

WELCOME TO THE COALFIELDS PALS AREA

THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISHERIES WELCOMES YOU TO THIS AREA. THESE LANDS ARE MANAGED UNDER A COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT WITH HEARTWOOD FORESTLAND FUND IV USING FUNDS FROM THE SALE OF VIRGINIA HUNTING, FISHING AND TRAPPING LICENSES AND FEDERAL SPORT FISH AND WILDLIFE RESTORATION FUNDS.

- **GENERAL**

A STATE HUNTING, FISHING OR TRAPPING LICENSE AND A PALS PERMIT ARE REQUIRED TO ENTER THIS PROPERTY TO HUNT, FISH, OR TRAP.

DISPLAY OR CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN PUBLIC IS PROHIBITED.

- **HUNTING AND TRAPPING**

PLEASE REFER TO THE CURRENT *HUNTING & TRAPPING IN VIRGINIA* DIGEST AND POSTED SIGNS FOR ANY SPECIAL SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS THAT MAY APPLY TO THIS AREA.

WHEN HUNTING ON SUNDAY, EACH HUNTER MUST HAVE IN THEIR POSSESSION THE PERMISSION LETTER PROVIDED BY FORESTLAND GROUP, LLC. THE LETTER IS AVAILABLE AT WWW.HUNTFISHVA.COM OR BY CALLING 276-783-4860.

- **FIREARMS**

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO HAVE IN POSSESSION OR IN A VEHICLE A BOW OR GUN WHICH IS NOT UNLOADED AND CASED OR DISMANTLED EXCEPT WHEN IT IS LAWFUL TO TAKE BEAR, DEER, GROUSE, PHEASANT, QUAIL, RABBIT, RACCOON, SQUIRREL, TURKEY, OR WATERFOWL; OR BY PERMIT ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT; OR BY CONCEALED CARRY PERMIT ISSUED BY A CIRCUIT COURT.

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO POSSESS OR TRANSPORT A LOADED GUN IN OR ON ANY VEHICLE AT ANY TIME ON THIS AREA.

TARGET SHOOTING IS NOT PERMITTED.

- **FISHING AND SWIMMING**

PLEASE REFER TO THE CURRENT *VIRGINIA FRESHWATER FISHING REGULATIONS* DIGEST AND POSTED SIGNS FOR ANY SPECIAL CREEL AND SIZE RESTRICTIONS THAT MAY APPLY TO THIS AREA.

SWIMMING IS PROHIBITED.

- **CAMPING AND FIRES**

NO CAMPING IS ALLOWED ON THIS PROPERTY. NO FIRES ARE PERMITTED ON THIS PROPERTY.

- **DOGS**

IT IS LAWFUL TO CHASE WITH DOGS OR TRAIN DOGS ON THIS AREA ONLY DURING AUTHORIZED HUNTING, CHASE OR TRAINING SEASONS THAT SPECIFICALLY PERMIT THESE ACTIVITIES.

DOGS MUST BE LEASHED AT ALL TIMES OUTSIDE OF OPEN HUNTING, CHASE, OR TRAINING SEASONS.

- **VEHICLES**

MOTOR VEHICLES ARE PROHIBITED BEHIND BARRICADES OR GATES DESIGNED TO PREVENT ENTRY OR WITHIN AREAS OTHERWISE POSTED TO PROHIBIT MOTOR VEHICLES.

OPERATION OF ATVs AND OTHER UNLICENSED MOTOR VEHICLES IS PROHIBITED.

CROSS-COUNTRY MOTOR VEHICLE TRAVEL (OFF-ROAD TRAVEL) IS PROHIBITED.

MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAILERS MAY BE PARKED ON THIS LAND ONLY WHEN THE RESPONSIBLE PARTY IS ENGAGED IN AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES.

- **HORSEBACK AND BICYCLE RIDING**

HORSEBACK RIDING AND BICYCLE RIDING ARE PROHIBITED

- **RESOURCE AND PROPERTY DAMAGE**

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO CONSTRUCT OR OCCUPY ANY PERMANENT STRUCTURE (INCLUDING A PERMANENTLY-AFFIXED TREE STAND).

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO CUT, MUTILATE, DESTROY OR REMOVE VEGETATION, OR TO REMOVE MINERALS, ARTIFACTS OR OTHER PROPERTY FROM THE AREA. METAL DETECTING AND ARTIFACT HUNTING ARE PROHIBITED.

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO DAMAGE, DEFACE, OR REMOVE ANY BUILDING, GATE, FENCE, SIGN, OR OTHER PROPERTY.

FOR MAPS OF THIS OR OTHER WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS GO TO: [HTTP://WWW.DGIF.VIRGINIA.GOV/](http://WWW.DGIF.VIRGINIA.GOV/) OR CONTACT THE VDGF REGIONAL OFFICE. WE HOPE YOUR VISIT IS SAFE AND ENJOYABLE AND THAT YOU WILL RETURN SOON.

THE DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISHERIES SHALL AFFORD TO ALL PERSONS AN EQUAL ACCESS TO DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS AND FACILITIES WITHOUT REGARD TO RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, DISABILITY, SEX, OR AGE.



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