



Big Game Hunt Orientation 2021 - 2022

Be Aware of Special Events occurring in 2021...




- On Saturday, October 2, the Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company is conducting a horse roundup within the north grazing paddock (north of Gadwall Pool / E-Pool). The entire Refuge remains open for the Archery Hunt.
- Beginning Saturday, November 13th through Wednesday, November 17th, the Refuge will again host the Freedom Hunters. This group is authorized to use shotguns in a section of the Archery Only Zone (area depicted as White Hills between D-Dike and Beach Road; west of Wildlife Loop).
- Beginning Thursday, November 25th through Saturday, November 27th the Refuge will be closed to hunting (Refuge waterfowl week celebration).


Reminder: Areas of the refuge may need to close for management purposes, or other hazardous conditions that pose a threat to human health and safety. Such closures will be posted at the hunt register station.


Refuge Hunt Permits



YOUR HUNT BROCHURE SERVES AS YOUR HUNT PERMIT. Each hunter must print & sign their brochure.

White-tailed Deer Archery Hunt – Chincoteague NWR	
<p>White-tailed Deer</p> <p>Early Archery Hunt Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">October 2 – November 1No hunting on Sundays. <p>Hunt Hours</p> <p>In accordance with state law. Refuge main gate opens at 5:00 am.</p> <p>Daily Hunter Limit</p> <p>On a first come, first served basis, a maximum of 125 archers are allowed in the field daily.</p> <p>Bag Limits</p> <p>Sika Hunters may take up to five sika daily, two of which may be antlered.</p> <p>White-tailed Deer: Limits apply for all seasons regardless of weapon used.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Only one antlerless deer may be taken per license year.Only one antlered buck, having at least (3) antlered points one inch or larger on one side may be taken per license year. <p>The taking of wildlife other than sika and white-tailed deer is prohibited.</p> <p>General Regulations</p> <p>We allow hunting of white-tailed deer and sika in designated areas of the refuge in accordance with State law subject to the following federal regulations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">We allow holders of a refuge hunt permit to access areas of the refuge typically closed to the non-hunting public. All occupants of a vehicle or hunt party must possess a refuge hunt permit and be actively engaged in hunting. We allow an exception for those persons aiding a disabled person who possesses a valid State-issued Commonwealth of Virginia Disabled Resident Lifetime License or Commonwealth of Virginia Resident Disabled Veterans Lifetime License.No hunting within 100 feet (30.5 meters) of any building.You must park your vehicle in designated areas (See map).You must sign in at the hunter register station prior to entering your hunt zone and sign out upon exiting your hunt zone. All hunters must	<p>RETAIN A COPY OF THIS BROCHURE, WHICH SERVES AS YOUR HUNT PERMIT IN THE FIELD. This permit must be displayed on your vehicle dashboard. You do not need to submit a copy to the refuge.</p> <p>By signing below I acknowledge that I have read and understand the refuge hunt regulations and agree to abide by the regulations governing hunting on the refuge.</p> <p>John Doe</p> <p>Hunter Name - Printed <i>John Doe</i></p> <p>Hunter Signature</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Name - Printed (Required for hunters less than 16 years old)</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Signature</p> <p>Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge 8231 Beach Road Chincoteague, VA 23136 757/336-6122 www.fws.gov/refuge/chincoteague</p> <p>Federal Relay Service for the deaf and hard of hearing 1 800/877 8339 TDD / 1 800/828 1140 voice.</p> <p>U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service 1 800 344 WILD http://www.fws.gov</p> <p>August 2021</p> 

White-tailed Deer Firearms Hunt – Chincoteague NWR	
<p>White-tailed Deer</p> <p>Hunt Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">November 13, 2021No hunting on SundaysNo hunting November 25 – 28, 2021 <p>Hunt Hours</p> <p>In accordance with state law. Refuge main gate opens at 5:00 am.</p> <p>Bag Limits</p> <p>Sika: Hunters may take up to five sika daily, two of which may be antlered.</p> <p>White-tailed Deer: Limits apply for all seasons regardless of weapon used.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Only one antlerless deer may be taken per license year.Only one antlered buck, having at least (3) antlered points one inch or larger on one side may be taken per license year. <p>The taking of wildlife other than sika and white-tailed deer is prohibited.</p> <p>Types of Available Hunts</p> <p>All First Come/First Served</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">Firearms Zones<ul style="list-style-type: none">Northern Hunt Zone - 50 Hunters MaximumTom Cove Hook Zone - 10 Hunters MaximumArchery Zone<ul style="list-style-type: none">Archery Only Zone - 60 Hunters MaximumNo firearms permitted <p>General Regulations</p> <p>We allow hunting of white-tailed deer and sika in designated areas of the refuge in accordance with State law subject to the following federal regulations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">We allow holders of a refuge hunt permit to access areas of the refuge typically closed to the non-hunting public. All occupants of a vehicle or hunt party must possess a refuge hunt permit and be actively engaged in hunting. We allow an exception for those persons aiding a disabled person who possesses a valid State-issued Commonwealth of Virginia Disabled Resident Lifetime License or Commonwealth of Virginia Resident Disabled Veterans Lifetime License.	<p>RETAIN A COPY OF THIS BROCHURE, WHICH SERVES AS YOUR HUNT PERMIT IN THE FIELD. This permit must be displayed on your vehicle dashboard. You do not need to submit a copy to the refuge.</p> <p>By signing below I acknowledge that I have read and understand the refuge hunt regulations and agree to abide by the regulations governing hunting on the refuge.</p> <p>Jane Buck</p> <p>Hunter Name - Printed <i>Jane Buck</i></p> <p>Hunter Signature</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Name - Printed (Required for hunters less than 16 years old)</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Signature</p> <p>Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge 8231 Beach Road Chincoteague, VA 23136 757/336-6122 www.fws.gov/refuge/chincoteague</p> <p>Federal Relay Service for the deaf and hard of hearing 1 800/877 8339 TDD / 1 800/828 1140 voice.</p> <p>U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service 1 800 344 WILD http://www.fws.gov</p> <p>August 2021</p> 

White-tailed Deer Hunt - Wallops Island NWR	
<p>White Tailed Deer</p> <p>Hunt Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">State of Virginia seasons applyNo hunting on Sundays. <p>Hunt Hours</p> <p>In accordance with state law.</p> <p>Bag Limits</p> <p>White-tailed Deer: In accordance with state law.</p> <p>The taking of wildlife other than sika and white-tailed deer is prohibited.</p> <p>General</p> <p>We allow areas of the refuge typically closed to the non-hunting public. All occupants of a vehicle or hunt party must possess a refuge hunt permit and be actively engaged in hunting. We allow an exception for those persons aiding a disabled person who possesses a valid State-issued Commonwealth of Virginia Disabled Resident Lifetime License or Commonwealth of Virginia Resident Disabled Veterans Lifetime License.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">No hunting within 100 feet (30.5 meters) of any building.You may not hunt, discharge a weapon, or rock an arrow or crossbow bolt within 50 feet (15.2 meters) of the center line of any road or trail, whether improved or unimproved.You must park your vehicle in designated areas.You must possess and carry a refuge permit.You must sign in and out at the kiosk and report all harvest no later than two hours after the end of legal shooting hours.Areas of the refuge may need to close for management purposes, or other hazardous conditions that pose a threat to human health and safety. Such closures will be posted at the hunter register station.You may use portable tree stands and they	<p>RETAIN A COPY OF THIS BROCHURE, WHICH SERVES AS YOUR HUNT PERMIT IN THE FIELD. This permit must be displayed on your vehicle dashboard. You do not need to submit a copy to the refuge.</p> <p>By signing below I acknowledge that I have read and understand the refuge hunt regulations and agree to abide by the regulations governing hunting on the refuge.</p> <p>Mark Stag</p> <p>Hunter Name - Printed <i>Mark Stag</i></p> <p>Hunter Signature</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Name - Printed (Required for hunters less than 16 years old)</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Signature</p> 

PRINT, SIGN BELOW AND RETAIN A COPY OF THIS BROCHURE, WHICH SERVES AS YOUR HUNT PERMIT IN THE FIELD. This permit must be displayed on your vehicle dashboard. You do not need to submit a copy to the refuge.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have read and understand the refuge hunt regulations and agree to abide by the regulations governing hunting on the refuge.

Display your Refuge Hunt Permit



Permits must be displayed while hunting on the dashboard of your vehicle in such a way that all of the occupants of that vehicle's permits are visible.



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John Doe
Hunter Name - Printed

John Doe
Hunter Signature

Parent/Guardian Name - Printed
(Required for hunters less than 16 years old)



Parent/Guardian Signature

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Refuge Hunt Permit



Your hunt permit is...

- **valid throughout each Chincoteague Refuge hunt season.**
- **for hunting access only. All occupants of your vehicle must possess a valid hunt permit and be engaged in hunting in order to access portions of the refuge typically closed to the public.**

Refuge Hunt Permits may be revoked at anytime for failure to abide by the conditions or for any violation of state or refuge regulations.

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Licenses And Permits



In addition, you need a



State Resident or Nonresident *Hunting License*

AND

State Resident or Nonresident *Big Game License*.

Per Virginia, Accomack County was just included in the Earn a Buck (EAB) program. This DOES NOT apply to public lands and only applies to those hunting private property.

Virginia hunting and fishing license information can be found at dwr.virginia.gov/licenses

Licenses And Permits



Hunters using archery tackle during the archery season must also acquire a State Resident Archery License or Nonresident Archery License (If Hunting with a Longbow, Recurve, Compound Bow or Crossbow).



Hunters using a muzzleloader or archery tackle during the State's firearms deer season dates DO NOT need the additional archery or muzzleloading license.

Early Archery Season



Early archery dates: Saturday, October 2nd through Friday, November 12th.

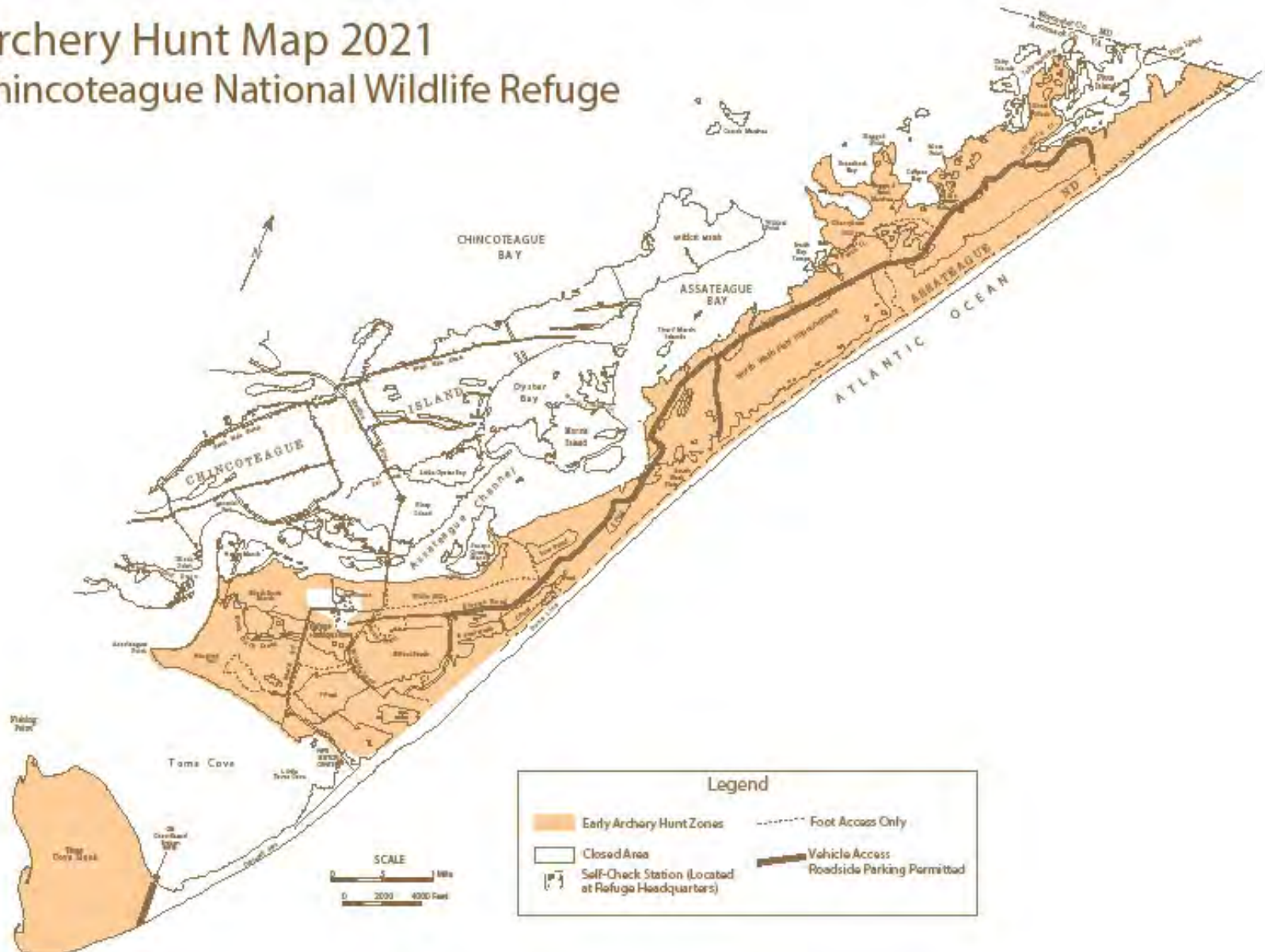
- **No hunting or access to hunt areas permitted on Sundays.**
- **The refuge gate will open at 5:00am.**
- **Hunt hours are 1/2 hour before sunrise till 1/2 hour after sunset. All hunters must be signed out no later than 2 hours after legal shooting hours.**
- **This is a first come / first served hunt with a maximum of 125 archers allowed in the field.**





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**NATIONAL
WILDLIFE
REFUGE
SYSTEM**



Firearms Season



- Firearms season begins Saturday November 13th, the same as the State.
- The initial opening will run through Wednesday, November 24th. No hunting or access to hunt areas permitted on Sundays.
- During the initial opening the Refuge will host the Freedom Hunters (a wounded veterans organization), between November 13th and the 17th. This group is authorized to use shotguns in a portion of the Archery Only Zone (area depicted as White Hills between D-Dike and Beach Road; west of Wildlife Loop). **NO OTHER USE OF FIREARMS IN THE ARCHERY ZONE IS PERMITTED**
- The Refuge is **closed to hunting** from Thursday, November 25th through Saturday, November 27th.
- Firearms season resumes on Monday, November 29th and runs until Saturday, January 1st. No hunting or access to hunt areas permitted on Sundays.

Firearms Season



- **A maximum of 50 hunters for the Northern Firearms Zone and 10 for the Toms Cove Hook Zone are allowed.**
- **No substitutions are allowed throughout the day. You may come and go without fear of losing your spot.**
- **The refuge gate will open at 5:00am.**
- **Hunt hours are ½ hour before sunrise till ½ hour after sunset.**
- **All hunters must be signed out no later than 2 hours after legal shooting hours.**



Late Archery Season

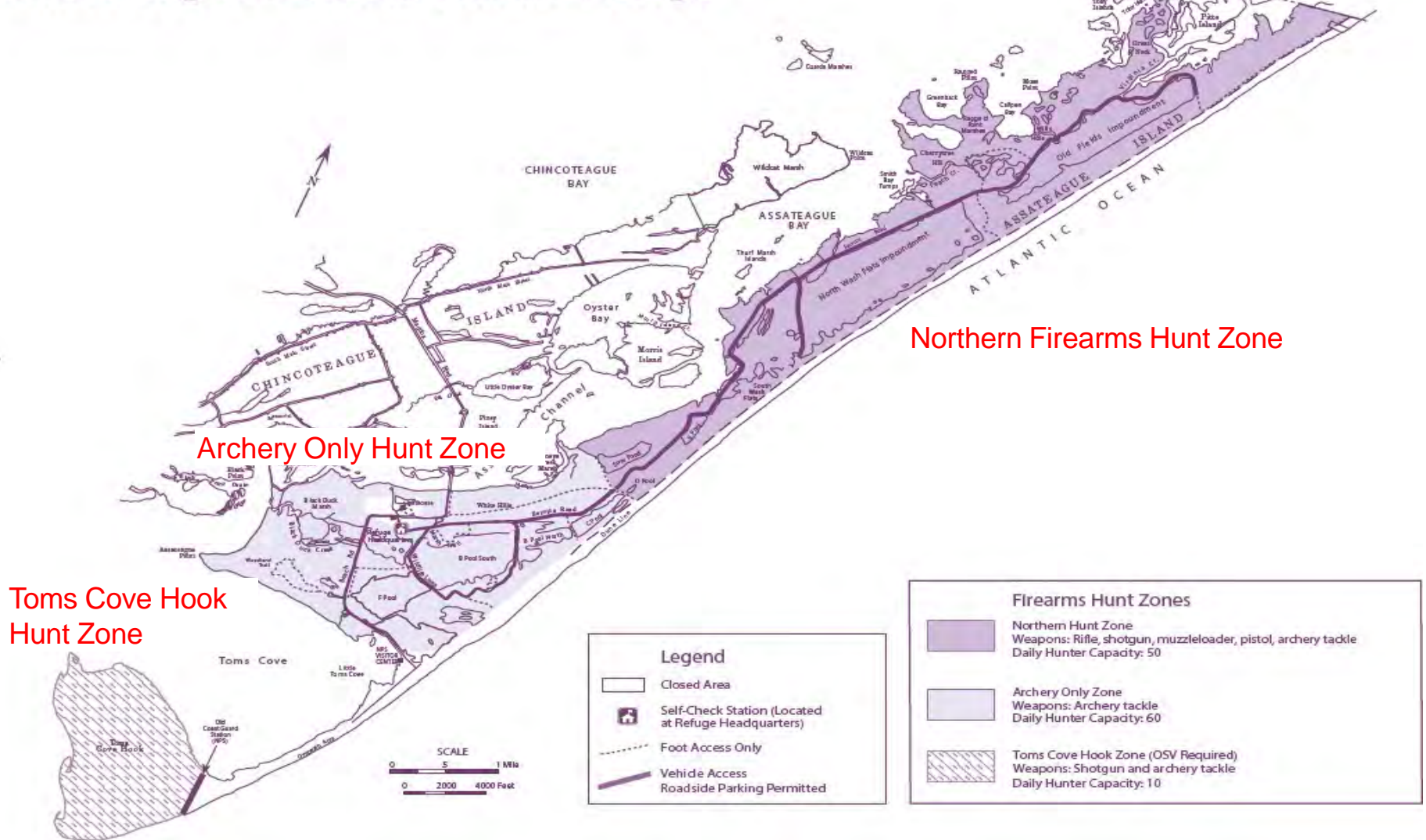


- In addition to the 2 firearms zones, there is an archery only zone (see map). Total of 60 hunters allowed per day.
- Late archery begins Saturday, November 13th and runs through Saturday, January 1st. No hunting or access to hunt areas permitted on Sundays. **No hunting during Thanksgiving / Event November 25th - November 27th.**
- Between November 13th and the 17th, the Refuge will host the Freedom Hunters (a wounded veterans organization). This group will be authorized to use shotguns in the Archery Only Zone (area depicted as White Hills between D-Dike and Beach Road; west of Wildlife Loop). **NO OTHER USE OF FIREARMS IN THE ARCHERY ZONE IS PERMITTED**
- The refuge gate will open at 5:00am.
- Hunt hours are 1/2 hour before sunrise till 1/2 hour after sunset. All hunters must be signed out no later than 2 hours after legal shooting hours.

Firearms And Late Archery Map



Firearms Hunt Map 2021 Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge



State Regulations Apply



Hunters are required to abide by the Commonwealth of Virginia's hunting regulations unless otherwise noted in the refuge hunt brochure or in this orientation.

Please visit

<https://dwr.virginia.gov/hunting/>
for a complete listing.



General Refuge Regulations



- The use of game cameras is prohibited.
- Hunting from a stand attached with nails, wire, screws, or bolts is prohibited.
- Portable stands must be removed after each hunt day.
- Cutting shooting lanes is prohibited.
- Use of a boat, ATV, or saddled animal is prohibited.
- Hunting with dogs is not allowed (Pets not allowed on the refuge, even in your vehicle).
- An entrance pass is required. Hunters are required to pay the Refuge entrance fee (Federal Duck Stamp is also accepted).



General Refuge Regulations



Blaze clothing is required of all hunters during the firearms season.

Hunters must wear a solid blaze (blaze orange or blaze pink) hat or solid blaze upper body clothing that is visible from 360 degrees or display at least 100 square inches of solid blaze material at shoulder level within body reach and visible from 360 degrees.

Hunters using ground or tree stand blinds must display a minimum of 100 square inches of blaze orange, visible from 360 degrees, on the OUTSIDE of such blinds.

Blaze camouflage is not acceptable



Blaze orange is recommended, but not required, for archery hunters during the early archery season.

General Refuge Regulations



The taking of wildlife including their parts, other than the permitted species, is prohibited.



General Refuge Regulations



The USE OR POSSESSION of Alcoholic Beverages Is Prohibited



General Refuge Regulations



Refuge Rules and Regulations

The U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service encourages you to enjoy your visit, but remember that protecting wildlife, plants, and their habitats is the priority. Regulations exist for the welfare of wildlife, as well as for your safety. Please read and comply with the following list of regulations. **Note this list is not all inclusive; therefore, remember that unless an activity is listed as permitted in a brochure or on a sign, it is not allowed.**

Permitted Activities - in designated areas only

-  Wildlife Observation, photography, interpretation and education - throughout the refuge
-  Surf Fishing - into the ocean from the beach (Follow Virginia State Regulations)
-  Hunting (with a refuge issued permit)
-  Crabbing & Shellfishing
-  Shell collecting (no more than one gallon of unoccupied sea shells per person per day)
-  Hiking
-  Bicycling
-  Boating - in Toms Cove and Assateague Channel (non-commercial)
-  Over-Sand Vehicle Use (with permit)
-  Recreational Beach (lifeguards present seasonally)
-  Horseback Riding (in South Over-Sand Vehicle Zone)
-  Climbing Assateague Lighthouse (schedule varies, call 757-336-3696)

Prohibited Activities

-  Pets (even in vehicles) - *Service dogs permitted as defined by ADA regulations. Contact us for details.*
-  Consuming alcoholic beverages
-  Disturbing, feeding, or harassing ponies or wildlife
-  Collecting, removing, or damaging plants or animals
-  Removing driftwood, bones or skeletons
-  Use of metal detectors and collecting cultural or historic objects
-  Climbing onto or digging into fragile sand dunes
-  Bicycling on the beach
-  Camping/Overnight stays
-  Open fires (except with a permit) or Fireworks
-  Boats and flotation devices within refuge water impoundments
-  Launching, landing, or operating unmanned aircraft (such as drones)
-  Firearms and weapons prohibited in government buildings

Access And Parking



All hunters must sign in and out, at the check station, anytime they enter or leave their hunt area.

There may be up to 3 different clipboards, one for each hunt type.

- **Archery Zone**
- **Northern Firearms Zone**
- **Toms Cove Hook**



Access And Parking



Hunters must park along the roadway
or adjacent parking lots in areas
designated on the hunt map for both
archery and firearms seasons



Access And Parking



The Service Rd. gate at D-Dike marks the boundary to the Northern Firearms Zone. Keep it closed.



**Do Not block roads or trails;
park off the roadway.**

Access And Parking



- Obey Posted Speed Limits
- Do not operate motor vehicles past yellow posts.
- Do Not Enter Closed Areas as designated on the hunt map.
- 100' safety zone extends around all refuge buildings.



Access And Parking



**No Parking or Driving Past
Markers at the northern end of
the Service Rd.**



Accessing the Hook

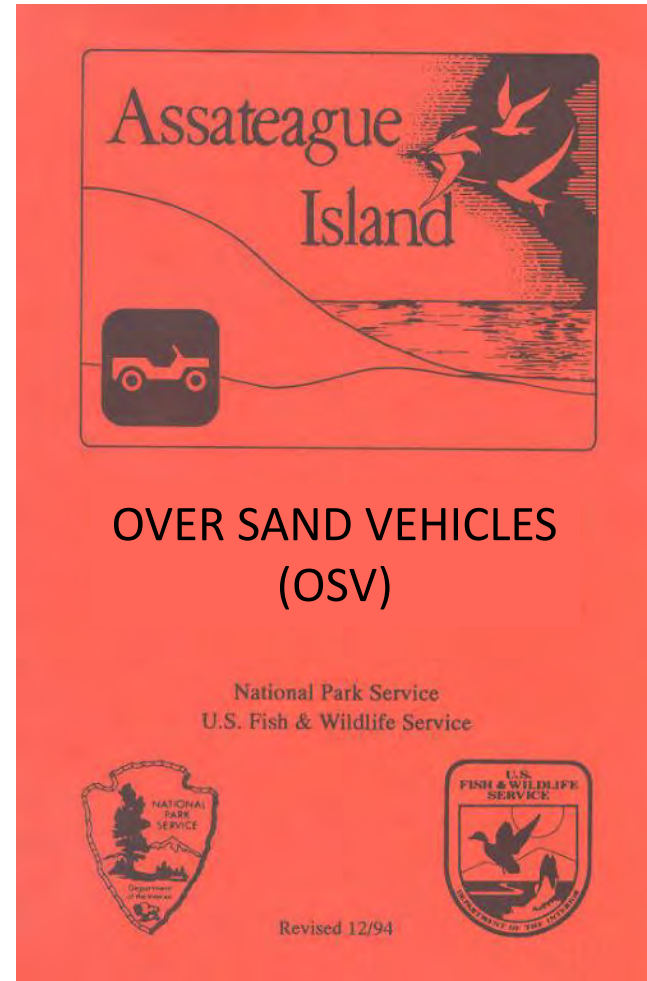


A Four Wheel Drive Vehicle is Required.

An OSV Permit is not required, however, all regulations and equipment requirements apply.

- **Shovel**
- **Tow Strap**
- **Tire Pressure Gauge**
- **Vehicle Jack**
- **Jack Support Board**

The Hook is subject to closure during periods of high tides when overwash occurs.



Bag Limits For Both Seasons



Sika

**5 Sika per person per day,
2 of which may be antlered**



Bag Limits For Both Seasons



White-tailed deer bag limit is different than the State!

On the Refuge, the white-tailed deer bag limit is combined for archery and firearms seasons.



One (1) antlered white-tailed deer
(3 points on one side)
per license year

&

One (1) antlerless white-tailed deer
per license year
may be harvested from the refuge

(EAB DOES NOT APPLY ON PUBLIC LANDS)

Tagging Requirements



Sika DPOP Tag

2021/22 VDWR Deer Population Reduction Program (DPOP) Tag Number: 1

DPOP TAG - SIKA DEER ONLY
DO NOT REMOVE TAG

Check card or confirmation number

This permit is issued for deer population reduction on the designated property of:

Chincoteague NWR (Sika Deer Either-sex)

DPOP Permit No. 2021-11 **Special Permit**

DPOP permits are valid only on the designated property and species (SIKA ONLY) listed on the permit. An unlimited number of DPOP permit deer tags may be used per hunter per day. Successful hunters must validate (notch) the DPOP tag at the place of kill. The deer must then be checked at the Refuge big game check station AND reported through the Department's telephone deer kill reporting system at 1866GOTGAME or 1 (866) 468-4263, or reported on the Department's website at <https://gamecheck.goooutdoorsvirginia.com>. Cooperators must obey all game laws and permit conditions of DPOP. Failure to comply with game laws and DPOP conditions by DPOP applicants, their associates, or guests may result in suspension of DPOP participation and denial of future DPOP participation for an indefinite period of time at the discretion of the Department.





REMOVE NOTCH TO VALIDATE TAG

- **Sheets of DPOP tags (for sika only) are available at the check station. Hunters may take 1 sheet per day (5 tags).**
- **Hunters that harvest a sika must cut out the appropriate section (notch) of the DPOP tag at the place of kill prior to moving the animal from the field.**

Tagging Requirements



White-tailed Deer Tags

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IRFD

Hunters may now validate their tags for white-tailed deer only electronically using Virginia's Go Outdoors mobile app or notch the paper tags provided with their license.

Tagging Requirements



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DO NOT use white-tailed deer tags for sika

Checking Requirement



Check your deer by:

1-866-GOT-GAME = 1-866-468-4263

Mobile Game Checking (Harvest Reporting):

<https://gooutdoorsvirginia.com>

All White-tailed Deer and Sika must be checked by all hunters, including license-exempt hunters, upon vehicle transport of the carcass or at the conclusion of legal hunting hours, whichever occurs first and without unnecessary delay.

Use of Virginia's Telephone/Mobile App Checking System is REQUIRED.

Checking Requirement



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1-866-GOT-GAME = 1-866-468-4263

Mobile Game Checking (Harvest Reporting):

<https://gooutdoorsvirginia.com>

- Sika are “deer” (not elk) for telephone checking purposes
- 2 or more deer checked at the same time may have the same number, that’s OK
- Write the check card number or confirmation number in ink on the license tag next to the notch
- It is unlawful to validate (notch) a tag from any license or special permit prior to the killing of an animal. A tag that is mistakenly validated (notched) prior to the killing of an animal must be voided by the licensee by writing, in ink, the word "VOID" on the line provided on the tag.
- Do not leave, or attempt to leave, the Refuge without a properly notched and validated tag for each kill.

Refuge Check Station



All harvested animals must be reported at the Refuge check station.

The check station may be periodically staffed at the beginning of each hunt season.

Follow self-check procedures if staff are not present.



Self-check Procedures



Step 1 – COMPLETE JAWBONE TAG: Please print legibly.

1. Deer Number: **SIKA or WHITE-TAILED**
2. Club/Cooperator Name: **CNWR**
3. County: **ACCOMACK**
4. Date: **xx/xx/xxxx format**
5. Sex of Deer: **Buck or Doe (circle one)**
6. Deer Weight: **_____ lbs. (Dressed)**
7. Sloughing/Splitting Hooves? **Yes or No**
8. Milk Present? **Yes or No**
9. No. Antler Points (≥ 1 " in length): **_____**
10. Antler Beam Diameter (mm): **_____**
11. Outside Spread (nearest 1/8") : **_____**
12. Location: **PUBLIC**
13. Hunter's Name: **_____**
14. Comments: **_____**

  **JAWBONE TAG**

1. Deer Number: SIKA

2. Club/Cooperator Name: CNWR

3. County: Accomack

4. Date: 10/05/2016

5. Sex of Deer: (circle one) Buck or Doe

6. Deer Weight (nearest pound)
Live: _____
Dressed: 54

7. Sloughing/Splitting Hooves? (circle one) Yes No

8. Milk Present? (circle one) Yes No

9. No. Antler Points: 2
(≥ 1 in in length)

10. Antler Beam Diameter: 14
(nearest mm)

11. Outside Spread: 5 3/4
(nearest 1/8 inch)

12. Location: (circle one) Public Private

13. Hunter's Name: John Buck

14. Comments: _____

Age (department use only) _____

Self-check Procedures



Step 2 – REMOVE JAWBONE (Deer may still be mounted if cheek is not cut)

Step 3 – ATTACH JAWBONE TAG & PLACE IN BUCKET

- Instructions are located inside the check-station



Wounded / Not Recovered



Wounded & not recovered deer must be reported in the check station after a reasonable attempt has been made to locate the deer.

Hunter will need to complete a field data sheet located in the check station.

Properly reported wounded and not recovered deer do not count against a hunter's bag limit.



CHECK STATION WOUNDED & NOT RECOVERED FORM

Name: _____ Date: _____ Hunt License #: VA _____

Hunt Area: _____

Species: Sika () WTD () Sex: Buck () Doe () Age: Adult () Fawn ()

Time Shot: _____ Time Spent Searching: _____

Type of Weapon: Bow () Crossbow () Rifle () Shotgun () Pistol () Muzzleloader ()

If bow or crossbow, was arrow recovered? Yes () No ()

Location of hit on deer: _____ # Times deer was hit: _____

Distance deer traveled after hit: _____ Distance trailed: _____

Additional Remarks: _____

Notes



- **Personnel will stay out of the field as much as possible; however, refuge business continues.**
- **License, permits, vehicles, guns, and game are subject to inspection.**
- **Report persons who are not hunting and are in hunt areas closed to the general public.**
- **Remove your flagging and markers from the field.**



EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

911

REPORT VIOLATIONS AND REQUEST
NON- EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

Chincoteague Police Dispatch Center

757-336-3155