

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
Sacramento National Wildlife Refuge Complex
Hunting Seasons and Bag Limit Summary 2021-22
(Chronological Opening Dates)

Refuge (see Key)	Species	Dates	Daily Bag Limits
2	Quail – Archery Only	August 21 - September 10	10 per day; possession triple the daily bag limit
2	Deer – Archery (Zone C4, A-1 Tag)	August 21 – September 5	One buck, forked horn or better per tag
2	Deer – Archery (Zone D3) <i>Afton, Codora, Drumheller, and Bogg's Bend Units only</i>	August 21 – September 12	One buck, forked horn or better per tag
2	Feral Pigs – Archery and Shotgun only	September 1 – March 15	One feral pig per tag
2	Dove	September 1 – 15	15 per day of which no more than 10 may be white-winged doves; possession triple the daily bag limit
2	Deer – General (Zone C4)	September 18 – October 3	One buck, forked horn or better per tag
2	Deer – General (Zone D3)	September 25 – October 31	One buck, forked horn or better per tag
2	Waterfowl – Early Resident Canada Geese	October 2 - 6	10 large Canada geese per day; possession triple the daily bag limit
1	** Waterfowl – Ducks	October 23 – January 31 <i>Except scaup - See Key #3 below</i>	7 per day; See Key #3 below ; possession triple the daily bag limit
1	** Waterfowl – Geese	October 23 – January 30	30 per day; See Key #4 below ; possession triple the daily bag limit
1	American Coot and Common Moorhen	October 23 – January 31 <i>Concurrent with duck season</i>	25 per day, 25 in possession
1	Snipe	October 16 – January 30	8 per day; possession triple the daily bag limit
2	Quail – General	October 16 – January 30	10 per day; possession triple the daily bag limit
2	Deer – G1 Late Season (Zone C4)	October 23 – 31	One buck, forked horn or better per tag
1	Pheasants – General	November 13 – December 26	2 males first two days; 3 males thereafter; possession triple the daily bag limit
2	Pheasants – Archery Only	October 7 – 31 December 27 – January 23 <i>Second Saturday in October, extending for 23 days. Fourth Monday in December, extending for 28 days</i>	2 pheasants first two days; 3 pheasants thereafter; 1 female per day; possession triple the daily bag limit

2	<u>Dove</u>	November 13 – December 27	15 per day; possession triple the daily bag limit
1	<u>Turkey</u> – Fall (shotgun/archery)	November 13 – December 12	1 either sex; 2 per season
2	<u>Turkey</u> – Spring Juniors Only	March 19 - 20 <i>Saturday and Sunday preceding opening day</i>	1 bearded per day; 3 bearded per spring season
2	<u>Turkey</u> – General Spring (shotgun/archery)	March 26 – May 1	1 bearded per day; 3 bearded per spring season
2	<u>Turkey</u> – Spring – Archery Only and/or Juniors Only	May 2 - 15	1 bearded per day; 3 bearded per spring season
2	Late <u>White Goose and White Fronted Goose</u>	February 19 - 23	30 per day See Key #4 below; possession is triple the daily bag limit

KEY:

1. **Sacramento, Delevan, Colusa, Sutter, and Sacramento River NWR** units listed below
 2. **Sacramento River NWR**, all or part of the following units: La Barranca, Todd Island, Mooney and Ohm (portions closed to waterfowl hunting), Flynn, Heron Island, Rio Vista, Foster Island, Pine Creek, Capay, Phelan Island, Jacinto, Dead Man's Reach, South Ord, Llano Seco Island 1 and 2, Sul Norte, Codora (Juniors only on weekends only), Afton, Drumheller North, Drumheller Slough, and Bogg's Bend
 3. **Daily Duck Bag Limits:** 7 ducks/ but not more than 2 hen mallards, 1 pintail (either sex), 2 canvasback, 2 redheads (either sex), 2 scaup (either sex – scaup season Nov 7 – Jan 31); possession limit is triple the daily bag limit
 4. **Daily Geese Bag Limits:** 30 geese; may include up to 20 white geese and 10 dark geese. Dark goose limit of 10 may include large Canada, small Canada, and white-fronted **EXCEPT** in the Sacramento Valley (West) Special Management Area, including Sacramento, Delevan and Colusa NWRs, where the white-fronted goose season will open October 23 through December 21 and during Youth Hunting Days; bag limit 3 white-fronted geese; possession limit is triple the daily bag limit
- **Junior Hunts (18 or younger):** Sacramento NWR = Dec. 18; Delevan NWR = Dec 11;
 - **Youth Hunting Days (17 or younger):** Balance of State Zone: The 1st Saturday following the closing of waterfowl season extending for 2 days [Feb 5 – Feb 6, 2022]