

2014-2015 Frequently Asked Questions

HOW DO I APPLY?

Applications are available at www.fws.gov/refuge/Chincoteague/visit/hunting.html. Email completed forms to FW5_ChincoHunt@fws.gov before the due date. To process your application, we must receive your application fees prior to the due date!

HOW DO I PAY?

All fees for applications and permits must be paid by mail or in person using cash, check or money order. Mail payments to:

USFWS
Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge
PO Box 62
Chincoteague, VA 23336

WHAT IS THE COST?

There is a \$5 fee per application for **Firearms and Archery** and this fee *must be received by the application deadline*. If you are selected for either of these hunts, each permit will cost \$20.

The **Wallops** fee is \$25, which covers your application and permit costs.

There is no charge for the **Migratory Bird Hunting** permit or application.

HOW DO I GET MY PERMIT?

For Wallops and Migratory Birds: You will receive an email confirmation when your payment has been received. The email will contain your permit. The permit must be validated with a signature.

For Firearms and Archery: You will receive an email confirmation when your permit payment has been received. All permits will be issued at orientation and must be validated with a signature.

HOW DO I MAKE SUBSTITUTIONS OR ADD-ONS TO MY HUNT PARTY?

For Archery: Hunters must fill out the substitution form completely and email it to FW5_ChincoHunt@fws.gov at least 1 week prior to your hunt orientation. *Add-ons are not permitted for archery.*

For Firearms: Hunters must fill out the substitution or add-on form completely and email it to FW5_ChincoHunt@fws.gov at least 1 week prior to your hunt orientation. *All \$20 payments for additional hunt permits must also be received at least 1 week prior to your hunt date.*

WHAT SOFTWARE DO I NEED TO OPEN BROCHURE, APPLICATION & PERMIT DOCUMENTS?

You will need to download the most recent version of Adobe Reader. You can get this software for free at <http://get.adobe.com/reader/>.

HOW DO I CONTACT THE HUNT COORDINATOR?

Please call or email Aubrey Hall at 757-336-6122 x2324 or FW5_ChincoHunt@fws.gov.