

# 2010-2011 Seasons, Dates and Limits

Species	Opening Date	Closing Date	Daily Bag Limit	Possession Limit	Season Limit			
*Wild Boar (Gun)	October 23	October 30	1					
*Wild Boar (Archery)	October 16	December 31						
*Deer (Buck)	November 22	December 4	See pages 12-16 and antlerless table page 18. See pages 17, 23 and 28 for special September Archery and Muzzleloader seasons.					
*Deer (Archery)	September 13	September 18						
Split Season	October 16	December 31						
*Deer (Antlerless)	November 22**	December 11						
Split Season	December 29	December 31						
Hampshire County	October 29	October 30						
*Deer (Muzzleloader)	September 20	September 25						
Split Season	December 13	December 18						
*Deer (Youth/Class Q/QQ)	October 30	October 30				1		
Split Season (See pages 29-30)	December 27	December 28				1	2	2
*Bear (Archery)	October 16	November 20	1 See pages 38-39					
*Bear (Gun) (Selected Counties - page 39)	September 27	September 29						
	September 27	October 2						
	November 22	December 4						
	December 6	December 31						
*Turkey, Fall (Selected Counties - page 33)	October 23	October 30	1					
	October 23	November 6						
	October 23	November 20						
*Turkey (Spring 2011 - Bearded Only)	April 25	May 21	1	2	2			
*Turkey (2011 Youth Season - page 33)	April 23	April 23	1 - counts towards spring season bag limit of two					
Squirrel (Gray, Black, Albino and Fox)	October 9	January 31	6	24	None			
Small Game (Youth Season - page 30)	October 2	October 2	See page 30					
Ruffed Grouse	October 16	February 28	4	16	None			
Bobwhite Quail	November 6	January 1	3	9	None			
Cottontail Rabbit	November 6	February 28	5	20	None			
Snowshoe or Varying Hare	November 6	February 28	2	8	None			
Ring-necked Pheasant (cock birds only)	November 6	January 1	2	2	None			
Hillcrest WMA (cock birds only)	November 13	December 4	1	1	None			
Raccoon (Hunting) The bag limit during an 11-hour period beginning at 6 p.m. and ending at 5 a.m. is four raccoons for each person or groups of persons hunting as a party.	October 16	February 28	4	None	None			
Raccoon (Trapping)	November 6	February 28	None					
Red Fox, Gray Fox (Hunting and Trapping)	November 6	February 28	None					
*Bobcat (Hunting and Trapping)	November 6	February 28	3					
Mink, Muskrat (Trapping)	November 6	February 28	None					
*Fisher (Trapping)	November 6	January 31	1					
*Beaver (Trapping)	November 6	March 31	None					
Crow - Split Season Nuisance Crows - crows committing depredations upon ornamental or shade trees, agricultural crops, home gardens, livestock, or wildlife, or when concentrated so as to constitute a health hazard and or other nuisance may be killed at any time.	October 1	November 20	None					
	January 1	March 5						
Coyote (Hunting - day)***	Continuous Open Season		None					
Coyote (Hunting - night)***	January 1	July 31						
Skunk, Opossum, Woodchuck, Weasel, English Sparrow, European Starling and Pigeon (Hunting)	Continuous Open Season		None					
Skunk, Opossum, Coyote, and Weasel (Trapping)	November 6	February 28						
Mountain Lion, Elk, Otter, Song and Insectivorous Birds, Hawks, Falcons and Eagles			No Open Season					
Geese, Ducks, Mourning Doves, Gallinules, Rails, Woodcock, and Common Snipe			Harvest Information Program (HIP) registration required. See WVDNR Migratory Bird Hunting regulations available in September.					
* Must be checked at an official game checking station    ** December 5 Closed    *** See page 6 for additional regulations								