

Hilltop Lakes Wildlife Team

These rules act as a guide and supplement to the Hilltop Lakes Wildlife Team by-laws. Both sets of guidance are to be followed by members of the Wildlife Team.

Violation of any of the following rules while exercising Wildlife Management privileges will result in permanent suspension of those privileges. The action will be taken by the Boards of Directors of the Hilltop Lakes Wildlife Team, and the Property Owners Association of Hilltop Lakes.

- All State Game Laws shall be followed
- Property Owners Association of Hilltop Lakes, Inc. Directives shall be followed
- Alcoholic beverages shall not be consumed while hunting

Violation of any of the following rules while exercising Wildlife Management privileges may result in a written warning or suspension of Wildlife Management privileges for a time determined by the Boards of Directors of the Hilltop Lakes Wildlife Management Team and the Property Owners Association of Hilltop Lakes.

- Registration must be completed and fee paid in full by March 31st of each year. Active duty military excluded.
- Property Owners Association Maintenance Fees shall be kept current.
- Only property owners or their family members as defined by the family membership are allowed to hunt.
- At least one Wildlife Team Meeting shall be attended each year. Meetings are held the 3rd Saturdays of March, July, and September.
- If holding Common Ground or wishing to be on the waiting list, at least one qualifying workday or other event that benefits the Hilltop Lakes community or the Wildlife Management Team must be completed.
- Membership starts March 1st and is valid until the last day of February the following year. You may setup your equipment and start hunting hogs on March 1st. You may not hunt deer until deer season starts in the fall. Signing up in January or February does not give you the ability to hunt deer until the following deer season.
- Must qualify for shot accuracy before exercising Wildlife Team privileges. To qualify, 3 out of 5 shots must be within a 5 inch circle at 20 yards.
- Harvesting deer and untrapped hogs shall be by bow or crossbow only. Airbows are prohibited.
- Trapping of hogs is allowed. However, snares, leg holds, jaw traps, or dogs are prohibited.
- Current season's parking permit shall be displayed from vehicle rear-view mirror at all times.

- All arrows, cameras, feeders, stands, traps, etc., shall be marked with team number. Feeders shall also display the current season's sticker.
- Shooting from ground level is not allowed. All stands must be a minimum of 6 feet above the ground. This is measured from the ground to the shooting platform. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- Permission forms shall be signed, notarized, and on file before crossing or setting up on private property owned by non-members.
- No hunter shall be allowed permission to hunt on property they do not personally own that is less than 150 yards from another hunter's owned property.
- Timeline for equipment removal from common ground locations.
 - Team members not registered for the current season by March 31st must remove all cameras, feeders, stands, traps, etc. by June 30th.
 - Equipment remaining on Hilltop Lakes owned common ground after June 30th shall be removed and stored at the Team's cleaning station at your own risk. Wildlife Team is not liable for theft or damages. After 30 days, property will be sold.
- All members are responsible for monitoring the team website for important dates and information. www.hilltoplakeswmt.org

By signing, the member acknowledges that they have received, understand, and will be held accountable for following the Hilltop Lakes Wildlife Management Team's By-Laws, Rules, and Directives.

Member's Legal Name: _____ Hunter # (if known) _____

Member's Signature: _____ Date: _____