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1980-1981 HUNTING REGULATIONS SUMMARY

Effective through August 1981 or until replaced

Regulations on trapping and guiding are in a separate publication available on request.

Migratory bird hunting regulations are published each September.

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SEE CENTERFOLD MAP FOR SEASONS AND ZONES

TO LOCATE YOUR WARDEN

Because of changing locations, telephone numbers, and so on, printing a list of wardens is not feasible. To locate the warden in your area, we suggest you inquire of police or town offices, guides or camp owners, or if convenient, phoning the Department office in Augusta or other areas. See page 23 for phone numbers.

FIRE PERMITS

Using fire outdoors often requires a permit. Check with town fire wardens in organized towns and with forest rangers in unorganized territory.

HUNTER CHECK STATIONS

We suggest that whether you are successful or not, you stop in at one of the Department's deer hunter check stations (which are not registration stations). Our wildlife biologists collect information which is valuable in determining regional deer herd productivity, condition and sex and age ratios. You will receive facts and figures from last year's season, and the information you provide will be a basis for management decisions to be made next year.

A WARNING ABOUT HUNTING ACCIDENTS

Fatal accidents frequently involve experienced hunters, who may be overanxious to bag their deer or other game. These accidents are classified under the heading "Mistaken Identity." There isn't any need for them to occur if every hunter will wait until he is sure of his target. Experienced hunters usually hit what they aim at, and when human lives are at stake, they should be absolutely certain they are shooting only at game.

The "Ten Commandments of Hunting Safety" point out the pitfalls which cause accidents. Memorize them and live by them in the woods and fields of Maine.

Proper color of hunting clothes can play an important part of a safe hunt. Scientific tests, plus our own accident records, show fluorescent hunter orange to be the most protective.

1980-1981 HUNTING AND TRAPPING LICENSE FEES

Maine law does not permit refunds on licenses.

NONRESIDENT CITIZEN

	1980	1981**
Big Game Hunting (10 years and older)	65.50	65.00
Combination Hunting and Fishing (16 and older). .	***	87.00
Small Game Hunting (16 and older)	35.50	35.00
Junior Small Game Hunting (10 to 15 years inclusive)	15.50	15.00
Archery Hunting (16 and older).	35.50	35.00
Guide (18 and older)	130.00	130.00
Trapping (any age)	255.00	300.00

NONRESIDENT ALIEN

Big Game Hunting (10 and older).	105.00	105.00
Combination Hunting and Fishing (10 and older). .	***	140.00
Small Game Hunting (10 and older)	***	50.00
Archery Hunting (16 and older).	***	50.00
Guide (18 and older)	155.00	155.00

RESIDENT

Hunting (16 and older).	9.50	9.00
Combination Hunting and Fishing (16 and older). .	16.50	16.00
Junior Hunting (10 to 15 years inclusive)	1.50	1.00
Combination Hunting and Fishing (70 and older) .	free*	free*
Combination Fishing and Archery Hunting (16 and older)	16.50	16.00
Serviceman (resident) Combination Hunting and Fishing	5.50	5.00
Disabled War Veteran (resident).	free*	free*
Archery Hunting (16 and older).	9.50	9.00
Trapping (16 and older)	15.00	25.00
Junior Trapping (10 to 15 years inclusive).	5.00	5.00
Guide (18 and older)	34.00	34.00
Resident deer transportation tag (in-state).	5.50	4.50
Resident deer transportation tag (out of state) . . .	55.50	55.00

OTHER FEES

Duplicate license (see note below)	1.00	1.00
Pheasant Hunting Stamp	5.25	5.25
Breeder	15.00	15.00
Hide dealer (resident).	34.00	34.00
Hide dealer (nonresident)	68.00	68.00
Taxidermist	9.00	9.00

*For method of application, write or call the Department office in Augusta.

**As of Jan. 1, 1981, issuing agents shall charge a fee of \$1.00 for each hunting license sold. Prices in this column do not include any fees.

***New license in 1981.

LICENSES, STAMPS

1. The possession of any firearm in the fields or forests or on the water or ice within the territorial limits of Maine by anyone not lawfully allowed to hunt at that time shall be prima facie evidence of hunting in violation of law.

2. Any resident over 10 years of age and members of his immediate family over 10 years of age may hunt without a license — with firearms only — on any single plot of land in excess of 10 acres to which they are legally entitled to possession and on which they are actually domiciled and which land is used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

3. Any resident domiciled in this state, and any nonresident, may hunt wild birds and animals if he is 10 years of age or older and has a written license which shall be kept on his person while hunting or transporting birds and animals, or parts thereof, and which shall be exhibited to any warden, employee of the Department, guide, or landowner, upon request. Any person under 16 years of age shall be accompanied at all times while hunting, by a parent or guardian or by an adult approved by parent or guardian.

4. Residents shall procure licenses from the town clerk or agent in their town or residence or, if domiciled in an unorganized territory, from the clerk or agent in the nearest town.

5. Nonresidents may buy licenses — in person or through the mail — from the Department office in Augusta or from any of the numerous license agents throughout the state.

6. The archery license allows hunting of deer during the special archery season on deer and hunting any wild animal, including deer, during any open season on that animal. No person under the age of 12 may hunt with bow and arrow at any time.

7. No person may hunt or possess any pheasant unless he has on his person an unexpired Maine pheasant hunting stamp, validated by his signature in ink across the face of the stamp. Stamps are available where licenses are sold.

8. Properly licensed persons engaged in falconry must also have a valid hunting license and are subject to all regulations regarding seasons and bag limits. The commissioner shall revoke the falconry license of any person convicted of violating any provisions of the fish and wildlife laws.

9. Free hunting, fishing, and trapping license is issued to any Indian over the age of 10 of the Passamaquoddy, Penobscot, Maliseet, or Micmac tribes who presents a certificate from the respective reservation governor or the president of the Association of Aroostook Indians stating that the person described is an Indian and a member of that tribe.

10. A complimentary license to hunt or fish, or a combination hunting and fishing license, shall be issued to any resident of Maine 70 years of age or older who applies for such license. The application shall be accompanied by a birth certificate or other certified evidence of the applicant's date of birth and residency. Each such license shall remain valid for three calendar years from date of issue.

11. It shall be unlawful for any person to have in his possession any license issued under the fish and wildlife laws, which has been altered, tampered with or mutilated in any manner.
12. Any person serving in the Armed Forces of the United States who is permanently stationed at a military or naval post, station, or base in the state; that person's spouse; and that person's children, provided that the spouse and children permanently reside with that person; shall be eligible for any fishing or hunting license, or combination fishing and hunting license, at the resident fee and shall have the same privileges as Maine residents in regard to hunting and fishing.
13. The commissioner may issue complimentary hunting and fishing licenses to a resident of Maine, and to a person from another state, who is suffering from paraplegia or from the loss of, or the loss of the use of both lower extremities, provided that the state where the person applying for a complimentary nonresident license resides, provides a reciprocal privilege for residents of this state who are similarly suffering.
14. A resident license to hunt or fish shall be issued, at a fee equal to the resident license fee for a person of like age and status, to any citizen of a foreign nation under 21 years of age who is domiciled with a family within the state pursuant to any cultural or educational exchange program conducted by any government, educational, cultural, or religious organization.
15. Any person found guilty of burglary or criminal trespass of a building within the unorganized territory; theft of any equipment used for trapping, hunting, or fishing; or theft of any animal obtained by trapping or hunting and which was in the possession or control of the person who trapped or hunted the animal is not eligible to obtain any license or permit issued by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. If the conviction was a first conviction, the person convicted is not eligible to obtain any license issued by the Department within two years of the date of that first conviction.
16. It shall be unlawful for a town clerk or agent to willfully issue any resident license to a person not a resident of the municipality in which the license is issued. It shall be the responsibility of the applicant to submit proof of residency, to the agent or the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, or both.
17. Any person obtaining through fraud, misstatement, or misrepresentation any license authorized in the fish and wildlife laws shall be subject to the penalties set forth therein.
18. The commissioner may revoke licenses for up to one year for conviction of certain violations. Revocation for one or more years shall become effective the next January 1st following date of final disposition. Anyone whose license has been revoked may request a hearing by the commissioner.

FLUORESCENT COLOR

Anyone hunting with a firearm during the open firearms season on deer must wear an article of hunter orange clothing which is in good and serviceable condition and which is visible from all sides—except waterfowl hunters hunting from a boat, blind, or in conjunction with waterfowl decoys.

TRANSPORTATION, REGISTRATION, AND POSSESSION OF GAME

Transportation of game. No person shall transport or offer for transportation, nor shall any person or carrier accept for transportation or transport, any game animal or bird, or parts thereof, except as provided in the fish and wildlife laws.

No person or carrier shall transport any game bird or animal, or parts thereof, in closed season except that any person who has killed said game in open season shall have a reasonable time after the beginning of the closed season in which to transport said game to his home.

Any carrier accepting any game for transportation shall be satisfied that the person presenting said game for shipment is the person to whom the hunter's license offered for inspection was issued and shall securely affix any tags and such other identification and make such returns to the commissioner as may be required by the fish and wildlife laws.

It shall be unlawful for any person or corporation to transport or offer for transportation at any time any wild hares or rabbits destined beyond the limits of this state.

POSSESSION OF GAME

1. It is unlawful to hunt any wild animal or wild bird during the closed season on that species, or to possess any wild bird or wild animal taken during the closed season on that species.

2. No person shall hunt or possess wild birds or wild animals, or parts thereof, except in accordance with the fish and wildlife laws and rules promulgated under them.

3. It is unlawful to keep upland game and furbearing animals alive into or during closed season, after taking them in open season, except under regulations for game breeder's license, menagerie license, and importation permit.

4. Except as may be provided otherwise, it is unlawful:

- A. To possess at any time any parts of a deer or bear that has not been legally registered;
- B. To possess more than one bear and one deer in any one calendar year;
- C. To hunt, kill, or possess any moose or caribou unless lawfully taken and registered, or kept alive under a menagerie license.

5. No person shall possess any part or parts of a deer or bear unless each separate part is plainly labelled with the name and address of:

- A. The person who registered the animal; and
- B. The party to whom it was given; and
- C. If it was transported lawfully by a third party (except lawfully by a common carrier), the third party.

6. Any wild bird or animal, or part thereof, found in possession of any person in violation of provisions of the fish and game laws and regulations, is subject to seizure and shall become the property of the state.

IF YOU KILL A DEER OR BEAR

**The following legal requirements must be met.
Failure to comply is a violation of law.**

1. The deer or bear must be tagged at once with the appropriate tag section of your license, carrying your full name and address.
2. You may not leave a deer or bear for more than 12 hours before registration unless you notify a warden of its location and the reasons for leaving it.
3. If you kill a deer during the special archery season on deer, you must have it inspected and registered by a warden.
4. When you move or transport your deer or bear, it must carry the tag portion of your license (see 1, above) and must be open to view. You must accompany the deer or bear except as specified by other provisions of law.
5. Except for deer killed during the special archery season on deer, you must present the deer or bear for registration at the first open deer or bear registration station on your route back from your hunting area and must register it in your name.
6. You may not keep a deer or bear at your home or any place of storage — except a registration station — for more than 12 hours unless the animal has been legally registered.
7. You may not present for registration or allow to be registered in your name any deer or bear you yourself did not lawfully kill.

IF YOU ARE A MAINE RESIDENT

1. You may transport your properly registered deer or bear to your home if you accompany it, or you may have it transported without your accompanying it by buying a deer or bear transportation tag which must be attached to the animal while it is being transported.
2. You may have a properly registered deer or bear transported out of state by buying a deer or bear transportation tag which must be attached to the animal while it is being transported. (No fee shall be charged for this tag for Maine residents serving in the armed forces of the United States.)

IF YOU ARE A NONRESIDENT

1. You may have a properly registered deer or bear transported beyond the boundaries of this state under the following conditions:
 - A. Your hunting license entitles you to have game which you have legally killed (and registered, in the case of deer and bear) transported to your home without further fee to the State of Maine.
 - B. Your deer, bear, or other game, or parts thereof, may be transported by a Maine licensed transportation company, including common carriers.
 - C. It may be transported by other than a Maine licensed transportation company, including common carriers, when accompanied by a nonresident transportation permit, which you may obtain from the warden in whose district the game was killed, or from any inland fish and game warden supervisor.

BIRDS, UPLAND GAME, FURBEARERS

The following shall be considered upland game:

Cottontail rabbit and snowshoe hare	Ruffed and spruce grouse
Gray and red squirrel	Wild turkey
Ring necked pheasant	Woodchuck

The following shall be considered fur-bearing animals:

Bear	Coyote	Mink	Raccoon
Beaver	Fisher	Muskrat	Skunk
Bobcat	Fox	Opossum	Weasel
Canada lynx	Marten (sable)	Otter	Wolf

No person shall hunt or have in his possession any eagle.

No person shall hunt, kill or have in his possession, living or dead, any wild bird, including turkeys, except as provided in the fish and wildlife laws. No part of the plumage, skin or body of any bird protected by this section shall be sold or had in possession for sale; nor shall any person take or needlessly destroy the nest or eggs of any wild bird nor have such nest or eggs in possession. For the purpose of this section, only the ruffed grouse (partridge) and pheasant shall be considered game birds, and only the following shall be considered migratory game birds: anatidae or waterfowl, including brant, wild ducks, geese and swans; gruidae or cranes, including little brown, sandhill and whooping cranes; rallidae or rails, including coots, gallinules and sora and other rails; limicolae or shorebirds, including avocets, curlew, dowitchers, godwits, knots, oyster catchers, phalaropes, plover, sandpipers, snipe, stilts, surf birds, turnstones, willet, woodcock and yellowlegs; columbidae or pigeons, including doves and wild pigeons.

It is unlawful to hunt, capture, kill, take, possess, transport, buy, or sell any migratory game bird except as specified in regulations promulgated by the commissioner.

RULES & REGULATIONS

A. No one shall hunt or trap upland game or fur-bearing animals except during open season on the species concerned nor have in possession at one time more than the numerical limits as set forth in regulations.

B. Raccoons may be hunted at night during open season only, when the hunter (1) is accompanied by a dog, (2) uses an electric flashlight to locate raccoons that are treed, or held at bay, by a dog or dogs, and (3) is in possession of and uses only a pistol or revolver of no greater power or caliber than one which uses .22 caliber long rifle ammunition.

C. No person except an agent of the commissioner shall damage, destroy, or molest any beaver house, beaver dam, muskrat house, or muskrat den.

D. At no time may anyone hunt or trap gray squirrels on any lands which are dedicated as a public or private park or which are within the limits of compact or built-up portions of any city or town.

E. No person shall possess, sell, give away, buy, accept as a gift, offer for transportation, or transport any raw fox, bobcat, marten, fisher, beaver, coyote, raccoon, or otter skins unless each skin is tagged.

All raw skins of these species must be presented to a warden, or other agent designated by the commissioner, and each raw skin legally presented shall be tagged. A fee of 25¢ shall be paid for each skin tagged.

All raw skins of these species shall be presented for tagging within 10 days after the closing of the open season thereon, except that the raw skins of all bobcat taken during the open bobcat hunting season shall be presented, by the person who killed each bobcat, for tagging within 72 hours of killing the animal. (Note: Of these species, only bobcat, raccoon, fox and coyote may be taken by hunting.) **Note: This section applies to both hunting and trapping.**

CLOSED AREAS

1. **Deer.** There shall be a continuous closed season on deer as follows: In Hancock County — on Mt. Desert Island, all of Swan Island in the town of Swan's Island, the whole of Long Island in Long Island Plantation, and the whole of Cranberry Isles; Cross and Scotch islands in Washington County; in the town of Isle au Haut and on the islands in that town, Knox County; and in game sanctuaries established by law.

In the town of Isleboro, Waldo County, it shall be lawful to hunt deer with bow and arrow in accordance with the fish and wildlife laws during October and November each year.

Open season on deer in the town of Vinalhaven and the islands within it, and in the town of Southport and the islands within it, shall conform to the season for Knox County and Lincoln County respectively; no firearms except shotguns may be used.

2. It is unlawful to hunt, kill, trap, chase, catch or destroy any wild bird or wild animal or have firearms in possession on a wildlife sanctuary, or on any area properly posted by the State of Maine.

3. **Game sanctuaries and wildlife management areas.** No person shall except as herein provided, at any time, trap, hunt, pursue, shoot at, or kill any wild animal or any game or other wild birds within the following described territories:

Back Bay Sanctuary, Portland
Bartlett's Island Area, Hancock
County

Baxter State Park closed to all
hunting with the following ex-
ceptions: The area north of
Trout Brook and Wadleigh
Brook in T6R9; in T6R10 or
T2R9 where hunting under
General Law is allowed.

Beauchamp Sanctuary
Carver's Pond Waterfowl
Sanctuary

Colby College Area, Waterville
Deer Isle (the town) Hancock
County

Drake's Island Game Sanctuary
Dry Pond Sanctuary
Fairfield Sanctuary
Glencove Sanctuary
Gray Game Sanctuary
Hog Island Game Sanctuary

Jefferson and Whitefield
Sanctuary

Kineo Point Sanctuary

Lake Christopher Area, Oxford
County

Limington, Hollis, and Waterboro
Sanctuary

Long Lake Area, Aroostook
County

Lowell E. Barnes Area, Oxford
County

Marsh Island Area, Penobscot
County

Megunticook Lake and Vicinity
Sanctuary

Merrymeeting Bay Sanctuary

Monroe Island Game Sanctuary

Moosehead Lake Game Sanctuary

Moosehorn Game Sanctuary

Narragansett Game Sanctuary

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KEY TO STARRED
AREAS ★

- ★ 1. Old Orchard Beach
- ★ 2. West Bath
- ★ 3. Bath City
- ★ 4. Arrowsic
- ★ 5. Westport
- ★ 6. Damariscotta
- ★ 7. Friendship
- ★ 8. Owls Head
- ★ 9. Southwest Harbor
- ★ 10. Roque Bluffs
- ★ 11. Eastport City
- ★ 12. Mechanic Falls
- ★ 13. Farmingdale
- ★ 14. Hallowell City
- ★ 15. Stockton Springs
- ★ 16. Verona
- ★ 17. Forest City T9R4
- ★ 18. C Surplus Township
- ★ 19. Andover West Surplus
- ★ 20. Perkins Township
- ★ 21. Washington Township
- ★ 22. Unity Township
- ★ 23. 10,000 Acre Tract T1R6
- ★ 24. Indian Stream T1R6
- ★ 25. Little Squaw T3R5
- ★ 26. Hopkins Academy Grant
- ★ 27. East Millinocket
- ★ 28. North Yarmouth Academy Grant T1R4
- ★ 29. Upper Molunkus T1R4
- ★ 30. Sandwich Academy Grant T2R1
- ★ 31. Taunton & Raynham Grant T1R1
- ★ 32. Days Academy Grant
- ★ 33. Silver Ridge Twp.
- ★ 34. South Bristol

IN 1980, THE NORTHERN
ZONE IS CLOSED TO
ALL HUNTING OTHER THAN
MOOSE HUNTING,
WITH SPECIAL PERMIT,
FROM SEPT. 22-27.

EARLY CLOSE
OF BEAR SEASON
— 13 SEPT. —
HAD JUST BEEN
ANNOUNCED AT PRESS
TIME

NEW HAMPSHIRE



NEW ZONE LINES
FOR DEER HUNTING IN
1980. SEE SEPARATE MAP AND
DESCRIPTION OF ZONE LINES, PAGE 17

HUNTING SEASON

There is NO OPEN SEASON FOR HUNTING any species of wildlife not mentioned in this chart, except for migratory game birds and certain species in special circumstances which would be covered by issuance of special regulations.

HUNTING HOURS

Shooting hours on animals are ½ hour before sunrise to ½ hour after sunset, except that during open season on deer, hunting for all species of animal but raccoon ends at sunset. Shooting hours on migratory and upland game birds are ½ hour before sunrise to sunset unless otherwise stated in separate regulations.

NOTES

To clarify questions that arise frequently, we list the following species on which there is NO OPEN SEASON FOR HUNTING. This list is only a partial list but includes species which are most often asked about.

- Beaver
- Birds not named above (except migratory game birds)
- Canada lynx
- Fisher
- Marten (sable)
- Mink
- Muskrat
- Opossum
- Otter
- Weasel
- Wild turkey
- Wolf

- DEER: Firearms season, Northern Zone . . .
- Firearms season, Southern Zone . . .
- Firearms season, Western Zone . . .
- Special archery season, Northern Zone . . .
- Special archery season, Southern Zone . . .
- Special archery season, Western Zone . . .

- BEAR:***.
- GROUSE, RUFFED (statewide)†††
- PHEASANT: Northern Zone
- Remainder of the state

- CROW:.

- BOBCAT:††.

- COYOTE:

- FOX:.

- PORCUPINE:

- RABBIT (cottontail) and HARE (snowshoe)†:

- RACCOON: Management units 7 & 8
- Units 1,2,3,4,5,6

- SKUNK:

- SQUIRREL, GRAY:

- SQUIRREL, RED:

- WOODCHUCK:

FIRST DAY	LAST DAY	BASIC LIMITS	
		DAILY	POSSESSION
3 Nov.■	29 Nov.		
10 Nov.■	29 Nov.		
10 Nov.■	22 Nov.		
1 Oct.	31 Oct.	ONE DEER, EITHER SEX**	
1 Oct.	7 Nov.	SEE NOTE IN THE BOX ABOVE	
1 Oct.	7 Nov.	SEE NOTE IN THE BOX ABOVE	
1 May	29 Nov.	ONE BEAR, EITHER SEX**	
1 Oct.	29 Nov.	4	8
25 Sep.	29 Nov.		
1 Oct.	29 Nov.★	2	4
14 Mar.	30 Apr.	—	—
16 Jul.	29 Sep.	—	—
1 Dec.	28 Feb.	—	—
NO CLOSED SEASON FOR HUNTING			
20 Oct.	14 Feb.★	—	—
NO CLOSED SEASON FOR HUNTING			
1 Oct.	31 Mar.	4★	8
25 Oct.	29 Nov.★	—	—
20 Oct.	29 Nov.★	—	—
20 Oct.	15 Dec.	—	—
1 Oct.	29 Nov.★	4	8
NO CLOSED SEASON FOR HUNTING			
NO CLOSED SEASON FOR HUNTING			

■The Saturday before this date is open for Maine residents only.

★Actual date falls on a Sunday, but Sunday hunting is unlawful in Maine.

**All deer and bear must be registered at a registration station.

***No bear hunting with more than 4 dogs. No bear hunting with dogs during May, June, July, or in any area during regular firearms season on deer in that area.

†No rabbit hunting with dogs during firearms season on deer in Hancock, Knox, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, Waldo, and Washington counties.

††Season may be closed earlier than last day of February if harvest exceeds allowable number.

†††Ruffed grouse only. There is no open season on spruce grouse.

NOTE: Federal and state regulations on migratory birds are set after this booklet goes to press. They are available in printed form in September at the Fish and Wildlife Dept. office in Augusta.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

EASTERN STANDARD TIME

Add one hour for Daylight Saving Time, when in effect.
It usually begins the last Sunday in April and ends the last Sunday in October, each year.

DAY	JAN.		FEB.		MAR.		APR.		MAY		JUNE	
	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.
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7	7 15	4 16	6 51	4 57	6 07	5 35	5 10	6 14	4 22	6 50	3 56	7 21
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14	7 13	4 25	6 41	5 07	5 54	5 44	4 58	6 22	4 14	6 58	3 54	7 24
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21	7 08	4 33	6 30	5 16	5 41	5 53	4 46	6 31	4 06	7 06	3 55	7 27
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Oak Grove Area, Vassalboro
Ocean Park Game and Bird
Sanctuary
Orrington Game Sanctuary
Pittston Farm Sanctuary
Prout's Neck; Richmond's Island;
Cape Elizabeth Sanctuary

Rangeley Game Sanctuary in the
County of Franklin
Rangeley Lake Sanctuary
Rangeley Plantation Sanctuary
Readfield and Winthrop
Sanctuary
Salmon Pond Sanctuary
Sebago Lake Basin Area,
Standish and Windham
Somerset Game Sanctuary
Standish Sanctuary

AT AUGUSTA, MAINE

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Stonington (the town), Hancock
County
Thornrag-Stanton Bird
Sanctuary
Tomhegan Game Sanctuary

Wells Sanctuary
Wells and York Game Sanctuary
Willow Water Game Sanctuary
York Game Sanctuary in the
County of Franklin

4. No one shall hunt, molest, shoot, or kill any waterfowl on Haley Pond in the Town of Rangeley and Dallas Plantation, Franklin County.

5. No one shall fish or hunt on the property owned by the Unity Utilities District located on Route 139 and Prairie Road in the municipality of Unity in Waldo County.

HUNTING ON LANDS UNDER JURISDICTION OF THE BUREAU OF PARKS & RECREATION

1. Hunting in conformity with the laws of Maine and the regulations of the Fish and Wildlife Dept. will be allowed between October 1 and May 1 on lands under jurisdiction of the Bureau of Parks and Recreation with the following exceptions:

A. Hunting is not allowed in any Memorial.

B. Hunting will not be allowed in Cobscook Bay, Crescent Beach, Reid, Sebago Lake, Two Lights and Wolf Neck state parks; and Holbrook Island Sanctuary.

C. From time to time, work areas and areas developed for public use will be posted and closed to hunting when it is deemed to be in the best interest for public safety.

2. Violations will be prosecuted under provisions of 12 Maine Revised Statutes Annotated, Section 606 (providing for a fine of up to \$50 and costs, or imprisonment for up to 30 days or by both).

GENERAL INFORMATION

HUNTING AND TRAPPING DEFINITIONS

(These definitions apply to the fish and wildlife chapters of Title 12, Maine Revised Statutes.)

ALIEN means a person who is not a citizen of the United States.

NONRESIDENT means a person who does not fall within the definition of **RESIDENT**, below.

RESIDENT. "Resident" shall mean a citizen of the United States who has been domiciled in this state continuously during the 3 months next prior to the date on which he applies for any license under the fish and wildlife laws or an alien who has been so domiciled for one year. No person shall be considered a resident if he has not:

A. If registered to vote, registered in Maine;

B. If licensed to drive a motor vehicle, made application for a Maine motor vehicle operator's license;

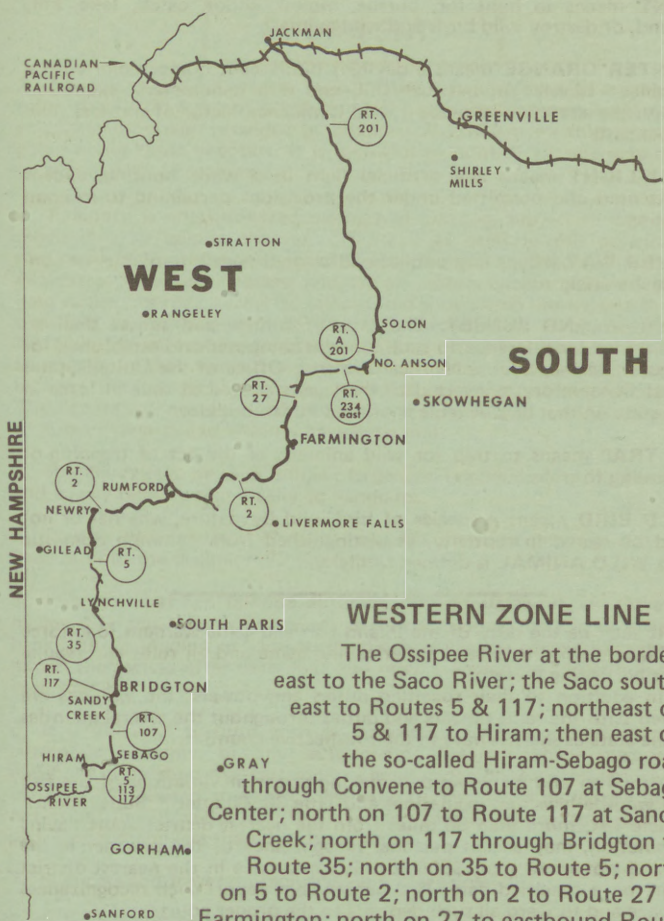
C. If owning a motor vehicle or vehicles located within the state, registered each such vehicle in Maine; and

D. Complied with the state income tax laws.

DRIVE DEER means to intentionally pursue, drive, chase, or otherwise frighten or cause a deer to move in the direction of anyone known to be waiting for the deer.

FIREARM shall include all instruments used in the propulsion of pellets, shot, shells, or bullets by the action of gunpowder or compressed air or gas exploded or released within it.

GUIDE means any person who receives any form of remuneration for his services in accompanying or assisting any person in the fields, forests, or on the waters or ice within the jurisdiction of the state while hunting, fishing, camping, or pursuing other recreational activities.



WESTERN ZONE LINE

The Ossipee River at the border, east to the Saco River; the Saco south-east to Routes 5 & 117; northeast on 5 & 117 to Hiram; then east on the so-called Hiram-Sebago road through Convene to Route 107 at Sebago Center; north on 107 to Route 117 at Sandy Creek; north on 117 through Bridgton to Route 35; north on 35 to Route 5; north on 5 to Route 2; north on 2 to Route 27 in Farmington; north on 27 to eastbound Route

234; east on 234 to Route A-201 near North Anson; north on A-201 to Route 201 in Solon; north on 201 to the Canadian Pacific Railway mainline tracks near Jackman; and the tracks west to the border.

NORTHERN ZONE

The area of the state north of the Canadian Pacific Railway mainline tracks from Vanceboro through Danforth, Mattawamkeag, Brownville Junction, Greenville, and Jackman to the border at Beattie Township.

SOUTHERN ZONE

The remainder of the state, south and east of the Northern and Western zones.

HUNT means to hunt for, pursue, molest, shoot, catch, take, kill, wound, or destroy wild birds and wild animals.

HUNTER ORANGE means a daylight fluorescent orange color with a dominant wavelength between 595 and 605 nanometers, excitation purity not less than 85 percent, and luminance factor of not less than 40 percent.

JACK-LIGHT means any artificial light used while hunting, except lights used and permitted under the provisions pertaining to raccoon hunting.

PAVED WAY means any public road treated with bituminous or concrete material.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET. The time of sunrise and sunset shall be determined by reference to such times as computed and established for Augusta, Maine, by the Nautical Almanac Office of the United States Naval Observatory, converted to the legal standard of time in force in this state on that day. A table is printed in this booklet.

TO TRAP means to trap for wild animals, or the act of trapping or attending to traps.

WILD BIRD means a species of bird wild by nature, whether or not bred or reared in captivity, as distinguished from common domestic bird. **WILD ANIMAL** is defined similarly.

A. It shall be the duty of the inland fish and game wardens to enforce all laws relating to inland fisheries and game and all rules and regulations pertaining thereto.

In addition to their specified duties and powers, the wardens are vested with the same powers and duties throughout the several counties of the state as sheriffs have in their respective counties.

B. Any fish and game warden making arrest in violations of the fish and wildlife laws and regulations and Title 38, Chapter 3, Subchapter 1, Article 1-A, more than 50 miles from the nearest district court having jurisdiction, may accept personal recognizance of the prisoner in the sum of not more than \$500 for his appearance in the nearest district court on a specified date. The warden shall report such recognizances at once and forward all such deposits to the proper court.

C. Any officer authorized to enforce the provisions of the fish and wildlife laws, if in uniform and if he has reason to believe that a violation of any of such provisions has occurred or is taking place, may at any time stop any motor vehicle, boat, vessel, airplane or conveyance of any kind for the purpose of arresting or questioning the operator or occupant thereof, or for the purpose of searching the vehicle.

D. The operator or owner having knowledge of every motor vehicle which has encountered apparent damage by accidental collision with a deer, bear, or moose shall, by the quickest means, report the accident to a game warden. The warden shall investigate and, if he finds the damage has been done as alleged, he shall give a certificate to such person entitling such person to the ownership of the carcass. Such person shall then take possession and immediately remove the entire carcass from the scene of the collision.

E. No claim for damages to motor vehicles by a protected wild animal or wild bird shall be paid by the state.

EQUIPMENT

1. No person shall hunt any wild animal or wild bird with a weapon other than a firearm not larger than 10 gauge, or long bow and arrow, except as otherwise provided by chapters 701-721 or by rules promulgated under those chapters. It is unlawful to hunt or kill any wild bird or animal with a crossbow.
2. Falconry is an authorized method of hunting, subject to laws and regulations pertaining thereto. "Raptor" as used in this paragraph means all birds commonly called buteos, accipiters, falcons and owls. Permittees may take, possess and use all raptors except golden eagles, bald eagles, ospreys, peregrine falcons, red-shouldered hawks, and those classified as "endangered" by the U.S. Department of the Interior. No one may at any time possess, capture, transport, train, or use for hunting more than two raptors except as provided for by rules and regulations. The commissioner may issue licenses for practicing falconry. The license will not be issued unless all requirements of the U.S. Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife have been met.
3. Handguns may be used, subject to general regulations for "firearms" and to any relating specifically to handguns.
4. In deer hunting, the .22 caliber rim fire **magnum** cartridge may be used but not the ordinary .22 rim fire.
5. Firearms that can operate automatically are unlawful. (Automatic means that the firearm continues to fire as long as the trigger is held back.) (Auto-loading or semi-automatic firearms are permissible; these reload themselves after each shot and require a separate trigger pull for each shot.)
6. It is unlawful to hunt with or possess in the fields or forests any automatic firearms, or any auto-loading firearms whose magazine will hold more than five cartridges. Larger capacity magazines must be permanently altered to restrict capacity to five. (This paragraph does not apply to .22 caliber rim fire cartridge guns or to any auto-loading pistol with barrel less than 8 inches long.)
7. Silencers and tracer or explosive bullets are unlawful.
8. It is unlawful to set or tend a snare, or a swivel, pivot, or set gun, or use any poisonous or stupefying substance to kill, take, harm, or molest any wild animal or bird, except as provided by law.
9. **Bow and arrow hunting for deer.**
 - A. **Equipment.** Deer may be taken under the provisions of these sections only by means of hand bow and broad head arrow. The use of crossbow or set bow is prohibited. The strength of a bow shall be determined by flight of an arrow, each bow to shoot an arrow at least 150 yards. The arrow head shall not be less than $\frac{7}{8}$ inch in width. No person shall use arrows with either poisonous or explosive tips. No person shall carry firearms of any kind while hunting with bow and arrow during the special archery season on deer.
 - B. **Application.** Except as provided in these sections, the provisions of the fish and wildlife laws relating to deer shall be applicable to the taking of deer with bow and arrow.
 - C. **Registration.** Deer killed during the special archery season on deer must be inspected and registered by a game warden.

OTHER PROVISIONS; PENALTIES

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO:

1. Discharge a firearm within 100 feet of a residential dwelling without the permission of the owner or, in his absence, of an adult occupant of the dwelling.
2. Take loaded firearms onto public school grounds or discharge them within 500 feet of any public school property, except as used in supervised educational programs or by law enforcement officials.
3. Hunt from any paved way.
4. Drive deer or take part in a drive.
5. Hunt deer or bear after having killed or registered one during the respective open season of that year.
6. Place salt or any other bait to entice deer.
7. Hunt from or molest any wild bird or animal from any motor vehicle, trailer, aircraft, snowmobile, railway car or vehicle, or a motorboat, except that a motor boat may be used in hunting migratory waterfowl in accordance with federal regulations. Paraplegics, single or double amputees of the legs, may hunt from a motor vehicle not in motion.
8. Have loaded firearms in or on any of the vehicles listed above, except as may be specifically allowed. Law enforcement officials in line of duty and persons with valid permits to carry concealed weapons are not bound by this restriction. It is permitted to carry a loaded clip or magazine in a vehicle, but it must not be inserted in a firearm.
9. Import into Maine or keep in captivity any wild bird or animal except in accordance with the fish and wildlife laws.
10. Use artificial lights between $\frac{1}{2}$ hour after sunset and $\frac{1}{2}$ hour before sunrise to illuminate or attempt to illuminate any wild birds or animals from Sept. 1 to Dec. 15 (except raccoons, as specified).
11. Use a dog, artificial light, snare, trap, pivot gun, or set gun for the hunting or killing of any deer, moose, or caribou.
12. Hunt while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs.
13. Destroy a fence or wall or crop, or leave open any gate or bars; penalty may include criminal conviction and subsequent license revocation.
14. Guide without a guide's license.
15. Buy, sell, or offer for sale or barter any deer, except that the heads and hides thereof may be sold to any licensed taxidermist for preserving and mounting, or to any dealer as provided in Sections 7351 and 7352. Whoever aids in such unlawful activity shall be punished in the manner prescribed for the principal offender.
16. Disturb or take any trap or disturb or take any furbearing animal

from a trap other than your own without the consent of the trap owner. (A landowner or legal occupant may remove a trap which has been set without his permission.)

17. It shall be unlawful to hunt wild birds or wild animals on Sunday. Possession of firearms in the fields and forests or on the waters or ice of this state or in a motor vehicle being operated on an unpaved highway or road located in an unorganized township on Sunday shall be prima facie evidence of such hunting unless such firearm is carried, securely wrapped in a complete cover, fastened in a case, or carried in at least 2 separate pieces in such a manner that it cannot be fired unless the separate pieces are joined together again. For the purpose of this paragraph a clip, magazine, or cylinder of a firearm shall not be considered a piece of such firearm.

18. A. It shall be unlawful to hunt wild birds in this state from sunset to ½ hour before sunrise of the following morning.

B. It shall be unlawful to hunt wild animals from ½ hour after sunset until ½ hour before sunrise of the following morning, except raccoons as provided. For the purpose of this section, the time shall be that which is recognized as legal in the State of Maine.

C. It shall be unlawful to hunt wild animals in the state from sunset to ½ hour before sunrise of the following morning, except raccoons, during the open season on deer hunting with firearms each year.

Title 17-A, Sec. 402 (condensed). Criminal trespass. A person is guilty of criminal trespass if, knowing that he is not licensed or privileged to do so, he enters in any secured premises or enters or remains in any place in defiance of lawful order not to enter, or to leave, which was personally communicated to him by the owner or other authorized person. As used in this section, "secured premises" means any dwelling place, any structure that is locked or barred, or any place from which persons may be lawfully excluded and which is posted in a manner prescribed by law or in a manner reasonably likely to come to the attention of intruders, or which is fenced or otherwise enclosed in a manner designed to exclude intruders. Criminal trespass is a Class D crime if the violation was by entering a dwelling place; all other criminal trespass is a Class E crime.

PENALTIES

A. The following penalty applies to persons convicted of violating the statutes pertaining to night hunting, unlawful possession of moose, hunting or possessing deer killed in closed season, and buying or selling deer:

Any person convicted of a violation shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000 and by imprisonment of not less than 3 nor more than 5 days for the first offense, and by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000 and by imprisonment of not less than 10 nor more than 15 days for each succeeding offense. No punishment under this section shall be suspended. Any firearms seized in connection with a violation of this section shall be retained by the state pending disposition of criminal proceedings and sold at public auction by the state upon conviction.

B. Violation of any of the provisions of the fish and wildlife laws or rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, excepting only those for the violation of which specific penalties have been provided, shall be a Class E crime.

C. All birds, fish or animals, or parts thereof, or equipment, involved in any violation of the night hunting law shall be subject to seizure by the state.

SAFETY

1. Persons hunting with firearms during the open firearm season on deer are required by law to wear an article of hunter orange clothing which is in good and serviceable condition and visible from all sides — except that persons hunting waterfowl from a boat or blind or in conjunction with waterfowl decoys need not wear hunter orange clothing.
2. The commissioner may seek to revoke or suspend the current license, or the privilege of obtaining a hunting license, of any person whom he reasonably believes to have killed, wounded, or recklessly endangered the safety of another human being while hunting. The license or privilege may be revoked or suspended for up to five years.
3. Negligently, carelessly, or willfully shooting and wounding or killing any domestic animals — including dogs, cats, or domestic birds — while on a hunting trip is a Class E crime.
4. Any person who knows or has reason to know he has inflicted injury to another person by use of firearms or bow and arrow shall make himself known to the victim and render such first aid and assistance as he is capable of under the circumstances. He shall thereupon, by the quickest means, notify a state police officer, sheriff, game warden, or other law enforcement officer nearest the place where the event occurred. Violation of these provisions is a Class C crime. In addition to the penalties for a Class C crime, a person convicted of violating these provisions shall be denied the right to hunt or trap anywhere in Maine for a period of 10 years.

SUMMARY OF CHAPTER 80, TITLE 17: LITTER CONTROL (Refer to statute for legal wording)

No one shall dispose of litter by any method on any public or private property or in the waters or on the ice of this state—except in areas or receptacles designated for such disposal. The fine for a first offense conviction is not less than \$25 nor more than \$200; the fine for subsequent offenses is not less than \$100 nor more than \$500. In addition, the guilty person may be directed by the court to pick and remove from the property any or all litter deposited thereon prior to the date of execution of sentence.

No one shall dispose of litter from any vehicle on private property or the right of way of public highways or on public parks, beaches, waters, etc., except in a manner properly designated for such disposal. The operator of the vehicle, as well as the person disposing of the litter, shall be in violation in such instance. Such violations will count as points under the point system of the Motor Vehicles Division, and the court may suspend the operator's license for up to 30 days.

No one shall dispose of litter from a boat; operator and the person disposing of litter shall be in violation.

HUNTER CHECK STATIONS

We suggest that whether you are successful or not, you stop in at one of the Department's deer hunter check stations (which are not registration stations). Our wildlife biologists collect information which is valuable in determining regional deer herd productivity, condition and sex and age ratios. You will receive facts and figures from last year's season, and the information you provide will be a basis for management decisions to be made next year.

TRAINING AND FIELD TRIALS; DOGS

The following sections are available upon request:

Training of dogs. Special dog training areas. Field trials for bird dogs or coon dogs. Field trials for retrieving dogs. Training and field trials for beagles and other rabbit hounds.

License necessary. No dog shall be kept within the limits of this state unless such dog shall have been licensed by its owner in accordance with the laws of Maine. "Owner" means any person or persons, firm, association or corporation owning, keeping or harboring a dog.

Dogs not to run at large. It shall be unlawful for any dog, licensed or unlicensed, to run at large, except when used for hunting. The owner or keeper of any dog found running at large shall be subject to the penalties provided by law. "At large" means off the premises of the owner and not under the control of any person by means of personal presence and attention as will reasonably control the conduct of such dog.

Disposal. Any police officer, sheriff, deputy sheriff, game warden or constable shall seize, impound, or restrain any dog in violation of the preceding paragraph and deliver such dog to any person or shelter authorized to board dogs by the Department of Agriculture. Such dogs shall be handled as strays and abandoned dogs.

Penalties. In addition to seizing and impounding the dog, the officer, having jurisdiction, may bring suit against the owner of any dog running at large, and any person upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100.

Killing for assault permitted. Any person may lawfully kill a dog which suddenly assaults him or another person when peaceably walking or riding.

PHONE NUMBERS YOU MIGHT NEED

Game Warden Headquarters

Ashland	435-3231
Greenville	695-2810
Enfield	732-4500
Machias	255-3266
Strong	778-3323
Augusta	289-2175
Scarboro	883-5108

If you are unable to locate a warden at one of the above headquarters, contact either

the Department office in Augusta (289-2766) or the nearest State Police barracks.

Regional Wildlife Biologist

Regional wildlife biologists can also be contacted at the phone numbers listed above, with the following exceptions:

Augusta	289-2536
Scarboro	883-5107
Enfield	732-3234
Strong	778-3324
Patten	528-2461

State Police Toll-free Numbers

Skowhegan	1-800-452-4664	Scarboro	1-800-482-0730
Thomaston		Orono	1-800-432-7381
Augusta		Houlton	1-800-432-7384

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