



Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge



Restricted Area Deer: 2020 Crab 1 and Crab 2 Shotgun

Illinois State hunting regulations apply to Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge

Hunt Dates: Crab 1 (November 20-22nd)

Crab 2 (December 3rd-6th)

from 4:30 am - 6:00 pm

Scouting Dates: Crab 1 (November 19th)

Crab 2 (December 2nd)

from 8am - 5pm

Before your hunt:

- ✓ Have Crab 1 or 2 hunting permit
- ✓ Review Unexploded Ordinance information
- ✓ Have Illinois hunting license and Habitat Stamp
- ✓ Have FOID Card
- ✓ Have Signed Self-Check-in Hunting Permit
- ✓ Have Signed 2020 Crab Orchard Hunting regulations
- ✓ Have a Crab Orchard NWR Entrance Pass or Duck stamp or America the Beautiful pass

During your hunt:

- ✓ Only Crab 1 / Crab 2 permit holders can be in the restricted area
- ✓ DO NOT BLOCK GATES, ROADS, OR ENTRANCE TO FIELDS.
- ✓ Deer drives prohibited
- ✓ Tree stands must be removed daily. It's illegal to damage, cut, or screw into a tree
- ✓ Only use shotgun with slug or muzzle-loader
- ✓ Bicycle use permitted.
- ✓ Weapons on bicycles must be in a case
- ✓ No hunting within 50 yards of buildings, roads, & closed to hunting areas (map)
- ✓ Possession & or use of alcoholic beverages are prohibited

After your hunt:

- ✓ Complete Crab Orchard game harvest slip and put it in the drop box
 - ✓ Report your harvest to IDNR at 1-866-452-4325
- <https://huntillinois.org/>



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