



Beyond Becoming an Outdoors-Woman

Deer Hunt Workshop - Prince George's County

November 6, 2026 and November 7, 2026

Becoming an Outdoors-Woman is hosting a Deer Hunt Workshop in Prince George's County. The first day of the workshop includes classroom instruction on various topics pertaining to deer hunting in Maryland. The second day of the workshop is a practical hunt experience at Cedarville State Forest and Maryland - National Capital Park and Planning Commission property in Prince George's County. Participants will be placed in pre-selected locations in a ground blind or treestand. Of the twelve available spots, eight will be restricted to archery hunters and four will permit firearms (shotgun or straight-walled cartridge rifle).

This workshop is intended for women who have limited deer hunting experience but all are welcome to apply. Applicants will be chosen by lottery. Preference will be given to hunters with fewer years of experience.

All participants are expected to provide their own hunting gear (recurve, longbow, compound, and crossbows are all permitted at the archery spots and shotgun or straight-walled cartridge rifles are permitted at the firearms spots). Participants must be familiar and proficient with their equipment.

Important Notes:

- Participants must be available to attend both days of the workshop.
- Participants will be chosen by lottery and remaining applicants will be placed on a waitlist.
- **New!** Participants will be given the option to camp at Cedarville State Forest on November 6th. Campsites have electric hookups and can accommodate a tent or small campers up to 20 feet long. Participants who do not want to stay at the campground will be responsible for their own overnight accommodations.
- Deer harvested during this hunt will count towards your total Maryland deer bag limit.
- **A valid Hunter Education Certificate, a 2026-2027 Maryland Hunting License, and an Archery Stamp (for the 8 archery hunters) are required to participate in this hunt.**
- **Participants must provide their own hunting equipment for this hunt. All weapons must meet the minimum requirements for deer hunting listed in the [Maryland Guide to Hunting and Trapping](#).**

Space: 12 participants (8 archery, 4 firearms), chosen by lottery.
Cost: \$100 (Includes registration, instruction, lunch Friday and Saturday, and camp accommodations.)
Location: 10201 Bee Oak Road, Brandywine, MD 20613
Date/Time: Friday, November 6, 2026 - 9:00am to 5:00pm (Classroom Day)
Saturday, November 7, 2026 - 4:30am start, end time TBD (Hunt Day)

Registration: Registration for this class must be submitted via the Google Form.

<https://forms.gle/AmzvP93iSttmBryW8>

Important deadlines:

- **October 18, 2026** - Last day to apply (Google Form will close at midnight)
- October 19, 2026 - Selected participants will be notified via email
- October 23, 2026 - Payment is due (anyone who has not paid by this date will not be allowed to attend)
- October 23, 2026 - Cancellation deadline to get full refund
- October 30, 2026 - Participants receive final hunt details. Final deadline to cancel for 50% refund. No refunds will be given after this date.

For more information or questions, please contact Candice Collison at candice.collison@maryland.gov.