

WMA SCHEDULES

FORT POLK - VERNON

Owner: U.S. Army and U.S. Forest Service (105,545 acres, Lake Charles Office)

Daily military clearance is required to hunt any game. Registration for use of Self-Clearing Permit required once per year at Building #8590, North Fort Polk or the building at Alligator Lake entrance, telephone 1-888-718-3029 or (337) 531-5715 to obtain information on areas open for hunting. Either-sex deer season daily permits available at daily permit stations. Trappers must also register at Building #8590 and use self-clearing system. Special regulations apply to ATV users. This information available where permits are issued or at http://www.jrtc-polk.army.mil/fpk_hunt/.

Experimental Hunting Area: Refer to Fort Polk WMA Hunting Map. Small game and squirrel hunting with dogs allowed Nov. 26 - Feb. 28 in Mill Creek 2 Alpha (MC2A) and Mill Creek 2 Bravo (MC2B) Mill Creek Unit. This area will be closed to deer and hog hunting during this time.

Deer Archery (either-sex): Sept. 15 - Jan. 15. Special Archery regulations for Cantonment Areas, check locally at Building #8590. Either-sex deer legal Sept. 15 - Jan. 15. Remainder of WMA restricted to bucks only when bucks only gun season is in progress.

Deer Firearms (either-sex): Oct. 27-28 and Nov. 23-25, mandatory deer check.

Deer Firearms (bucks only): Oct. 29 - Nov. 22 and Dec. 8 - Jan. 1

Deer Primitive Firearms (either-sex): Oct. 13-19. Self-clearing Permit required, Special Permit, Building #8590. A selected portion of the area to be open.

Small Game and Waterfowl: Same as outside **EXCEPT WATERFOWL CLOSED** after 2 p.m. and **EXCEPT CLOSED** Oct. 27-28 and Nov. 23-25 and **EXCEPT CLOSED** to squirrel hunting during the spring season. Hunter orange must be worn when bucks only gun hunts for deer are in progress. Squirrel hunting with dogs allowed Nov. 26 - Dec. 7 and Jan. 2 - Feb. 28.

Feral Hogs: May be taken by properly licensed hunters from Sept. 15 - Jan. 1. Hunters may hunt feral hogs with shotguns loaded with buckshot or slugs from Jan. 1 - Feb. 28. Hunters must display 400 square inches of "hunter orange" and wear a "hunter orange" cap during special shotgun season for feral hogs.

Feral Hogs: Special regulations pertaining to fishing are posted at specific lakes.

GRASSY LAKE

Owner: LDWF (12,983 acres, Opelousas Office)

AREA CLOSED: Oct. 27-28, to all hunters **EXCEPT** Youth Hunters.

Deer Archery (bucks only): Oct. 1-15

Deer Archery (either-sex): Oct. 16 - Feb. 15

Deer Youth (either-sex): Oct. 27-28