FORT MOORE CANTONMENT AREA

2024



ARCHERY HUNTING

Ethics/Safety/Information Brief

Available on –line for review at Fort Moore's iSportsman or NRMB Facebook pages.

Archery Qualification Shoots. Must review Safety Briefing Prior to Qualification

Location: NRMB Office Archery Range
Dates: (June - August) will be sent to participants
once they have reviewed the safety presentation and
emailed (jeffery.w.hutcherson.civ@army.mil) requesting a shoot time.

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General Information

Only archery hunting is allowed in the Cantonment Areas, as delineated on the included maps, for deer, feral swine and coyotes **IAW Hunting Reg. 200-1.**

Cantonment Area Hunting Eligibility

Authorized individuals include personnel who are granted authorized hunter privileges (see Ch 3-2 b. (1-12) of Regulation 200-1). <u>NO</u> hunters with <u>GUEST</u> <u>PERMITS</u> will be <u>ALLOWED</u> to hunt in Cantonment Areas.

Hunter Ethics/Safety/Information Brief

- Participants must have a valid "authorized" hunter Access Pass and Post Hunting Permit to participate.
- Participants <u>MUST</u> review safety briefing prior to being eligible to participate in Qualification Shoot.

Archery Qualification Shoot

- All participants <u>MUST</u> have already reviewed ethics/safety/information presentation.
- Participants <u>MUST</u> demonstrate proficiency.
- Participants <u>MUST</u> bring and use own safety harness, bow and broadheads (practice mechanicals o.k.)
- To qualify, 2 of 3 broadhead arrows must hit 8" target at 30 yards from elevated platform.
- <u>ONLY</u> one attempt per archer at each qualification.
- Participants will <u>ONLY</u> be granted a total of two attempts to qualify.
- Each successful qualifier will receive a Cantonment Area Archery Qualification Card/Access Pass (CAAQCAP).
- CAAQCAP's expire 1 September every year.

Scouting

- Scouting is allowed <u>ONLY</u> between the hours of 1100 and 1400 during deer season.
- Hunters must check in through iSportsman to scout.

Check in Procedures

- All hunters will check in using the iSportsman automated system and can <u>ONLY</u> check into <u>ONE AREA AT A TIME!</u>
- Check-in codes are on maps on reverse.
- Harvested game must be reported to iSportsman.

Tree Stands

- All hunters are required to hunt in an elevated portable stand at least 10' off the ground. No permanent stands, stalking, or ground hunting.
- IAW Hunting Reg. 200-1 stands must be marked and hunters must use a safety harness.
- No screw-in pegs may be used. Other climbing devices (strap-on steps, ladders, and climbing sticks) are allowed.

Parking

- Parked vehicles cannot impede traffic flow.
- CAAQCAP and Fort Moore hunting and fishing access pass must be visibly displayed through the front windshield of the vehicle.

Additional Information

- All hunters should be discrete in their presence and are required to vacate the area if other recreational or training activities are ongoing within 200' of their hunting location.
- No stand locations are permitted within 200' of roads, houses, walking trails, schools including school grounds or other occupied infrastructure.
- Avoid confrontations. Be polite and courteous to non-hunters encountered while afield.
- Hunters should focus on harvesting does and feral swine as the primary mission of this program is herd reduction to minimize hazards and impacts these species have in urban areas.

Additional Information (continued.....)

- Cantonment Hunt Area is nearly 4,000 acres. If a hunter is already in the area you intend to hunt, be courteous and respectful and find another place to hunt. Act in a professional and ethical manner! Any confrontations will result in immediate suspension from the program.
- No firearms of any type can be in your possession while afield or in your vehicle while parked in or adjacent to a Cantonment hunting area.
- If wounded game leaves the designated cantonment hunting area contact MP's before tracking.
- See websites for large scale hunting area maps.
- Any violations of the rules and regulation related to Cantonment hunting or Reg. 200-1 will result in a minimum 12 month suspension. Contact Fort Moore Natural Resource Management Branch with any questions or issues.







