

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

November 23-24, 2011

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Nov 23	10,000	5	18	0	0	5	5	13	4	0
Nov 24	10,000	5	15	0	0	2	2	10	7	0
			33	0	0	7	7	23	11	0

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Nov 23	263	0	27	0	0	18	32	13	0
Nov 24	263	0	1	0	0	10	32	7	0
			28	0	0	28	64	20	0

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Nov 23	8	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	9	19	0	0
Nov 24	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	1	0	0
	11	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	15	20	0	0

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

November 28 - December 1, 2024

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Nov 28	763	0	89	0	0	94	33	41	13
Nov 29	763	0	57	0	0	87	33	39	15
Nov 30	763	0	56	0	0	90	33	35	4
Dec 1	763	0	59	0	0	97	33	35	5
			261	0	0	368	132	150	37

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Nov 28	34	46	0	0	30	10	0	0	30	33	0	0
Nov 29	33	25	0	0	28	14	0	0	29	18	0	0
Nov 30	34	31	0	0	28	14	0	0	28	11	0	0
Dec 1	42	27	0	0	28	14	0	0	27	18	0	0
	143	129	0	0	114	52	0	0	114	80	0	0

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

December 7-8, 2024

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Dec 7	13,533	8,200	60	0	0	3	3	46	1	0
Dec 8	13,533	8,200	36	0	0	5	4	43	0	0
			96	0	0	8	7	89	1	0

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Dec 7	226	0	109	2		91	35	39	7
Dec 8	226	0	84			85	35	39	0
			193	2	0	176	70	78	7

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Dec 7	32	31	0	0	26	46	2	0	33	32	0	0
Dec 8	32	43	0	0	20	20	0	0	33	21	0	0
	64	74	0	0	46	66	2	0	66	53	0	0

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

December 11-15, 2024

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Dec 11	15,467	736	15	0	0	8	8	47	0	0
Dec 12	15,467	736	9	0	0	17	10	41	0	4
Dec 13	15,467	736	16	0	0	10	4	46	0	2
Dec 14	15,467	736	20	0	0	18	10	44	0	4
Dec 15	15,467	736	7	0	1	7	7	30	4	0
			67	0	1	60	39	208	4	10

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Dec 11	5,610	2	50	0	0	70	35	31	0
Dec 12	5,610	2	26	0	0	42	35	26	0
Dec 13	5,610	2	22	0	0	81	36	34	0
Dec 14	5,610	2	33	0	0	111	37	37	9
Dec 15	5,610	2	111	0	0	94	37	31	0
			242	0	0	398	180	159	9

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Dec 11	24	33	0	0	19	7	0	0	27	10	0	0
Dec 12	15	21	0	0	11	0	0	0	29	5	0	0
Dec 13	26	10	0	0	22	7	0	0	33	5	0	0
Dec 14	37	11	0	0	31	12	0	0	43	10	0	0
Dec 15	33	50	0	0	17	34	0	0	44	27	0	0
	135	125	0	0	100	60	0	0	176	57	0	0

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

December 26-29, 2024

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Dec 26	19,830	9,364	27	0	0	10	10	38	1	0
Dec 27	19,830	9,364	14	0	0	3	3	19	6	0
Dec 28	19,830	9,364	24	0	0	14	14	38	1	0
Dec 29	19,830	9,364	11	0	0	2	2	10	10	0
			76	0	0	29	29	105	18	0

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Dec 26	4,300	0	31	0	0	97	40	26	0
Dec 27	4,300	0	42	0	1	99	40	37	0
Dec 28	4,300	0	23	0	0	107	41	42	0
Dec 29	4,300	0	32	0	0	50	41	22	0
			128	0	1	353	162	127	0

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Dec 26	32	21	0	0	23	1	0	0	42	9	0	0
Dec 27	37	17	0	1	21	14	0	0	41	11	0	0
Dec 28	43	12	0	0	23	3	0	0	41	8	0	0
Dec 29	10	9	0	0	9	14	0	0	31	9	0	0
	122	59	0	1	76	32	0	0	155	37	0	0

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

January 2-5, 2025

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Jan 2	23,833	20,511	44	0	0	20	6	47	0	4
Jan 3	23,833	20,511	27	0	0	11	11	45	0	0
Jan 4	23,833	20,511	22	0	0	23	17	51	0	2
Jan 5	23,833	20,511	59	0	9	9	9	36	0	0
			152	0	9	63	43	179	0	6

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Jan 2	3,940	5	51	1	2	84	43	33	0
Jan 3	3,940	5	55	0	0	102	42	42	0
Jan 4	3,940	5	43	0	1	121	42	46	12
Jan 5	3,940	5	87	0	4	121	42	45	0
			236	1	7	428	169	166	12

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Jan 2	33	37	1	0	21	6	0	0	30	8	0	2
Jan 3	37	39	0	0	22	9	0	0	43	7	0	0
Jan 4	48	24	0	0	23	14	0	0	50	5	0	1
Jan 5	45	27	0	0	30	16	0	0	46	44	0	4
	163	127	1	0	96	45	0	0	169	64	0	7

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

January 15-19, 2025

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Jan 15	40,635	22,520	16	0	4	4	4	46	1	0
Jan 16	40,635	22,520	16	0	5	10	10	40	0	0
Jan 17	40,635	22,520	20	0	3	8	8	25	5	0
Jan 18	40,635	22,520	54	0	2	29	14	60	0	6
Jan 19	40,635	22,520	45	0	2	22	22	63	0	0
			151	0	16	73	58	234	6	6

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Jan 15	36,351	38,910	3	0	4	37	45	15	0
Jan 16	36,351	38,910	31	0	5	44	45	17	0
Jan 17	36,351	38,910	73	0	0	70	45	28	0
Jan 18	36,351	38,910	131	2	0	126	45	55	0
Jan 19	36,351	38,910	109	0	0	114	45	42	0
			347	2	9	391	225	157	0

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese												
Jan 15	6	0	0	0	8	2	0	0	23	1	0	4												
Jan 16	17	27	0	1	7	2	0	1	20	2	0	3												
Jan 17	25	47	0	0	18	11	0	0	26	15	0	0												
Jan 18	48	74	2	0	33	20	0	0	45	37	0	0												
Jan 19	41	61	0	0	22	21	0	0	51	27	0	0												
													137	209	2	1	88	56	0	1	165	82	0	7

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

January 22-26, 2025

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Jan 22	100,854	156,000	39	0	8	4	4	28	6	0
Jan 23	100,854	156,000	6	0	12	4	4	13	10	0
Jan 24	100,854	156,000	38	0	24	19	19	33	2	0
Jan 25	100,854	156,000	14	0	13	16	12	53	0	2
Jan 26	100,854	156,000	117	0	7	14	14	53	0	0
			214	0	64	57	53	180	18	2

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Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Jan 22	30,023	150	13	0	10	16	46	6	0
Jan 23	30,023	150	3	0	19	26	46	10	0
Jan 24	30,023	150	9	0	18	39	46	20	0
Jan 25	30,023	150	37	0	4	50	46	19	0
Jan 26	30,023	150	47	0	0	82	46	30	0
			109	0	51	213	230	85	0

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Jan 22	7	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	9	7	0	4
Jan 23	5	3	0	17	9	0	0	0	12	0	0	2
Jan 24	2	6	0	18	4	0	0	0	33	3	0	0
Jan 25	15	24	0	1	0	0	0	0	35	13	0	3
Jan 26	20	19	0	0	18	0	0	0	44	28	0	0
	49	58	0	42	31	0	0	0	133	51	0	9

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

January 29-31, 2025

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Jan 29	100,854	156,000	133	0	17	27	17	54	0	4
Jan 30	100,854	156,000	122	0	2	27	25	55	0	1
Jan 31	100,854	156,000	174	3	4	46	46	67	0	0
			429	3	23	100	88	176	0	5

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Jan 29	12,570	192	150	0	1	70	47	25	0
Jan 30	12,570	192	127	1	2	64	47	25	0
Jan 31	12,570	192	179	1	6	92	47	40	0
			456	2	9	226	141	90	0

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Jan 29	35	68	0	0	23	49	0	0	12	33	0	1
Jan 30	30	62	0	0	8	7	0	0	26	58	1	2
Jan 31	28	82	0	3	17	25	0	0	47	72	1	3
	93	212	0	3	48	81	0	0	85	163	2	6

*ground count

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

February 8-9, 2025

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Standby Hunters			Vacant Blinds	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	# Stby Hunters	Stby Success	Total Hunters		
Feb 8	40,962	20,639	69	2	8	16	16	43	0	0
Feb 9	40,962	20,639	91	0	4	10	10	28	1	0
			160	2	12	26	26	71	1	0

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA

Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn Units	Parties Drawn	Parties Turned Away
	Ducks*	Geese*	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese				
Feb 8	3,520	0	67	6	1	50	48	21	0
Feb 9	3,520	0	40	3	0	20	48	9	0
			107	9	1	70	96	30	0

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA

Date	Walk-In Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Boat Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese	Pit Hunters	Ducks	Canada geese	Snow/WF geese
Feb 8	19	12	1	0	4	11	0	0	27	44	5	1
Feb 9	15	27	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	13	0	0
	34	39	4	0	4	11	0	0	32	57	5	1

*ground count