

Waterfowl Hunting Activity for Ballard and Boatwright Wildlife Management Areas

Dec. 27 - Dec. 31, 2023

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Ballard WMA											
Date	Population Count		Harvest			STBY Hunters		Total	Vacancies	Parties	
	Ducks *	Geese *	Ducks	Canadas	Snows/WF	Hunters	Success	Hunters	Blinds	Turned Away	
Dec. 27	38,963	20,630	22	0	0	4	4	31	4	0	
Dec. 28	38,963	20,630	4	0	0	10	10	49	0	0	
Dec. 29	38,963	20,630	17	0	0	14	14	39	2	0	
Dec. 30	38,963	20,630	11	0	0	12	8	42	0	1	
Dec. 31	38,963	20,630	3	0	0	13	13	33	2	0	
			57	0	0	53	49	194	8	1	

Waterfowl Harvest and Hunting Updates for Boatwright WMA									
Date	Population Count		Harvest			Hunters	Drawn	Parties	Parties
	Ducks *	Geese *	Ducks	Canadas	Snows/WF		Units	Drawn	Turned Away
Dec. 27	2,696	0	16	0	0	58	35	23	0
Dec. 28	2,696	0	25	0	1	62	35	27	0
Dec. 29	2,696	0	24	0	0	80	35	32	0
Dec. 30	2,696	0	11	0	0	77	36	28	0
Dec. 31	2,696	0	17	0	0	62	36	21	0
			93	0	1	339	177	131	0

Hunter Use and Harvest by Blind Type on Boatwright WMA													
Date	Walk-In				Boat				Pit				
	Hunters	Ducks	CG	Snows/WF	Hunters	Ducks	CG	Snows/WF	Hunters	Ducks	CG	Snows/WF	
Dec. 27	12	6	0	0	15	4	0	0	31	6	0	0	
Dec. 28	19	11	0	0	15	7	0	0	28	7	0	1	
Dec. 29	29	15	0	0	19	8	0	0	30	1	0	0	
Dec. 30	24	7	0	0	24	2	0	0	29	2	0	0	
Dec. 31	20	14	0	0	17	1	0	0	25	2	0	0	
	104	53	0	0	90	22	0	0	143	18	0	1	

*ground count