

# 2010-11 KENTUCKY HUNTING SEASONS

DEER	Statewide	Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3	Zone 4
Modern Gun		Nov. 13-28, 2010 (either sex)		Nov. 13-22, 2010 (either sex)	Nov. 13-22, 2010 (antlered only)
Archery		Sept. 4, 2010 - Jan. 17, 2011 (either sex)			Sept. 4, 2010 - Jan. 17, 2011 (either sex, except antlered only Oct. 16-17, Nov. 13-22 and Dec. 11-16)
Crossbow		Oct. 1-17 and Nov. 13 - Dec. 31, 2010 (either sex)			Oct. 1-17 and Nov. 13 - Dec. 31, 2010 (either sex, except antlered only Oct. 16-17, Nov. 13-22 and Dec. 11-16)
Muzzleloader		Oct. 16-17 and Dec. 11-19, 2010 (either sex)			Oct. 16-17 and Dec. 11-16 (antlered only) and Dec. 17-19, 2010 (either sex)
Youth-only Firearms	Oct. 9-10, 2010 (either sex)				
Free Youth Weekend*	Jan. 1-2, 2011 (either sex)				

\*During the Free Youth Deer Hunting Weekend, hunters ages 15 and under may hunt deer with a firearm without a license or deer permit, if accompanied by an adult. (See pages 20-21 for county zones, harvest restrictions and hunter requirements for each zone.)

ELK (all EHUs)	Firearms	Archery	Crossbow
Antlered, week 1	Oct. 2-8, 2010	Oct. 2-8 and Oct. 16, 2010 - Jan. 17, 2011	Oct. 2-8, Oct. 16-17 and Nov. 13 - Dec. 31, 2010
Antlered, week 2	Oct. 9-15, 2010	Oct. 9, 2010 - Jan 17, 2011	Oct. 9-17 and Nov. 13 - Dec. 31, 2010
Antlerless, week 1	Dec. 11-17, 2010	Oct. 16 - Dec. 17 and Dec. 25, 2010 - Jan. 17, 2011	Oct. 16-17, Nov. 13 - Dec. 17 and Dec. 25-31, 2010
Antlerless, week 2	Dec. 18-24, 2010	Oct. 16 - Dec. 10 and Dec. 18, 2010 - Jan. 17, 2011	Oct. 16-17, Nov. 13 - Dec. 10 and Dec. 18-31, 2010

Hunters must follow deer season and equipment regulations to take elk from any county **NOT included in the 16-county elk restoration zone (out-of-zone)**, and must have an out-of-zone elk permit (pg. 32). See pg. 30 for Paul Van Booven WMA youth quota hunt.

BEAR	Firearms, archery and crossbow
	Dec. 18-19, 2010 in Harlan, Letcher and Pike counties only.

FALL TURKEY	Shotgun	Archery	Crossbow
	Oct. 23-29 and Dec. 4-10, 2010	Sept. 4, 2010 - Jan. 17, 2011	Oct. 1-17 and Nov. 13 - Dec. 31, 2010

### Some dates differ

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SMALL GAME & FURBEARERS	All seasons are statewide unless otherwise indicated.	
	Hunting	Trapping
<b>Squirrel</b>	Aug. 21 - Nov. 12 and Nov. 15, 2010 - Feb. 28, 2011	Noon Nov. 15, 2010 - Feb. 28, 2011
<b>Raccoon &amp; Opossum</b>	Nov. 1, 2010 - Feb. 28, 2011; hunting only at night during Modern Gun Deer Season.	Noon Nov. 15, 2010 - Feb. 28, 2011
<b>Coyote</b>	year-round	
<b>Bobcat</b>	Noon Nov. 20, 2010 - Jan. 31, 2011	
<b>Crow</b>	Sept. 1 - Nov. 7, 2010 and Jan. 4 - Feb. 28, 2011	
<b>Bullfrog</b>	Noon May 21 - Oct. 31, 2010	
<b>Falconry</b>	Sept. 1, 2010 - Mar. 30, 2011	
<b>Otter, Muskrat, Mink, Beaver, Red Fox, Gray Fox, Weasel &amp; Striped Skunk</b>	Noon Nov. 15, 2010 - Feb. 28, 2011	
<b>Wild Hog* &amp; Groundhog</b>	year-round	
<b>Free Youth Small Game Hunting &amp; Trapping Week</b>	Jan. 1-7, 2011	

Rabbit & Quail
Nov. 15, 2010 - Feb. 10, 2011, in the following counties: Allen, Ballard, Butler, Caldwell, Calloway, Carlisle, Christian, Crittenden, Daviess, Fulton, Graves, Hancock, Henderson, Hickman, Hopkins, Livingston, Logan, Lyon, Marshall, McLean, McCracken, Muhlenberg, Ohio, Simpson, Todd, Trigg, Union, Warren and Webster. Rabbits may be trapped noon Nov. 15, 2010 - Feb. 10, 2011 in these counties.
Nov. 1-12 and Nov. 15, 2010 - Jan. 31, 2011 in all other counties. Rabbits may be trapped noon Nov. 15, 2010 - Jan. 31, 2011 in these counties.
Grouse
Nov. 1-12 and Nov. 15, 2010 - Feb. 28, 2011 in the following counties only: Adair, Bath, Bell, Boyd, Bracken, Breathitt, Campbell, Carter, Clark, Clay, Clinton, Cumberland, Elliott, Estill, Fleming, Floyd, Garrard, Greenup, Harlan, Harrison, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Lewis, Lincoln, Madison, Magoffin, Martin, Mason, McCreary, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Nicholas, Owsley, Pendleton, Perry, Pike, Powell, Pulaski, Robertson, Rockcastle, Rowan, Russell, Wayne, Whitley and Wolfe.

\* It is illegal to possess live wild hogs in Kentucky; all trapped hogs must be killed at the trap site, and not released.

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