

Hunting Recommendations | 2021

	Species	Dates	Areas	Special Instructions
Niobrara State Park	Deer	Archery Dec 1 – Dec 31, 2021	Select Park Zones to be Designated	Antlerless Only. Hunting allowed Monday thru Friday only.
Indian Cave State Park	Waterfowl – Zone 3 Duck	Nov 1, 2021 – Close of Season	Maze Tract & Backwater Area	No Permanent Blinds
	Waterfowl Statewide – Light Goose	Nov 1, 2021 – Close of Season	Maze Tract & Backwater Area	No Permanent Blinds
	Waterfowl East Unit – Dark Goose	Nov 1, 2021– Close of Season	Maze Tract & Backwater Area	No Permanent Blinds
	Turkey	Archery Fall Nov 1 – Dec 31, 2021	Select Park Zones to be Designated	
	Deer	Archery Nov 1 – Dec 31, 2021 (includes the Oct 9-24 Firearm Season)	Select Park Zones to be Designated	Eligible Hunters Possessing the Proper Permit may Hunt with Legal Bow/Arrow & Crossbow Only & are Required to Wear Hunter Orange
	Deer	Blue Southeast Antlerless Only Season Choice Deer Jan 1-15, 2022	Select Park Zones to be Designated	Use of Centerfire Rifles is Prohibited
Platte River State Park	Deer	Specialized/Organized Archery & Muzzleloader Hunts Coordinated on Select Dates within the Periods from the First Monday after Thanksgiving to the End of Late Firearm Deer Season	Select Park Zones to be Designated	Assigned Zones
Chadron State Park	Deer	Archery Oct 1 –Nov 12, 2021; Nov 23- Dec 31 2021	Select Park Zones to be Designated	No Permanent Blinds pre-registration required
Fort Atkinson State Historical Park	Deer	Archery Nov 1- Dec 31 2021	Select Park Zones to be Designated	Pre-registration required
	Deer	Muzzleloader concurrent with 2021/2022 season	Select Park Zones to be Designated	Pre-registration required

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Ponca State Park North River Bottom (Newton and Held Tracts)	Waterfowl	Concurrent with 2021/2022 Agency Waterfowl Seasons (Including Early Teal Season)	North Bottom	No Permanent Blinds with Exception of Agency Provided First-Come First-Serve Blinds
	Dove, Rabbit & Squirrel	Concurrent with 2021/2022 Agency Small/Upland Game Seasons	North Bottom	
	Pheasant & Quail	Concurrent with 2021/2022 Agency Upland Game Seasons	North Bottom	
	Pheasant & Quail	Weekend Prior to the Upland Pheasant/Quail Regular Season	North Bottom	Upland Game Youth Hunt
	Turkey	Archery and Shotgun Fall Season Concurrent with 2021 Agency Fall Turkey Season	North Bottom	
	Turkey	Hunts to be Coordinated on Select Dates During Established Spring Turkey Season Including Archery, Shotgun and Youth Season	North Bottom	Youth Mentored Spring Hunt Only
	Deer	Archery, Rifle, & Muzzleloader Concurrent with Agency Established Seasons and Regulations	North Bottom	
Ponca State Park South River Bottom (Schram Tract)	Pheasant & Quail	Weekend prior to the Upland Pheasant/Quail Regular Season	South Bottom	Upland Game Youth Hunt
	Waterfowl	Concurrent with 2021/2022 Agency Waterfowl Seasons (Not Including Early Teal Season)	South Bottom	No Permanent Blinds with Exception of Agency Provided First-Come First-Serve Blinds
	Deer	Archery Concurrent with Agency Established Season and Regulations	South Bottom	
	Turkey	Archery Fall Nov 1 – Dec 31, 2021	South Bottom	

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Ponca State Park	Deer	Archery Nov 1 through January Season	Select Park Zones to be Designated	
	Turkey	Archery Fall Nov 1- Dec 31, 2021	Select Park Zones to be Designated	
	Turkey	Mentored Youth Hunt April 9-10 2021	Select Park Zones to be Designated	
Eugene T. Mahoney State Park	Deer	Specialized/Organized Archery & Muzzleloader Hunts Coordinated on Select Dates within the Periods from the First Monday after Thanksgiving to the End of Late Firearm Deer Season	Select Park Zones to be Designated	Assigned zones
Ash Hollow State Historical Park	Small and Upland Game	Established Hunting Seasons	Designated Parklands West of Hwy 26 and North of CR 44	Per Regulations and Special Requirements
	Deer	Archery Per Established Hunting Season	Designated Parklands West of Hwy 26 and North of CR 44	Per Regulations and Special Requirements
	Turkey	Archery Per Established Hunting Season	Designated Parklands West of Hwy 26 and North of CR 44	Per Regulations and Special Requirements
	Waterfowl	Established Hunting Seasons	Designated Parklands North of CR 44	No Permanent Blinds and Per Regulations and Special Requirements

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Rock Creek Station State Historical Park	Deer	Archery Dec 1 – 31, 2021	Designated Park area is South of abandoned rail road corridor	Walk In Access Only.
	Deer	Blue Southeast Antlerless Only Season Choice Jan 1 – Jan 15, 2022	Designated Park area is South of abandoned rail road corridor	Antlerless Only Eligible Hunters Possessing the Proper Firearm Permit may Hunt with Legal Bow/Arrow & Crossbow Only & are Required to Wear Orange. Walk In Access Only.
	Turkey	Archery Dec 1, 2021– Jan 31, 202	Designated Park area is South of abandoned rail road corridor	Walk In Access Only.