

## 2023-2024 WPAFB Hunting Seasons

Deer (Bow)	30 Sep – 4 Feb	* Shooting Preserve **Sandhill Area, <b>Mad River, along Riverview Road</b> Area B East of Gate 22-B, (Sat & Sun only), ***Tillman Pit (M-F after 1700 ONLY and all day Sat & Sun)
	1 Dec – 4 Feb	****Scout camp area
Pheasant	3 Nov – 14 Jan	Shooting Preserve
Squirrel	1 Sep - 31 Jan	Mad River/ Shooting Preserve/ Sandhill Area
Rabbit	3 Nov – 29 Feb	Mad River/ Shooting Preserve/ Sandhill Area
Fox	10 Nov - 31 Jan	Shooting Preserve / Mad River / Sandhill Area
Raccoon	10 Nov - 31 Jan	Shooting Preserve / Mad River / Sandhill Area
Coyote	No closed season	Shooting Preserve / Mad River / Sandhill Area
Woodchuck	1 Sep- 31 Mar	Shooting Preserve/ Mad River / Sandhill Area
Dove	1 Sep – 5 Nov	Mad River & Sandhill Area
	9 Dec – 1 Jan	Mad River / Sandhill Area / Shooting Preserve
Canada Goose	2 Sep- 10 Sep	Mad River & Sandhill Area
	21 Oct - 29 Oct	Mad River & Sandhill Area
	18 Nov - 12 Feb	Mad River / Sandhill Area / Shooting Preserve
Duck	21 Oct –29 Oct	Mad River & Sandhill Area
	9 Dec – 28 Jan	Mad River / Sandhill Area / Shooting Preserve
Teal	2 Sep- 17 Sep	Mad River
Woodcock	13 Oct-26 Nov	Mad River & Sandhill

**\*SHOOTING PRESERVE** - Deer-bow hunting in the shooting preserve is from ½ -hour before sunrise to ½ hour past sunset until Nov. 3 when bow hunting is from ½ hour before sunrise until 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. until ½ hour past sunset. Other areas are all day.

**\*\* SANDHILL, MAD RIVER, ALONG RIVERVIEW ROAD** – open daily from ½ hour before sunrise to ½-hour after sunset.

**\*\*\*TILLMAN PIT COMPOUND** – Must obtain key from Security Forces/LED (Bldg.295 Area A). Limit two keys with a maximum of two hunters per key at a time. NO HUNTING SOUTH/WEST OF LILLY CREEK. Hunting M-F only after 1700 and all day Sat & Sun. Refer to hunting area map for further details.

**\*\*\*\*Scout camp** will be open only from 1 Dec – 4 Feb. Refer to hunting area map for further clarification.

**\*\*\*\*\*NOTE: Deer gun season within Shooting Preserve not allowed/observed during 2023-2024 season at WPAFB.**

**NOTE: Due to increased mission requirements the Warfighter Training Center (formerly Prime BEEF area) will be closed until further notice – no hunting is permitted in that area.**

THE AUTHORIZED GUN SMALL GAME HUNTING HOURS IN THE SHOOTING PRESERVE IS 30 MINUTES BEFORE SUNRISE UNTIL SUNSET 01SEP-29 SEP THEN 1000-1400 DAILY ONCE DEER ARCHERY SEASON BEGINS. ONCE DEER ARCHERY SEASON CLOSES ON 4FEB24 HUNTING HOURS GO BACK TO 30 MINUTES BEFORE SUNRISE UNTIL SUNSET.

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