

# CLIP & CARRY POCKET GUIDE

## Small Game

		<u>DAILY LIMIT</u>
<b>Youth Squirrel Hunt</b> (Combined Species)	Oct. 1-15	6
<b>Squirrel</b> (Combined Species)	Oct. 15-Nov. 26 Dec. 12-24 Dec. 26-Feb. 28	6
<b>Ruffed Grouse</b>	Oct. 15-Nov. 26 Dec. 12-24 Dec. 26-Jan. 21	2
<b>Youth Rabbit Hunt</b>	Oct. 1-15	4
<b>Rabbit</b> (Cottontail)	Oct. 15-Nov. 26 Dec. 12-24 Dec. 26-Feb. 28	4
<b>Youth Pheasant Hunt</b>	Oct. 8-15	2
<b>Pheasant</b>	Oct. 22-Nov. 26 Dec. 12-24 Dec. 26-Feb. 28	2
<b>WMUs 2A, 2C, 4C, 4E, 5A &amp; 5B</b> Only male pheasants may be harvested		
<b>All other WMUs</b> Male or female pheasants may be harvested		
<b>PHEASANTS MAY NOT BE HUNTED OR HARVESTED IN ANY WILD PHEASANT RECOVERY AREA</b>		
<b>Bobwhite Quail</b>	Oct. 22-Nov. 26	4
Season closed in <b>WMU 5A</b>		

		<u>DAILY LIMIT</u>
<b>Snowshoe Hare</b>	Dec. 26-31 <i>Statewide</i>	1
<b>Porcupine</b>	Sept. 1-March 31 <i>Season limit of 10; season closed during overlap with regular firearms deer seasons.</i>	3
<b>Woodchuck</b>	No Closed Season, except for Sundays	No Limit
<b>Crow</b>	July 1-April 9 <i>Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays only</i>	No Limit

UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, POSSESSION LIMIT FOR SMALL GAME = 3x DAILY LIMIT

## Turkey

FALL SEASON		
WMU 1B	Oct. 29-Nov. 5	One bird limit during fall season
WMUs 1A & 2A	Oct. 29-Nov. 5 Nov. 24-26	
WMUs 2D, 2E, 2F, 2G, 2H, 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 4A, 4B, 4C & 4D	Oct. 29-Nov. 12 Nov. 24-26	Bearded or Unbearded Birds may be taken
WMUs 2B, 2C & 4E	Oct. 29-Nov. 18 Nov. 24-26	Fluorescent Orange required
WMU 5A	Nov. 3-5	

SPRING SEASON	
Youth Hunt	April 22
Statewide	April 29-May 31

Bearded Birds Only  
Only one bird may be harvested per day.  
Hunting hours shift, be sure to check

## Bear

ARCHERY	
WMUs 2B, 5C & 5D	Sept. 17-Nov. 18
WMU 5B	Oct. 1-Nov. 18
Statewide	Nov. 14-18
MUZZLELOADER	
WMUs 2B, 5B, 5C & 5D	Oct. 15-22
SPECIAL FIREARMS	
WMUs 2B, 5B, 5C & 5D	Oct. 20-22
REGULAR FIREARMS	
Statewide	Nov. 19, 21-23
EXTENDED	
WMUs 2B, 5B, 5C & 5D	Nov. 28-Dec. 10
WMUs 3B, 3C & 3D	Nov. 28-Dec. 3
WMUs 1B, 2C, 4B, 4C, 4D & 4E	Nov. 30-Dec. 3

One bear per season limit

## Elk

REGULAR SEASON	EXTENDED SEASON
Oct. 31-Nov. 5	Nov. 7-12

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Clip along dotted lines and fold along solid lines to give yourself a handy summary of seasons you can carry along with your hunting license. If you wish to print this Clip & Carry Pocket Guide on heavier paper, visit [www.pgc.pa.gov](http://www.pgc.pa.gov) to find it online.

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## HUNTING HOURS

ONE-HALF HOUR BEFORE SUNRISE TO  
ONE-HALF HOUR AFTER SUNSET

### PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONS:

**1** – During the **Regular Firearms Deer Season**, it is unlawful to take or attempt to take other wild birds or mammals, except game birds on regulated hunting grounds, migratory waterfowl, coyotes,\* feral swine, wild boar and bears.

**2** – **Raccoons, foxes, coyotes\*, bobcats, striped skunks, opossums and weasels** may be hunted any hour, day or night, except during restricted periods noted in Exception 1 (see furtaking section for more detail).

**3** – Hunting hours during **Spring Gobbler Season** are from one-half hour before sunrise until noon during the youth hunt, and from the opening day of the statewide season through the third Saturday. Beginning May 15, hours are from one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset.

**4** – **Migratory birds** (waterfowl, doves, woodcock, snipe, rails and gallinules) may be hunted from one-half hour before sunrise until sunset, except during the **September Resident Canada Goose Season** and the **Snow Goose Conservation Season**, when geese may be hunted from one-half hour before sunrise until one-half hour after sunset.

**5** – Hunting hours are noon to sunset during much of the September segment of **Dove Season** (tentative depending on federal approvals; check the Game Commission's website for details).

\* *Note: Outside of any big-game season (deer, bear, elk or turkey), coyotes may be taken with a hunting or furtaker license, and without wearing orange. During any big game season, coyotes may be taken while lawfully hunting big game (must wear orange), or with a furtaker license.*

## Furtaking

### HUNTING

		DAILY LIMIT
Raccoons & Foxes	Oct. 22-Feb. 18	No Limit
Coyotes, Striped Skunks Opossums & Weasels	No closed season, exceptions apply	No Limit
Bobcats	Jan. 14-Feb. 8	1 per license year with permit
<i>WMUs 2A, 2C, 2E, 2F, 2G, 2H, 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 4A, 4C, 4D &amp; 4E</i>		

### TRAPPING

Foxes & Coyotes	Oct. 23-Feb. 19	No Limit
	Dec. 26-Feb. 19 (Cable Restraints)	No Limit
Raccoons, Striped Skunks Opossums & Weasels	Oct. 23-Feb. 19	No Limit
Minks & Muskrats	Nov. 19-Jan. 8	No Limit
Bobcats	Dec. 17-Jan. 8	1 per license year with permit
<i>WMUs 2A, 2C, 2E, 2F, 2G, 2H, 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 4A, 4C, 4D &amp; 4E</i>		
Fishers	Dec. 17-28	1 per license year with permit
<i>WMUs 1B, 2C, 2D, 2E, 2F, 2G, 2H, 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 4D &amp; 4E</i>		
Beavers	Dec. 26-March 31	Limits vary by WMU
River Otters	Feb. 18-25	1 per license year with permit
<i>WMUs 3C &amp; 3D</i>		

## Deer

<b>Archery</b> (Antlered & Antlerless) <b>Statewide</b>	Oct. 1-Nov. 12 Dec. 26-Jan. 14
<b>Archery</b> (Antlered & Antlerless) <b>WMUs 2B, 5C &amp; 5D</b>	Sept. 17-Nov. 26 Dec. 26-Jan. 28
<b>Muzzleloader</b> (Antlerless) <b>Statewide</b>	Oct. 15-22
<b>Special Firearms</b> (Antlerless) <b>Statewide</b>	Oct. 20-22
<b>Regular Firearms</b> <b>Statewide</b>	Nov. 28-Dec. 10
<i>In WMUs 2B, 5A, 5B, 5C &amp; 5D Antlered or Antlerless deer may be taken</i>	
<i>In all other WMUs Only Antlered deer may be taken - Nov. 28-Dec. 2 Antlered or Antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 3-10</i>	
<b>Flintlock</b> (Antlered & Antlerless) <b>Statewide</b>	Dec. 26-Jan. 14
<b>Flintlock</b> (Antlered & Antlerless) <b>WMUs 2B, 5C &amp; 5D</b>	Dec. 26-Jan. 28
<b>Extended Firearms</b> (Antlerless) <b>Allegheny, Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery &amp; Philadelphia counties</b>	Dec. 26-Jan. 28

LIMIT OF 1 ANTLERED DEER PER YEAR, AND 1 ANTLERLESS DEER  
WITH EACH VALID ANTLERLESS LICENSE OR PERMIT

