

2011-12 WEST POINT HUNTING SEASONS

SPECIES	DATES	DAILY BAG LIMIT
Gray Squirrel	1 Sept – 29 Feb*	6
Cottontail Rabbit	1 Oct – 29 Feb	6
Ruffed Grouse	1 Oct – 29 Feb	4
Ring-Necked Pheasant	1 Oct – 29 Feb	2
Youth Pheasant	24 Sept, 25 Sept*	2 (No Stocking)
Wild Turkey (Fall)	1 Oct – 18 Nov	2 / season (may take both birds in 1day)
Wild Turkey (Spring 2010)	1 May – 31 May	2 bearded birds/season (only 1 bird/day)
Wild Turkey Youth Hunt	21 & 22 April	1 (may take 2 nd bird during regular spring season)
Woodcock	1 Oct – 14 Nov	3
Crow	1 Sept – 24 Mar* Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays, & Mondays only.	No limit
Canada Goose	1Sept – 25 Sept	8
	23 Oct – 13 Dec	5
	26 Dec – 9 Jan	5
	26 Feb – 10 Mar	5
Ducks & Mergansers	9 Oct – 17 Oct	6**
	6 Nov – 26 Dec	6**
Youth Hunting Duck	18 Sep – 19 Sep	6**
Raccoon, Red Fox, & Gray Fox	25 Oct – 15 Feb	No Limit
Coyote	1 Oct – 24 Mar	No Limit
Bobcat	25 Oct – 15 Feb	1 per Season

Deer (Archery) 15 Oct – 18 Nov
12 Dec – 20 Dec

Deer (Regular Firearms Season) 19 Nov – 11 Dec
Note: Antlerless take closed 26 Nov through 11 Dec

Deer (Muzzleloader) 12 Dec – 20 Dec

Black Bear (Archery) 15 Oct – 18 Nov
12 Dec – 20 Dec

Black Bear (Regular Firearms Season) 19 Nov – 11 Dec

Black Bear (Muzzleloader) 12 Dec – 20 Dec

* Season Dates in September require a 2010-11 NY hunting license.

** Duck bag limit can include no more than 2 wood ducks, 4 mallards (2 hen mallards), 1 black duck, 2 hooded merganser, 2 scaup, 2 redheads, 2 canvasbacks or 1 pintail.

2011-12 Federal Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp (Duck Stamp) is required to hunt ducks, mergansers, coots, brant and geese (age 16 years and older). All hunters that wish to hunt any migratory bird species, except crows, must register annually with the Harvest Information Program before going hunting for the first time. Call 1-888-427-5447.

Legal Shooting Hours:

All species except as noted below: sunrise to sunset (check daily for exact times.)

Waterfowl (ducks, geese, brant, and coot): 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset

Turkey (Spring season and Youth Hunt only): 1/2 hour before sunrise to 12 Noon.

(Night hunting of coyotes, raccoons, and fox: check with Range Control - 938-3930 for access)

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