

2002 - 2003  
NORMAN G. WILDER WILDLIFE AREA  
PETERSBURG TRACT

Persons may hunt on the Norman G. Wilder Wildlife Area only as directed by these rules, which have been established by Regulation 25 of the Division of Fish and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 103, 7 Delaware Code.

**A. HUNTING PERMITTED IN SEASON**

1. Do not trespass onto private lands.
2. Deer hunting is permitted on the bird dog trial area near the C & R Center and dog training area near Berrytown Rd, but closed on the fenced beagle club area. Most internal roads will be closed to vehicles during muzzleloader and shotgun seasons.
3. Except as noted in 2 (above) hunting is not permitted on the beagle club and bird dog field trial areas and Safety Zones around buildings.
4. Off road use of motorized vehicles (including tax ditch right-of-ways) is unlawful without a permit.
5. This area has fields planted with grain or sunflowers and mowed prior to the dove season to attract doves. Pre-season scouting is advised. These areas are marked with a "D" on the front of the map. Call 284-4795 or 739-5297 for information.
6. Small game hunting closed during the December and January deer shotgun seasons (open during January muzzleloader season).
7. A valid Norman G. Wilder Wildlife Area turkey hunting permit is required for spring turkey hunting.
8. Fox chasing is prohibited until 1:00 PM during the turkey hunting season.
9. Non-resident hunters may not participate in deer drives, and residents limited to 6 drivers during organized drives.

**B. DOG TRAINING**

Dog training permitted on designated dog training areas all year except during firearm deer seasons. No firearms permitted in area adjacent to Berrytown Rd outside of hunting seasons. Firearms permitted on C&R Center area all year while training.

**STATE WILDLIFE AREA USE REGULATIONS**

<b>FIREARMS</b>	-No firearms on Division lands from March 1 - August 31 except by permit during legal hunting seasons and as authorized by the Division of Fish and Wildlife in writing. Target shooting is prohibited. Call Ommelanden Shooting Range for year-round target shooting information at 323-5333.
<b>HUNTING</b>	- <u>Permitted only as designated</u> on area maps. No trapping except by valid contract holders.
<b>VEHICLES</b>	-No off highway vehicles, either registered or unregistered permitted. No excessive noise; adequate mufflers required. Speed limit 20 m.p.h.
<b>TRESPASS HOURS</b>	- <u>No entry into closed area.</u> -Entry limited from <u>sunrise to sunset</u> except to lawfully hunt and fish.
<b>CAMPING/ SWIMMING</b>	-No unauthorized camping or swimming.
<b>DUMPING</b>	- <u>Dumping is strictly prohibited.</u>
<b>HORSEBACK RIDING</b>	-Horses may be used only on established roads open to vehicular traffic except for activities approved by the Division.

**PLEASE OBSERVE THE COURTESIES OF A GOOD SPORTSMAN  
HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE OUTING**

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H. Lloyd Alexander, Acting Director

For further information, contact the Division of Fish and Wildlife, Dover, Delaware (telephone: 284-4795 or 739-5297).

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