

2025 Calendar of Events

Mackay Island National Wildlife Refuge

Dike Gate Access

The construction project at Live Oak Point is paused until March. The area beyond the Dike Gate will only be open in December for Open Roads Days as noted below. The area will remain closed to all public entry until the second phase of construction is completed in March. This page will be updated with the 2026 schedule when construction is finished.

Calendar

Date	Event	Description
Oct 23-26	Refuge Deer Hunt	One of 5 open periods to hunt deer on the refuge.
Oct 30-Nov 2	Refuge Deer Hunt	One of 5 open periods to hunt deer on the refuge.
Nov 6-9	Refuge Deer Hunt	One of 5 open periods to hunt deer on the refuge.
Nov 13-16	Refuge Deer Hunt	One of 5 open periods to hunt deer on the refuge.
Nov 27-30	Refuge Deer Hunt	One of 5 open periods to hunt deer on the refuge.
Dec 4-7	Open Roads Days	Roads normally closed to public vehicle access will open for wildlife viewing and fishing 7am to sunset