

Ft. Pickett 2026 Extended Season Deer Hunting Opportunities

Ft. Pickett Natural Resources will allow for archery only antlerless deer hunting opportunities from January 6th- February 28th; Tuesday-Saturday only. This special extended deer season is only permitted in the following areas when open: (Cantonment Archery Area, Old Hospital Areas (OHA-A-D), MA-40, and MA-21).

Procedures for participating in this special extended hunting season are as follows:

1. Checkin and Checkout using the Ft. Pickett iSportsman Service.
2. Obtain special DPOP tags from the mailbox on the Ft. Pickett Game Check Station porch.
NOTE: Take no more than 2 tags at one time from the mailbox. You may keep the tags for the duration of the extended hunting season if you plan to participate throughout the season.
3. Record any harvest information in the Ft. Pickett iSportsman system
4. If you are successful in harvesting an antlerless deer; you will need to check the deer thru the Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources telephone checking system (1-866-468- 4263) or thru the VA Go Outdoors Application.
5. The following data should be used when checking deer during the extended season:

County of Harvest: Nottoway

Type of land: Federal Land

Type of Tag used: DPOP

6. Please be aware that it is likely that bucks will be shedding their antlers during this time period; please use caution to try to avoid harvesting shed bucks.
7. Any questions; please call the Ft. Pickett Game Check Station (434-292-2618) or catch a game check attendant at the check station.

Thank you for your cooperation!

