

Patuxent Research Refuge 2024-2025 Hunting Season

SEPTEMBER 2024

		Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M
Species/Season		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
North Tract	Deer - Bow (NT)																														
	Deer - Bow (ST)																														
South Tract and	Canada Goose (early) (NT)																														
	Mourning Dove (NT/ST/Schafer)																														
	Gray Squirrel (NT/ST/Schafer)																														
Schafer	Woodchuck (NT/ST/Schafer)																														
	Deer - Bow (Schafer)																														

Area W Closed

	No Hunting on Sunday/Holiday Observed	<u>South Tract</u> Areas A, B and D Only
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OCTOBER 2024

		T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th
Species/Season		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
North Tract	Deer - Bow (NT/ST)	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Grey	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Grey	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
	Deer - Muzz (NT/ST)	White	White	White	White	White	Grey	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	Grey	White	White	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	White	White	White
South Tract	Light Goose (NT)	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Grey	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Grey	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
	Mourning Dove (NT/ST)	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Grey	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Grey	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
and Schafer	Ducks (NT)	White	White	White	White	White	Grey	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	Grey	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	White
	Gray Squirrel (NT/ST/Schafer)	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Grey	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Grey	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown
	Woodchuck (NT/ST/Schafer)	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Grey	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Grey	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown	Brown
	Deer - Bow (Schafer)	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Grey	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Grey	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
	Deer- Muzz (Schafer)	White	White	White	White	White	Grey	White	White	White	White	White	White	White	Grey	White	White	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	White	White	White

Area W Closed

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NOVEMBER 2024

		F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
Species/Season		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
North Tract	Deer - Bow (NT/ST)	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■			■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Deer - Firearms (NT/ST)																														■
South Tract and Schafer	Junior Deer Hunt (NT/ST)																%														
	Light Goose (NT)	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■			■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Mourning Dove (NT/ST/Schafer)	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■			■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Ducks (NT)																■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Junior Duck Day (NT)		\$																												
	Rabbit (NT/ST/Schafer)		■		■	■	■	■	■	■			■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Gray Squirrel (NT/ST/Schafer)		■		■	■	■	■	■	■			■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Woodchuck (NT/ST/Schafer)		■		■	■	■	■	■	■			■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Deer- Firearms (Schafer)																														
	Deer - Bow (Schafer)	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■			■	■	■	■	■		■	■	■	■	■	■		■	■	@	■		
	Junior Deer Hunt (Schafer)																														
	Central Tract	Deer- Lottery PM HUNT									>						>														

Area W Closed	South Tract
@ Hunting ends at 12 pm	Areas A, B and D (Area C opens on first day of Firearms)
> PM Hunt	Veteran's Day Hunting allowed
■ No Hunting on Sunday/Holiday Observed	
\$ Junior, Veterans and Military Waterfowl Day	
% Junior Deer Hunt	
> Woman's Mentored Hunt	

Patuxent Research Refuge 2024-2025 Hunting Season

DECEMBER 2024

		Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
North Tract	Species/Season																															
	Deer - Bow (NT/ST)																															
South Tract and Schafer	Deer - Muzz (NT/ST)																															
	Deer - Firearms (NT/ST)																															
	Deer - Mentored Hunt (ST)							#																								
	Canada Goose (AP) (NT)																															
	Light Goose (NT)																															
	Mourning Dove (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Ducks (NT)																															
	Rabbit (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Gray Squirrel (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Woodchuck (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Deer - Bow (Schafer)																															
	Deer-Muzz (Schafer)																															
	Deer- Firearms (Schafer)																															
	CT	Deer- Lottery AM Hunt													<																	

Area W Closed

<	AM Hunt	#	Mentored Hunt
No Hunting on Sunday/Holiday Observed			

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JANUARY 2025

		W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F							
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
North Tract	Deer - Bow (NT/ST)																															
	Deer - Muzzleloader (NT/ST)																															
	Deer - Firearms (NT/ST)																															
South Tract and Schafer	Wild Turkey Winter (NT)																															
	Canada Goose (AP) (NT)																															
	Light Goose																															
	Mourning Dove (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Ducks																															
	Rabbit (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Gray Squirrel (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Woodchuck (NT/ST/Schafer)																															
	Deer - Muzzleloader (Schafer)																															
	Deer - Bow (Schafer)																															
	Deer- Firearms (Schafer)																															

Area W Closed

	No Hunting on Sundays/Holiday Observed
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APRIL 2025 TURKEY

		T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	T	W		
Turkey		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30		
North Tract and MR	Zone 1												%																				
	Zone 2												%																				
	Zone 3												%																				
	Zone 4																																
	Zone 5																																
	Zone 6																																
	Zone 7																																
	Zone 8																																
	Zone 9																																
South Tract and Schafer	ST 1																																
	ST 2																																
	ST 3																																

Area W Closed

All turkey hunting from 5 AM to 12 PM
 (Hunters 16 or younger only)

% MD Junior Hunt Day

Youth Hunters	Zone 1	D & E
Youth Hunters	Zone 2	F & G
Youth Hunters	Zone 3	H, I & Y
Hunters with Disabilities	Zone 4	V & X
Hunters with Disabilities	Zone 5	M, N & P

General Hunters	ST 1	Loblolly
General Hunters	ST 2	Area A&B
General Hunters	ST 3	Schafer

General Hunters	Zone 6	S & U
General Hunters	Zone 7	Q & T
General Hunters	Zone 8	M-R
General Hunters	Zone 9	K & L

