



SOUTH
CAROLINA
WILDLIFE
PARTNERSHIP
PRIVATE LANDS. PUBLIC HUNTS.



SCWP Draw Hunt- Hunter Packet (This form along with the liability waiver must be filled out and sent to epaul@sc-wp.org prior to your hunt)

Date of Hunt: _____

Where: _____

Meeting place and time: _____

Successfully drawn applicants will be contacted one week prior to the hunt date to go over hunt details.

Requirements to participate in the SCWP Private Land/Public Hunts:

Read the rules, requirements, and code of ethics fully and check the box to signify your complete understanding of the terms listed.

SCWP Partnership-Hunting Ethics-provided by SCDNR

Ethical behavior is not mandated by laws or regulations, but by an individual's sense of right. Ethics generally cover behavior that has to do with issues of fairness, respect, and responsibility not covered by laws. For instance, it's not illegal to be rude to a landowner when hunting on his or her property or to be careless and fail to close a pasture gate after opening it, but most hunters agree that discourteous and irresponsible behavior is unethical.

Hunters must agree to treat the outdoors, the activities we are participants in, and each other with respect. The future of hunting belongs to those who are willing to accept full responsibility for their actions. Sportsmen accept responsibility not only for their actions, but also for perpetuating wildlife and maintaining a high caliber of sportsmanship.

Rules of ethical conduct/SCWP requirements, and instructions:

- Always think of safety first and shooting game second
- Applicants must be hunter safety certified and provide your certification number below
- Insert the invitation code on your application
- Non-licensed hunters 15 years of age or younger must be accompanied by a licensed hunter 18 years or older as a chaperone that will not be permitted to hunt only to observe
- Respect the rights of landowners. You should never go on private property without permission and remember that cooperation and respect are the keys to getting permission to hunt
- Being successfully drawn for this hunt only grants the applicant permission by the land owner for the date of the hunt. No permission is granted prior to or after your scheduled hunt unless otherwise authorized in writing by the land owner

- Know your gun and what it can do. Maintain your equipment so it functions properly and does not pose a safety threat
- Shoot only when certain of your target and make every effort to locate crippled or lost game
- Pick up spent shells and other litter
- Clean and care for your game properly
- Alcohol and hunting on SCWP hunts are prohibited
- Be mindful of local regulations and always be properly licensed. Taking game out of season and before or after legal shooting hours is poaching, not hunting
- Realize that just being out there is what a good hunt is all about and you can have a great day without taking the bag limit
- Leave the property in a better state than when you arrived

All potential hunt participants must have successfully completed a hunter education course that is approved by the SC Department of Natural Resources (SCDNR) before submitting an application for SCWP hunts. The SCDNR offers two (2) options to take the Hunter Education Course. The preferred Hunter Education method is through a free eight (8) hour instructor-led classroom course. Instructor led classes are taught throughout the year at locations across the state. The SCDNR also offers an online self-study option for those who wish to take the course when it is convenient for them. The online option requires the student to pay a fee to complete the online course. For information on both of these class options, please visit the DNR website at www.dnr.sc.gov under the Education icon.

Inclement weather: Unexpected weather or emergency conditions that alter the hunt date. SCWP and the land owner will communicate to change the date so that the hunt will occur on another date that works for the successfully drawn applicant

Frequently Asked Question (FAQ): can be viewed on our website: www.sc-wp.org

Hunt prep/Packing list/etc. can also be viewed on our website.

Areas Marked with (*) are required to complete the application submission!

*By checking this box, you the applicant fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions of this SCWP application submission.

*Date / /2019

* Copy or image of Hunting License: _____

* Applicant email: _____@_____

* Applicant Phone #: (_____)_____/_____

* Signature: _____

**SOUTH CAROLINA WILDLIFE PARTNERSHIP
HUNTER LIABILITY WAIVER**

I understand that there are risks and dangers inherent in participating in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities. I also understand that in order to be allowed to participate in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities while I am on the property where permission was granted to the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership to conduct this activity, I must give up my rights to hold liable the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership, and its members individually, cooperating hosts, sponsors, and landowners, for any injuries or damages which I may suffer or sustain while on the said property/premises.

Knowing this, and in consideration of being permitted to participate, I hereby voluntarily release the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership, and its members individually, cooperating hosts, sponsors, and landowners, from any liability resulting from or arising out of my participation in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities on the property/premises.

I understand and agree that I am releasing not only the entities set forth in the two paragraphs above, but also the officers, agents, members, volunteers, and employees of those entities.

I understand and agree that this release will have the effect of releasing, discharging, waiving, and forever relinquishing any and all actions or causes of action that I may have or have had, whether past, present, or future, whether known or unknown, and whether anticipated or unanticipated by me, arising out of my participation in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities on the property/premises. This release constitutes a complete release, discharge, and waiver of any and all actions or causes of action against the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership, and its members individually, cooperating hosts, sponsors, and landowners.

I understand and agree that this release applies to personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death, which I may suffer, even if caused by the acts, negligence, or omissions of others.

I understand and agree that by signing this release, I am assuming full responsibility for any and all risk of death or personal injury or property damage suffered by me while participating in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities while on the property/premises.

I understand and agree that this release will be binding on me, my spouse, my heirs, my personal representatives, my assigns, my children and guardian ad litem for said children.

I understand and agree that by signing this release, I agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership, and its members individually, cooperating hosts, sponsors, and landowners, from any and all liability or costs, including attorney fees, associated with or arising from my participation in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities on the property/premises.

Print Name: _____

Signature : _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Telephone: _____

**SOUTH CAROLINA WILDLIFE PARTNERSHIP
PARENTAL RELEASE FORM**

If the applicant is not at least 17 years of age the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership requires in addition to the waiver, a parental release.

I am the parent or legal guardian of _____ who is 17 years of age or younger.

I am aware that (s)he will participate in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities on the private property where permission was granted to the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership to conduct this activity. By my signature, I grant my permission to allow the above named minor to attend and participate in any and all previously named activities on the property/premises. I understand and agree that by signing this release, I agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the South Carolina Wildlife Partnership, and its members individually, cooperating hosts, sponsors, landowners, from any and all liability or costs, including attorney fees, associated with or arising from the said minor's participation in hunting, fishing, recreational, and/or social activities on the property/premises. I understand and agree that by signing this release, I am assuming full responsibility for any and all risk of death or personal injury or property damage suffered or caused by my minor or child while (s)he is on the property. I understand and agree that this release applies to personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death, which my minor or child may suffer, even if caused by the acts, negligence, or omissions of others.

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian Printed Name: _____