managed Hunt Permit required • Provisions for hunters with mobility impairments
Wye Oak	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
State Park Central Region	Hunting Policy
Bush Declaration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Elk Neck	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery / Muzzleloader / Shotgun hunting for deer permitted on 570 acres of designated hunting areas with daily sign-in required – Managed Hunt Permit / free WHS permit required • Waterfowl blind sites available by lottery (free WHS permit / reservation required) – Managed Hunt Permit required • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Fair Hill	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Managed shotgun deer hunting program – lottery system to select hunters – Managed Hunt Permit required to participate in the hunt (not required to participate in the lottery) • Archery-only hunting for deer permitted in designated hunting areas with daily sign-in required – Managed Hunt Permit / free WHS Permit required • Raccoon hunting by permit (reservation required) • Falconry hunting (reservation required)
Gunpowder Falls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterfowl blind sites available by lottery (free WHS permit / reservation required for some sites) offshore the Hammerman and Days Cove areas – Managed Hunt Permit required • Managed shotgun deer hunting program in the Sweet Air / Pleasantville area and Hammerman area – lottery system to select hunters – Managed Hunt Permit required to

	<p>participate in the hunt (not required to participate in the lottery)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery-only hunting for deer permitted in designated hunting areas of the Hereford area with permit and daily sign-in required – Reservations required September – November – Managed Hunt Permit required
Hart-Miller Island	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterfowl blind sites available by lottery on certain dates (reservation required) and on first come, first served basis on all other dates (free WHS permit / Managed Hunt Permit required)
Monocacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 1,800 acre designated hunting area • Hunting permitted Monday-Saturday
Morgan Run	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery / Muzzleloader hunting for deer permitted on 425 acres of designated hunting areas – Managed Hunt Permit / free WHS permit / reservation required • Archery deer hunting permitted Wednesday-Saturday
North Point State Battlefield	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
North Point	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterfowl blind sites available by lottery on certain dates (reservation required) and on first come, first served basis on all other dates (free WHS permit / Managed Hunt Permit required)
Palmer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Hunting
Patapsco Valley	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery-only hunting for deer permitted on 3,405 acres of designated hunting areas with daily sign-in required – Managed Hunt Permit / free WHS permit required • Mercer property - Archery / Muzzleloader hunting for deer permitted on 150 acres of designated hunting areas with Managed Hunt Permit / free WHS permit / reservation required • Hunt from Vehicle provisions for disabled hunters
Patuxent River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted on 5,000 acres of designated hunting area
Rocks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery-only hunting for deer permitted in 120 acre designated hunting area with daily sign-in required • Cameron property – Archery-only hunting for deer permitted on 125 acres from November 11 to end of Archery deer season (free WHS permit / reservation required)
Seneca Creek	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General hunting permitted in 1,000 acre designated hunting area • Archery-only hunting for deer permitted in 2,000 acre designated hunting area • Managed shotgun deer hunting program in the Clopper area – lottery system to select hunters – Managed Hunt Permit required to participate in the hunt (not required to participate in the lottery) • Shotgun-only hunting for deer permitted in the Schaeffer Farm area – Managed Hunt Permit / free WHS permit / reservation required
Soldiers Delight	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery / Muzzleloader / Shotgun hunting for deer permitted on 1,425 acres of designated hunting areas during season designated for Soldiers Delight, with free WHS permit / reservation – Managed Hunt Permit required

Susquehanna	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Archery-only hunting for deer permitted in 880 acre designated hunting area with daily sign-in required – Managed Hunt Permit / free WHS permit required• Waterfowl blind sites available (free WHS permit / reservation required) – Managed Hunt Permit required
Torrey C. Brown Rail Trail	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No Hunting