

CENTRAL REGION STATE PARK HUNTING PROGRAM 2017-2018
Maryland Department of Natural Resources – Wildlife and Heritage Service
 Gwynnbrook Wildlife Management Area
 3740 Gwynnbrook Avenue, Owings Mills, Maryland 21117
 410-356-9272

Maps are available online at <http://dnr.maryland.gov/wildlife/Pages/publiclands/wmacentral.aspx>.

PERMITS WILL BE AVAILABLE AS FOLLOWS:

<p>The Central Region Public Hunting Permit is required for the following Parks:</p>	<p>Patapsco Valley SP Morgan Run NEA Elk Neck SP Susquehanna SP</p>	<p>Seneca Creek SP: Schaeffer Farm Fair Hill NRMA Soldiers Delight NEA</p>				
<p align="center">Option A</p> <p>Apply online @ http://dnr.maryland.gov/wildlife/Pages/publiclands/wmacentral.aspx. Processed within 1-2 business days. Permits sent to hunters via email.</p>	<p align="center">Option B</p> <p>In person at the Gwynnbrook Office Open 7:30am-11:30am Mon-Fri August 14, 2017-February 28, 2018 Closed All State Holidays</p>	<p align="center">Option C</p> <p>Mail a copy of hunting license, phone number, and vehicle tag # to the Gwynnbrook Office. Include a letter-sized envelope with return address and postage.</p>				
<p align="center">If you are hunting under the authority of a Senior Lifetime Consolidated License, a Nonresident 3-Day Waterfowl and Small Game License, or United States Armed Forces Leave Papers, please call the Gwynnbrook Office for instructions on how to get your permit.</p>						
<p align="center">The \$35 Managed Hunt Permit (MHP) Required for the following State Parks:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td data-bbox="74 961 565 1100"> Elk Neck SP Fair Hill NRMA Gunpowder Falls SP Patapsco Valley SP </td> <td data-bbox="565 961 1055 1100"> Morgan Run NEA Soldiers Delight NEA Susquehanna SP </td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="74 1100 1055 1146"> Seneca Creek SP (all areas except the River Road Area) </td> </tr> </table>		Elk Neck SP Fair Hill NRMA Gunpowder Falls SP Patapsco Valley SP	Morgan Run NEA Soldiers Delight NEA Susquehanna SP	Seneca Creek SP (all areas except the River Road Area)		<p>**The MHP is available anywhere licenses are sold. The Gwynnbrook Office does NOT sell licenses.</p> <p>If a park area requires hunting reservations you must purchase your MHP before making a reservation.</p>
Elk Neck SP Fair Hill NRMA Gunpowder Falls SP Patapsco Valley SP	Morgan Run NEA Soldiers Delight NEA Susquehanna SP					
Seneca Creek SP (all areas except the River Road Area)						

RESERVATION REGULATIONS:

<p>RESERVATIONS are required for the following Parks:</p>	<p>Seneca Creek SP: Schaeffer Farm Tract Soldiers Delight NEA Morgan Run NEA and Patapsco Valley SP: Mercer Property Elk Neck SP: North East Beach Property (Disabled Hunters Only) Waterfowl Hunting at Elk Neck SP, Susquehanna SP, and Gunpowder Falls SP</p>	
<p>Reservations available by:</p>	<p>Phone-in 7:30am-11:30am Walk-in 8:30am-11:30am</p>	<p>Monday-Friday (Closed on all State Holidays)</p>
<p>Deer and Small Game: Hunters may call a maximum of 8 calendar days prior to the day of the hunt. Waterfowl Sites: Hunters may call a maximum of 4 calendar days prior to the day of the hunt.</p>		
<p>Limitations: A hunter may make 2 reservations per phone call. (2 different dates for one hunter OR 2 hunters for one day at the same site) A hunter may have only one advanced reservation per property or waterfowl site at a time. However, any spaces not reserved for the current or next day will be available to any hunter, regardless of advanced reservations. This limitation does not apply to deer hunting at Soldiers Delight NEA. See pg 5 for Elk Neck North East Beach restrictions.</p>		
<p>Reservations left on the answering machine will not be honored and calls will not be returned. If unable to hunt, you MUST cancel your reservation at least <u>one business day</u> in advance so that another hunter may utilize the opportunity to hunt. Cancellations may be left on the answering machine.</p>		

SIGN-IN SHEET REGULATIONS:

The following Parks require hunters to **SIGN-IN** at the parking areas: Susquehanna SP, Rocks SP, Elk Neck SP, Patapsco Valley SP, Fair Hill NRMA

Hunters must sign in and out with their Central Region Permit number. Hunters can ONLY sign themselves in!
*****At Rocks SP you must sign in using your DNRid since a Permit is not required *****

Hunters must record any harvested deer (# and type) on the sign-in sheet prior to leaving.
Deer must still be checked in according to state regulations.
No signing in prior to 2 hours before shooting time.

REGULATIONS FOR ALL STATE PARKS:

- No building or using of permanent tree stands. All portable tree stands must be removed at the end of the day.
- Maryland public lands are trash-free. **All trash must leave with you.** Please pick up your empty shotgun shells.
- Placing or hunting over bait for any wildlife species is prohibited on all public lands.
- Target shooting, camping, building fires, and hunting in safety zones is prohibited.
- Parking is allowed in designated parking areas only. Do not block gates.
- The cutting of trees, branches, shrubs, or other vegetation is prohibited. This includes cutting shooting lanes.
- Hunting is not allowed on Sundays. See pages 6-9 for additional day restrictions for specific properties.
- Off-road vehicle operation is prohibited (allowed on select properties for hunters with a Universal Disability Pass).
- Non-hunters may accompany a permitted hunter if they are unarmed and stay with the hunter at all times.
- Do not field dress deer near trails, parking areas, or any other areas used by other park visitors.
- Hunters must contact NRP (410-260-8888) before tracking wounded deer after hours or off State Park Property.
- Hunters may enter the hunting area 1 hr before legal hunting time to set up and must be out of the area by 1 hr after legal hunting time.

All State, Federal, County, and Property hunting regulations apply.

Failure to comply with any of these rules or regulations will result in a fine and/or suspension from the program.
See page 5 for details.

Emergency Info: For wildlife emergencies or to report hunting violations please call Natural Resources Police IMMEDIATELY at 410-260-8888.

If you have concerns about individual properties please notify the Gwynnbrook Office.

PUBLIC LAND CODES (use to check in deer and turkey):

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carroll County: 06 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Morgan Run NEA (314) ➢ Patapsco Valley SP (319) • Montgomery County: 15 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Seneca Creek SP (442) ➢ Seneca Schaeffer Farm Tract (625) ➢ Patuxent River SP (440) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baltimore County: 03 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Patapsco Valley SP (344) ➢ Gunpowder Falls SP (343) ➢ Soldiers Delight NEA (346) • Cecil County: 07 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Elk Neck SP (360) ➢ Fair Hill NRMA (364) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harford County: 12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Rocks SP (325) ➢ Gunpowder Falls SP (327) ➢ Susquehanna SP (328) • Howard County: 13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Patapsco Valley SP (417) ➢ Patuxent River SP (416) |
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SENECA CREEK STATE PARK: SCHAEFFER FARM TRACT: OPENING DAY LOTTERY

- Reservations for the opening day of the deer shotgun season (November 25, 2017) are by lottery.
- Only one application (cut out below) may be submitted per individual for each lottery.
- Hunters may submit as a group. The maximum group size is THREE. The applications must be stapled together (Treated as a single application).
- Any remaining reservations will be available through regular reservation procedures.
- Return application to the Gwynnbrook Wildlife Office.

Deer Firearms Opening Day Lottery Application

Seneca Creek SP: Schaeffer Farm Tract

Application Deadline: October 27, 2017

Drawing Date: October 30, 2017

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Central Region Permit # : _____

Notification Preference: Mail E-mail

E-mail address: _____

State Park Contact Info

Patapsco Valley SP	410-461-5005
Morgan Run NEA	410-461-5005
Soldiers Delight NEA	410-461-5005
Elk Neck SP	410-287-5333
Susquehanna SP/Rocks SP	410-557-7994
Seneca Creek SP/Patuxent River SP	301-924-2127
Fair Hill NRMA	410-398-1246
Gunpowder Falls SP	410-329-6809

PUBLIC HUNTING LAND TIPS/REMINDERS:

- Please be respectful of all Park users. Pick-up or report litter. Do not leave gut piles on trails or parking lots. Please help preserve this privilege for future generations.
- Be mindful that deer, waterfowl, and small game hunting may be occurring at the same time on some properties.
- We recommend you wear hunter orange during all seasons on public land. **Hunters who archery hunt during a deer firearms season (shotgun, muzz, or youth day) MUST wear hunter orange.**
- Check in your game within 24 hours. Deer and turkeys can be checked in online through COMPASS (<https://compass.dnr.maryland.gov/dnrcompassportal>), over the phone (1-888-800-0121), or on the DNR smartphone app (Access DNR). Land Codes on Pg 1.
- We strongly encourage the use of a full body safety harness when hunting from an elevated tree stand. Please call the Gwynnbrook Office if you need to return to a property after your reservation to look for a wounded deer.

PUBLIC BOAT RAMPS:

Visit Maryland’s online water access guide to locate boat ramps. Some boat launch fees may apply.
<http://dnr2.maryland.gov/Boating/Pages/water-access/boatramps.aspx>

THE MARYLAND GUIDE TO HUNTING AND TRAPPING:

All Maryland state hunting and trapping regulations can be found in the Maryland Guide to Hunting and Trapping. This guide is available anywhere licenses are sold, at any DNR Wildlife & Heritage Service Office, or at DNR Licensing and Registration Service Centers. The Guide can also be found online at dnr2.maryland.gov/huntersguide/Pages/default.aspx. Familiarize yourself with all regulations before hunting

2017-2018 DEER SEASON CALENDAR:

September							October								
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
					X	X	X	2	3	4	5	6	7		
X	4	5	6	7	8	9	X	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
X	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	X	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
X	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	X	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
X	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	X	29	30	31				

November							December							January									
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S			
			1	2	3	4						1	2		1	2	3	4	5	6			
X	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	X	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	X	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
X	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	X	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	X	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
X	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	X	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	X	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
X	26	27	28	29	30		X	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	X	28	29	30	31				
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Archery	Shotgun	Muzzleloader	No Hunting
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NEW! PERMIT SUSPENSION REGULATIONS

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D. The Service may suspend or revoke a permit if the permittee fails to comply with the terms and conditions of the permit or otherwise violates any wildlife law, or regulation in accordance with Natural Resources Article, §10-808, Annotated Code of Maryland.

*A permittee who commits the following permit violations on a permit hunting area may have their permit suspended for **4 weeks**:

- (a) Hunting without a reservation when a reservation is required;
- (b) Failure to sign-in on site when required;
- (c) Hunting in an area or on a date other than the area or date the permittee has reserved;
- (d) Using or constructing permanent blinds or tree stands or leaving temporary blinds or tree stands overnight on the permit area; and
- (e) Driving a motor vehicle in an unauthorized area.

*A permittee who commits the following permit violations on a permit hunting area may have their permit suspended for **8 weeks**:

- (a) Placing bait or hunting over bait;
- (b) Falsifying permit application information or the unauthorized use of a permit issued to another person;
- (c) Hunting in a safety zone or an area closed to hunting; and
- (d) Hunting an unauthorized species.

*A permittee who commits the following permit violations on a permit hunting area may have their permit suspended for **16 weeks**:

- (a) Destruction of public property;
- (b) Hunting with a firearm in a designated archery only area;
- (c) Hunting a permit hunting area while permit is suspended; and
- (d) A separate permit violation within 12 months of a suspension issued pursuant to this regulation resulting from a separate incident than the violation for which the prior suspension was imposed.

*The Service shall notify the permittee in writing of the reason for the suspension, the duration of the suspension and provide a method to appeal the suspension.

Park	Area	Approximate Acres	Permit Required?	Reservation Required?	# of Hunters per day	Open Dates	Open Days	Seasons Open	Weapon(s) Allowed	Hunt From Vehicle?	
Elk Neck SP	Carter Property	575	Central Region & MHP	Sign-in	8	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No	
	North East Beach Property (Disabled Hunters ONLY - UDP required)			Yes	4 sites AM or PM	Oct 19-Oct 28 Nov 25-Dec 9 Dec 16-Dec 30 Jan 5-Jan 6	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Muzzleloader & Shotgun	Yes	
	Campground			Sign-in	8	Nov 4-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No	
	Rogues Harbour, and Turkey Point			Sign-in	12	Nov 4-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No	
	Waterfowl			Yes	7 sites	See page 8	Mon-Sat	Waterfowl Only	Shotgun	No	
	Additional Notes:										
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The North East Beach Property is reserved for disabled hunters who possess a Universal Disability Pass. This area allows 4 hunters per day by reservation. Hunters must still sign-in and sign-out and must hunt at the posted locations. North East Beach Property – no restrictions on the number of reservations that can be made Monday-Friday. Hunters may only reserve one Saturday at a time. There are 4 sites that are now split into AM and PM reservations. AM hunters must be off the site by noon. PM hunters can enter the site at noon. A portion of the Campground hunting area will remain closed during the 2017-18 season while a construction project is going on. 											
Fair Hill NRMA	Area A	200	Central Region & MHP	Sign-in	NA	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Archery	Archery	No	
	Area B	340		Sign-in	NA	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Archery	Archery	No	
	Area C	25		Temporarily Closed for the 2017-2018 Hunting Season							
	Area D	1000		Sign-in	NA	Nov 1-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Archery	Archery	No	
	Area E	80		Sign-in	NA	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Archery	Archery	No	
	Additional Notes:										
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AREA D will not be open to hunting until November 1, 2017. This area is posted and fenced. Areas beyond the fence are off limits. For information on falconry or raccoon hunting permits contact Fair Hill NRMA at 410-398-1246. 											
Gunpowder Falls SP	Waterfowl (Days Cove, Hart-Miller Island, Dundee Creek)	NA	Central Region & MHP	Yes	26 sites	See page 8	Mon-Sat	Waterfowl Only	Shotgun	No	
	Hereford Area	Contact Gunpowder Falls State Park for permit and reservation information for archery deer hunting at 410-329-6809.									

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Patapsco Valley SP	Area 1: Raincliffe Road	M.E.S. Lot	Central Region & MHP	Sign-in	4	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No	
		Lot at Rt 32		Sign-in	6	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No	
	Area 2: Gorsuch Switch Road	Gorsuch Switch Lot		Sign-in	5	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No
		Henryton Lot		Sign-in	10	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Area 3: Henryton Road			Sign-in	8	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Area 4: River Road			Sign-in	20	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Area 5: Marriotsville Road			Sign-in	12	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Area 6: Driver Road			Sign-in	22	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Area 7: Hollofield South			Sign-in	10	Nov 1-Jan 31 No Scouting	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	Yes*
	Area 8: Hollofield North			Sign-in	10	Nov 1-Jan 31 Scout Nov 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No
		Area 9: Old Washington Rd		100	Yes	2	Oct 19-Jan 31 Scout Oct 17	Wed-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery & Muzzleloader	No
	Morgan Run NEA	Area 10: Ben Rose Lane		325	Yes	14	Oct 19-Jan 31 Scout Oct 17	Wed-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery & Muzzleloader	No
				150	Yes	8	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery & Muzzleloader	No
	Area 12: Pickall			300	Sign-in	10	Oct 2-Jan 31 No Scouting	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	Yes*
	Area 13: Mears Property			120	Sign-in	8	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Area 14: College Avenue			115	CLOSED FOR THE 2017-2018 SEASON						
Area 15: Hilltop Road		140	Sign-in	10	Sept 8-Jan 31 Scout Sept 1	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Deer Only	Archery	No	
Area 16: Woodstock		TBD	New property – Details to be announced online when available.								
Additional Notes:											
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Areas 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, and 15 must be accessed through locked gates. If you unlock the gate you must lock it behind you. The code for these gates is 2225. • Hunt from vehicle access is allowed at Area 12 (Pickall) on the Park Road parking lots and at Area 7 (Hollofield South) between camp sites 445-460. Hunters must have a Universal Disability Pass in order to utilize the hunt from vehicle area. • No scouting is allowed in the Pickall (Area 12) and Hollofield South (Area 7) hunting areas. • Areas 9 and 10 will be open Monday-Saturday during the Muzzleloader and Shotgun seasons (note that only muzzleloader may be used during the shotgun season). 											

Park	Area	Approximate Acres	Permit Required?	Reservation Required?	# of Hunters per day	Open Dates	Open Days	Seasons Open	Weapon(s) Allowed	Hunt From Vehicle?
Patuxent River SP	Patuxent River State Park	5000	None	No	No Limit	Sept 1-Feb 28	Mon-Sat	All Seasons	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
Additional Notes:										
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parking areas are located at Brown's Church Rd, Long Corner Rd, Mullinix Mill Rd, Route 94, Annapolis Rock Rd, Hipsley Mill Rd, Jennings Chapel Rd, Howard Chapel Rd, and Elton Farm Rd. 										
Seneca Creek SP	Rocks SP – Rt 24 Area	120	None	Sign-in	No Limit	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No
	River Road Area	1000	None	No	No Limit	Sept 1-Feb 28	Mon-Sat	All Seasons	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
	Game Preserve Area	80	MHP	No	No Limit	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Riffle Ford Rd to Black Rock Rd Area	1100	MHP	No	No Limit	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Berryville Rd to Montevideo Hunting Area	1100	MHP	No	No Limit	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Schaeffer Farm Tract	850	Central Region & MHP	Yes	25	Nov 25-Dec 9 Jan 5-6 Lottery Nov 25th	Mon-Sat	Deer Only	Shotgun ONLY	No
	Zone 1	280		Yes	10	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
Soldiers Delight NEA	Zone 2	150		Yes	4	Sept 8-Jan 31	Mon-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
	Zone 3	140	Central Region & MHP	Yes	4	Nov 27-Jan 31	Mon-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
	Zone 4	115		Yes	4	Nov 9-Jan 31	Mon-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
	Zone 5	360		Yes	14	Nov 9-Jan 31	Mon-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
	Zone 6	230		Yes	10	Nov 9-Jan 31	Mon-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
	Zone 7	150		Yes	4	Nov 9-Jan 31	Mon-Sat*	Deer Only	Archery, Muzz & Shotgun	No
	Additional Notes:									
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The parking area on Deer Park Road between Zones 5 and 6 has a coded lock. The code for this lock is 2225. Please lock the gate behind you. • No scouting is allowed until the opening date of each zone. • No hunting is allowed on Saturdays during the 2 week shotgun season (Nov. 25-Dec. 9). 										
Susquehanna SP	Area A	880	Central Region & MHP	Sign-in	25	Sept 8-Jan 31	Wed-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Area B	220		Sign-in	10	Sept 8-Jan 31	Wed-Sat	Deer Only	Archery	No
	Waterfowl	NA		Yes	10 Sites	See page 8	Mon-Sat	Waterfowl Only	Shotgun	No
Additional Notes: While the campground is open, safety zones have been established around this area. Hunting or carrying weapons is prohibited in both loops of the campground until 11/1/2017. After 11/1/2017 hunting and traveling are permitted within the campground. The use of tree stands is recommended at all times, especially when hunting near established trails.										

STATE PARK WATERFOWL REGULATIONS:

Waterfowl Sites are available on the following Parks:	Elk Neck SP, Susquehanna SP, and Gunpowder Falls SP	
The following sites require daily reservations (see page 1 for reservation rules):	Days Cove Sites 1-11 Dundee Creek Sites 26 & 27 Elk River Sites 28-31	Elk Neck Chesapeake Bay Sites 32-34 Sand Island Sites 35-38 Susquehanna River Sites 39-45
The following sites are first-come, first-serve (except lottery dates, see table below):	North Point Sites 12-14 Pleasure Island Sites 15-17 Hart Miller Island Sites 18-24	

Gunpowder Lottery Dates (7 Saturdays Total – ALL DAY HUNTS)

Hunt Date	Sites	Lottery Due	Lottery Drawing	<p align="center">Lottery Rules/Procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An official application (page 10) must be filled out and returned to the Gwynnbrook Office. • Only one application per hunter per lottery may be submitted. • Each application will be drawn only once. If drawn, the successful applicant will be issued their first choice. If their first choice is full, they will be issued their second choice, etc. • Any remaining sites will be unavailable for reservation. Hunters may not hunt an unoccupied site on a lottery day. • Only successful applicants will be notified by mail. • You must have your letter indicating the blind site you were chosen for on you while hunting. • Applicants selected through the lottery need to notify Gwynnbrook if you are adding hunters to your site (up to 3 additional hunters).
Oct 14, 2017	1-24	Sept 8, 2017	Sept 11, 2017	
Oct 21, 2017	1-24	Sept 8, 2017	Sept 11, 2017	
Nov 11, 2017	1-24	Oct 6, 2017	Oct 10, 2017	
Dec 16, 2017	1-27	Nov 3, 2017	Nov 6, 2017	
Dec 23, 2017	12-27	Nov 3, 2017	Nov 6, 2017	
Dec 30, 2017	12-27	Nov 3, 2017	Nov 6, 2017	
Jan 6, 2018	12-27	Nov 3, 2017	Nov 6, 2017	

General Regulations:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hunting is allowed at designated sites and is WATERFOWL only. • The maximum number of hunters at a blind site is FOUR. • Each site is numbered with a post/sign or buoy. • Hunting an unoccupied site without a reservation, where one is required, is prohibited. • Hunters must be within 50 feet of the blind site marker. • All sites are WATER ACCESS ONLY and do not have blinds.
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	Gunpowder SP (1-27)	Elk Neck SP (28-34)	Susquehanna SP (35-45)
Park Specific Regulations:	Early Resident Goose and Teal must conclude by 9:30am. AM Hunting only during 1 st Duck Split, AM/PM hunting the remainder of the seasons. AM Hunters must be off the water by noon. Lottery days are all day hunts.	All day hunting, no lotteries. Hunting must be from a boat or standing in the water within 50ft of the buoy.	All day hunting, no lotteries.
Seasons Open	All Waterfowl Seasons (except #26 & #27 open 3 rd Split only)	2 nd & 3 rd Duck Splits Late Canada Goose Junior Waterfowl Days	All Waterfowl Seasons

*****On the Susquehanna River a warning siren will sound when the dam is releasing water. *****
Caution should be taken during this time. Also at Robert’s Island, hunting is not recommended after 3:00 p.m.
Conowingo Generation Hotline: 1-888-457-4076 or Conowingo Spill Conditions: 1-877-457-2525

WATERFOWL SITE GUIDE:

Site	Area	Water Body	Coordinates	Notes
1	DC	North Shore of Bird River	N39.38081 W-76.38515	Approx 350yds E of Bowerman's Marina. On open water. Camo boat recommended. Accessible at low tide.
2	DC	North Shore of Bird River	N39.38184 W-76.38081	Approx 750yds E of Bowerman's Marina. At rear of slight cove. Camo boat recommended. Accessible at low tide.
3	DC	North Shore of Bird River	N39.38039 W-76.37693	Approx 1100yds E of Bowerman's Marina. On a slight point of land. Camo boat recommended. Accessible at low tide.
4	DC	North Shore of Bird River	N39.38140 W-76.37277	Approx 300yds W of Duck Creek. On slight point of land on open water. Camo boat recommended. Accessible at low tide.
5	DC	North Shore of Bird River	N39.38276 W-76.37113	At the mouth of Duck Creek. On open water Camo boat recommended. Accessible at low tide.
6	DC	Duck Creek	N39.38334 W-76.37497	Approx 300 yards up Duck Creek. Thick vegetation. Requires use of a dog. Not accessible during low tide. Small boat recommended.
7	DC	North Shore of Bird River	N39.38556 W-76.36837	At the join of the Bird River and Big Gunpowder Falls. On a point of land. Camo boat recommended. Accessible at low tide.
8	DC	Big Gunpowder Falls	N39.40282 W-76.37104	West tip of an island approx 250yds E of mouth of Little Gunpowder Falls. Small boat recommended, access limited at low tide.
9	DC	Big Gunpowder Falls	N39.40244 W-76.37802	North shore, approx 650yds E of the island. Small boat recommended, access limited at low tide.
10	DC	Little Gunpowder Falls	N39.39924 W-76.36012	East shore of the main branch, btwn Days Cove and Little Gunpowder Falls. Camo boat recommended. Accessible at low tide.
11	DC	Little Gunpowder Falls	N39.39640 W-76.35669	Marsh btwn Days Cove and Mariner Point Marina. Approx 250yds E of Big Gunpowder Falls. Small camo boat recommended, access limited at low tide.
12	NP	Chesapeake Bay	N39.20412 W-76.43042	N of Shallow Creek along shore of North Point SP. Little cover from wind, use caution. Some cover available.
13	NP	Chesapeake Bay (Barges)	N39.21338 W-76.41618	At the end of Ferry Grove Pier at sunken barges. Little cover from wind, use caution. May tie up to barges but stay off due to unsafe conditions. Camo boat recommended.
14	NP	Chesapeake Bay	N39.22326 W-76.41271	N of Ferry Grove Pier along shore of North Point SP. Some cover available. Use caution when windy.
15	NP	Pleasure Island	N39.23207 W-76.39440 or N39.23340 W-76.39529	Southern tip of Island. May hunt either side of Island. Cover available.
16	NP	Pleasure Island	N39.23270 W-76.39131 or N39.23420 W-76.39205	Middle section of Island. May hunt either side of Island. Bay Side is on a rock jetty. Other side offers some cover. Beware of submerged rocks. Use of camo boat a few yards offshore recommended.
17	NP	Pleasure Island	N39.23534 W-76.38967	N tip of Island, facing Hart Miller Island. Cover available.
18	NP	Hart Miller Island	N39.23976 W-76.38251	SE of MES Pier. Slight point of land. No cover from wind, use caution. Hunters must hunt from boat and direct shooting over the open water.
19	NP	Hart Miller Island	N39.24918 W-76.38665	AKA Drum Point. Btwn MES Pier and Hawk Cove. Camo boat or blind recommended.
20	NP	Hart Miller Island	N39.25169 W-76.37826	Btwn Drum Point and the main beach area. Shallow at low tide. Some cover available.
21	NP	Hart Miller Island	N39.25829 W-76.36401	On small section of riprap N of beach area. Shallow water with no cover. Camo boat recommended.
22	NP	Hart Miller Island	N39.25966 W-76.35991	N of beach area. Cover available. Shallow water.

Site	Area	Water Body	Coordinates	Notes
23	NP	Hart Miller Island	N39.26147 W-76.35612	NW corner of the Island. At the back of a small cove. Shallow water with cover available.
24	NP	Hart Miller Island	N39.25940 W-76.34876	N shore of the Island by remnants of old pier. Little cover from wind, use caution. Hunters must hunt from boat and direct shooting over open water.
26	DUC	Government Cove	N39.34625 W-76.35750	In Dundee Creek, about 50 yards offshore. Hunters must anchor to blind stake. Must conclude hunt by 10am
27	DUC	Jetty 6 or Cunningham Cove	N39.34529 <u>W-76.35349 or</u> N39.36178 W-76.33921	May use old or new Site 27, but not both at the same time. Hunters must direct shooting over open water. Must conclude hunt by 10am
28	EN	Elk River	N39.35885 W-76.34317	N of Thackery Point Wastewater Plant. Protected from all but an E wind. Beware of waves from C&D Canal ship traffic.
29	EN	Elk River	N39.47523 W-75.9693	Btwn Thackery and Stoney Points. Large marsh behind site, open water in front. Beware of waves from C&D Canal ship traffic.
30	EN	Elk River	N39.47321 W-75.97602	In cove S of Stoney Point and N of Rogues Harbor boating facility. Large marsh behind site, open water in front. Beware of waves from C&D Canal ship traffic.
31	EN	Elk River	N39.46947 W-75.98341	S of Chesapeake Isle Development and 50yds N of rock pile off Turkey Point. Large boat recommended, susceptible to wind and waves.
32	EN	Chesapeake Bay	N39.45113 W-76.00005	W shore of Turkey Point. Use caution during high winds. Large boat recommended.
33	EN	Chesapeake Bay	N39.45193 W-76.01242	In cove N of the Chesapeake Isle Development on W side of Turkey Point Peninsula. Use caution during high winds. Large boat recommended.
34	EN	Chesapeake Bay	N39.47619 W-75.99569	Off Rocky Point and S of the North East beach. Close to Susquehanna Flats. Use caution during high winds. Large boat recommended.
35	SI	Sand Islands	N39.48543 W-75.99584	N end of North Island. Access limited during low tide. Use caution in high winds.
36	SI	Sand Islands	N39.50208 W-76.09292	S end of North Island. Access limited during low tide. Use caution in high winds.
37	SI	Sand Islands	N39.49653 W-76.09305	N end of South Island. Access limited during low tide. Use caution in high winds.
38	SI	Sand Islands	N39.49493 W-76.09258	S end of South Island. Accessible during low tide. Use caution in high winds. Camo boat recommended.
39	SR	Susquehanna River	N39.58612 W-76.11868	S site of the 2 River sites, N of the I-95 bridge. Can hunt from a boat or on shore within 25ft of marker.
40	SR	Susquehanna River	N39.5822 W-76.11391	N site of the 2 River sites, N of the I-95 bridge and Site #39. Can hunt from a boat or on shore within 25ft of marker.
41	SR	Susquehanna River	N39.613385 W-76.136038	On N shore of Robert's Island. Can hunt from a boat or on shore within 25ft of marker.
42	SR	Susquehanna River	N39.61457 W-76.13827	On N shore of Robert's Island. Can hunt from a boat or on shore within 25ft of marker. Access limited during strong current. Use caution.
43	SR	Susquehanna River	N39.61617 W-76.14128	Northernmost site on Robert's Island. Can hunt from a boat or on shore within 25ft of marker. Access limited during strong current. Use caution.
44	SR	Susquehanna River	N39.611448 W-76.136364	On Wood Island, facing Robert's Island. Located centrally along the shoreline. Can hunt from a boat or on shore within 25ft of marker.
45	SR	Susquehanna River	N39.614294 W-76.141005	On S side of Robert's Island. Can hunt from a boat or on shore within 25ft of marker. Caution against rocks.
DC=Days Cove			DUC=Dundee Creek	SI=Sand Islands
NP=North Point SP			EN=Elk Neck SP	SR=Susquehanna River

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Application Deadline: September 8, 2017
Drawing Date: September 11, 2017

Name: _____
Phone: _____
Central Region Permit #: _____
1st Choice: _____
2nd Choice: _____ (BLIND SITES 1-24)
3rd Choice: _____

Gunpowder Waterfowl Lottery Application **First Split- 2nd Saturday Oct. 21, 2017**

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Drawing Date: September 11, 2017

Name: _____
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Central Region Permit #: _____
1st Choice: _____
2nd Choice: _____ (BLIND SITES 1-24)
3rd Choice: _____

Gunpowder Waterfowl Lottery Application **Second Split- 1st Saturday Nov. 11, 2017**

Application Deadline: October 6, 2017
Drawing Date: October 10, 2017

Name: _____
Phone: _____
Central Region Permit #: _____
1st Choice: _____
2nd Choice: _____ (BLIND SITES 1-24)
3rd Choice: _____

Gunpowder Waterfowl Lottery Application **Third Split- 1st Saturday Dec. 16, 2017**

Application Deadline: November 3, 2017
Drawing Date: November 6, 2017

Name: _____
Phone: _____
Central Region Permit #: _____
1st Choice: _____
2nd Choice: _____ (BLIND SITES 1-27)
3rd Choice: _____ (NO 25)

Gunpowder Waterfowl Lottery Application **Third Split- 2nd Saturday Dec. 23, 2017**

Application Deadline: November 3, 2017
Drawing Date: November 6, 2017

Name: _____
Phone: _____
Central Region Permit #: _____
1st Choice: _____
2nd Choice: _____ (BLIND SITES 12-27)
3rd Choice: _____ (NO 25)

Gunpowder Waterfowl Lottery Application **Third Split- 3rd Saturday Dec. 30, 2017**

Application Deadline: November 3, 2017
Drawing Date: November 6, 2017

Name: _____
Phone: _____
Central Region Permit #: _____
1st Choice: _____
2nd Choice: _____ (BLIND SITES 12- 27)
3rd Choice: _____ (NO 25)

Gunpowder Waterfowl Lottery Application **Third Split- 4th Saturday Jan. 6, 2018**

Application Deadline: November 3, 2017
Drawing Date: November 6, 2017

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Central Region Permit #: _____
1st Choice: _____
2nd Choice: _____ (BLIND SITES 12-27)
3rd Choice: _____ (NO 25)

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