

Owl Brook Hunter Education Center New Hampshire Fish & Game Department



Dear Parent or Guardian,

Thank you for your interest in the Summer Youth Programs at the Owl Brook Hunter Education Center. The center staff and volunteers are looking forward to a safe fun filled summer. Participants should arrive at the Owl Brook Hunter Education Center at 8:45 a.m. Parents must arrive on time (3:00pm) to pick-up their children. There will be a lunch break for about a 1/2 hour. All participants are required to pack a lunch. If your child is signed up for the exploring the outdoors program, lunch must be in a backpack or container that is easy for your child to bring with them to eat in the outdoors.

Please fill out, sign, and e-mail or fax the registration form and photo/video release form to:

eric.geib@wildlife.nh.gov Fax to: Fax: (603) 536-4921

We hope your child benefits from this program and the outdoors becomes an enjoyable and everlasting part of their life. The staff and volunteers at Owl Brook Hunter Education Center are looking forward to another Summer Program Session.

Sincerely,

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Suggested items to bring:

• Water bottle, Sun screen, Sun glasses, Bug spray, Hand sanitizer LUNCH(mandatory), Day pack (to keep all of your things in)

What to wear:

• Comfortable shoes (Hiking boots preferred, as we may encounter rough terrain and muddy areas.)

-Sandals and opened toed shoes **FORBIDDEN** (We don't want any stubbed toes while in the woods!)

- Lightweight long pants (Shorts may be worn, but we will be hiking in the woods where there may be pricker bushes and sharp sticks, so long pants are desirable.)
- Bring appropriate dress for the weather (rain gear, warm clothing, etc.)
- Hat

Directions to the Center:

(387 Perch Pond Rd. Holderness, N.H. (603-536-3954)

From the South:

Take I-93 to Exit 24 (Ashland), at the end of the ramp turn right onto Route 3/Route 25 and take this into the center of Ashland. In Ashland, bear left at the Y and continue along 3/25 south until you come to the blinking light at the junction of Route 175. Turn left onto 175 and follow it for 1.7 miles to Hardhack Rd. on the right. Once on Hardhack Rd., go about 75 yards and take a right onto Perch Pond Rd. Follow Perch Pond Rd. for 1.8 miles and the entrance to the center will be on the left. The building is 100 yards or so through the gate on the right.

From the North:

Take Exit 25 (Plymouth), at the end of the ramp turn left onto Route 175A. At the top of the hill, bear slightly right onto Route 175. Continue on Route 175 for 2.9 miles to Hardhack Rd. on the left. Once on Hardhack Rd., go about 75 yards and turn right onto Perch Pond Rd. Follow Perch Pond Rd. for 1.8 miles and the entrance to the center will be on the left. The building is 100 yards or so through the gate on the right.

2023 Owl Brook Summer Program Weekly Schedule

Week 1: Archery & Bowhunting Skills (9:00am-3:00pm) Tuesday, July 11th (10-12 year olds) Thursday, July 13th (13-15 year olds)

Week 2: Intro to Rifle and Shotgun (9:00am-3:00pm) Tuesday, July 18th (10-12 year olds) Thursday, July 20th (13-15 year olds)

Week 3: Navigation & Survival Skills (9:00am-3:00pm) Tuesday, July 25th (10-12 year olds) Thursday, July 27th (13-15 year olds)

Week 4: Exploring the Outdoors (9:00am – 3:00pm) Tuesday, August 1st (10-12 year olds) Thursday, August 3rd (13-15 year olds)

Week 5: Hunter/Bowhunter Certification Week (9:00am-3:00pm) Tuesday, August 15th (12-15 years old) Wednesday, August 16th (12-15 years old) Thursday, August 17th (12-15 years old)
Friday, August 18th (12-15 years old)
*Must attend ALL four days and be age 12 by the end of the week (August 18th) to receive certification.