



NEWARK'S FALL HUNTING SEASON - 2015 -16

Newark offers small game, migratory bird and deer hunting opportunities in the Newark Pequannock Watershed. **Newark's Watershed hunting season, while similar to the State of New Jersey's hunting season, does differ in some instances and usually is more restrictive.** The Newark Watershed resource is a prime area for small game and big game hunting. A large percentage of the area is preserved for hunting during appropriate seasons.

SMALL GAME HUNTING:

- Ruffed grouse season (North Zone) October 17 – December 5, 14, 15, 17 – 31
- Gray Squirrel September 26, December 5, 14, 15, 17 – 31
- Rabbit and Partridge November 7, December 5, 14, 15, 17 – 31
- Coyote and Fox (Statewide- Bow Only) October 3 – November 6
- Coyote and Fox (Shotgun & Bow) November 7 – March 15, 2016

MIGRATORY BIRDS:

- Ducks (Regular – North Zone) October 10 -22, November 14 – January 9, 2016
- Canadian Goose N/A – No early season
- Woodcock (North Zone) October 17 – November 21

DEER HUNTING:

- Fall bow (Zone 3) October 3 – 30
- Fall Bow (Zone 6) September 12 – October 30
- Permit Bow (Zone 3) October 31 – November 29
- Permit Bow (Zone 6) October 31 – December 24, December 26-31
- Six-Day Firearm (Statewide) December 7 – 12
- Permit Shotgun (Zone 3) December 16 – 18
- Permit Shotgun (Zone 6) 3 days only December 16 – 18
- Muzzleloader (Zone 3) November 30 – December 1; 14, 15, 19, 24, 26 – 31
- Muzzleloader (Zone 6) November 30- December 1, 14, 15, 19-24, 26 – 31
- Winter bow (Zone 3 & 6) January 1 – 31, 2016

TURKEY HUNTING: Zone 6 & 7 **NO FALL TURKEY HUNTING FOR 2015**

SPECIAL HUNTING SEASON

Coyote & Fox (only)

January 1 – March 15, 2016

(Hunters must have special permit issued by the State of New Jersey, Division of Fish and Wildlife.)

SAFETY: Please adhere to all Newark Watershed buffer zones, restricted areas and safety zones. Violations of these restrictions can lead to a revocation of your Newark Watershed Permit. No baiting is allowed. No Sunday hunting is allowed. All hunters must be 18 or over.