Lake Ripley Management District

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Lake District Preserve Rules

- The Preserve is open to the public from sunrise to sunset. Use of the parking area is not allowed after hours.
- Leashed dogs are allowed in the Preserve as long as they stay on established trails. Dog owners must clean up after their pets by carrying out any pet waste.
- Use of motorized vehicles and bicycles are prohibited at all times.
- Visitors are asked to remain on the trails to minimize wildlife disturbance and trampling of restored vegetation.
- It is illegal to litter, deface, destroy, or vandalize any structure, sign or natural growth.
- Hunting is permitted during legal hunting seasons and with a valid Wisconsin hunting license on the main District Preserve. Unleashed hunting dogs may accompany their owners. *The LRMD adopted guidelines for the use of tree stands, ground blinds and trail cameras concurrent to rules for lands and property owned by or under control of the DNR.* [NOTE: Hikers are encouraged to wear blaze orange clothing when visiting the Preserve during the spring and fall hunting seasons.]
    - Hunting **is not permitted** on the inlet stream properties.
- Limited trapping is allowed by special permit only. Contact the Lake Ripley Management District for an application form and further instructions.
- Treestands and groundblinds are restricted in the Preserve.

The Lake Ripley Management District continually strives to improve the Lake District Preserve and make it more accessible to visitors. Please call us at 608- 445-4536 if you wish to report a problem or would like more information, including current volunteer opportunities.