General Hunting Rules

Sign-in and Sign-out Required. Personal vehicles must be parked in main parking area only.

Hunters are responsible and liable for any injury or damage in which they or their Guests are involved in while on Club Property. Know your target, what's in front of it, and what's behind it before pulling the trigger. Members are encouraged to check their Personal Liability Coverage.

Weslaco shall not be held responsible for accidents or injuries sustained by a Member or Guest while Hunting on Club Property.

Small Game Hunting is not allowed anywhere on Club Property during designated time slots for Pheasant Releases. If there is no release during a designated time slot, then hunting is permitted. Refer to Pheasant Hunting Rules for days and times.

When signing in, check the map by the clubhouse door to see if there are deer hunters on the property. Be courteous and avoid those areas.

When signing out, record any game you have harvested.

Use of Off-Road Vehicles (O.R.V.) for recreational purposes is not permitted on Club Property during Hunting Season. O.R.V.s may be used for pheasant releases, large game retrieval, corn feeder filling, and club maintenance purposes. Otherwise, O.R.V.s are to remain on designated roads.

There is a 200 ft. Buffer Zone around the Club Property Border. You are only allowed to shoot toward the center of Club Property when you are within this Buffer Zone.

All Ohio Department of Natural Resources (O.D.N.R) Hunting Laws are to be followed as well as The Ohio General Revised Code and Division of Wildlife Hunting Regulations.

Deer Hunting Specific Rules

When signing in, put a tag with your name and cell number on the Deer Tree Stand Map, located to the left of the clubhouse door. Indicate on the map where you will be Hunting. If you will be hunting a location without a hook on the map, then use tape or thumb tack to attach your tag for the appropriate location. Also indicate where will you be hunting in the Sign In Book. Be courteous and avoid hunting too close to other Hunters.

For safety reasons all members must return to the club house after hunting, sign out and remove their name tag from the map.

All Tree Stands and Blinds are on a "first come, first served" basis including Members Personal Deer Stands and Blinds.

If you put out a Personal Tree Stand or Blind on Club Property, you should first get the location approved by contacting the Deer Tree Stand Committee Chairman. Tree stands should have a safety line. The member's name is to be on the Deer Tree Stand or Blind and it should be marked on the Clubhouse Map with a hook.

Personal stands that are left longer than one season should be inspected before each season for safety, straps and safety line replaced if needed, and ensure the name is legible.

Each person taking a Deer must report the kill that day. Record it on the sign-in book when signing out. List Doe or Buck and number of points.

A safety harness is required for use of Deer Tree Stands on Club Property. Harnesses are available in the back room of the clubhouse. Please return them after each use so they are available to all.

Do not use existing Wooden Tree Stands even if the ladder or stairs appear stable. **No New Wooden Tree Stands are to be constructed.**

Do not cut down trees to create shooting lanes. Brush and small trees with a trunk diameter of 1 inch or less is permitted but should be done sparingly.

There will be No Trespassing or Hunting on Neighboring Private Property.

If you find yourself having to retrieve the Deer you just hit and it runs on to one of our Neighbors Property, you need to ask permission to enter their property.

Please call our O.D.N.R Division of Wildlife Officer for Geauga County, Matt Madgar @ (330) 245-3035, Geauga County Sheriff Department @ (440) 286-1234 or President Gene Scott.

Remember we want to be courteous to our surrounding neighbors.