

# Hunting on Post FLKS 2023

## Where do I get information on hunting on Fort Leavenworth?

INFO at <https://leavenworth.armymwr.com/programs/rod-and-gun-club>

Rod and Gun facebook page

All information here is based on Army Regulation (AR) 215-1, AR 350-19 and FT Leavenworth Regulation No. 200-3 dated May 2023 and KS hunting regulations

Contact the Installation Hunting Coordinator Michael Johnson [michaelj.johnson24@gmail.com](mailto:michaelj.johnson24@gmail.com) or text 913-375-8784

## Who is authorized to hunt on Fort Leavenworth?

The following individuals are authorized to hunt on Fort Leavenworth:

- Military: Active Duty, National Guard, and Reserve
- Family members of the Military that are dependent ID card holders
- Retired Military and disabled Veterans
- DOD civilians who work on Fort Leavenworth

**What are the requirements to hunt on post? 1. Hunter Education Course.** Anyone born on or after July 1, 1957 must be certified by an approved state course.

-Hunter Education Certification issued by any state, Canadian Province, or some foreign jurisdictions are deemed to meet the requirements of Kansas Law.

-The only **EXCEPTION** is that anyone 15 years old and under may hunt without hunter education certification provided that they are under the direct supervision (within clear sight and hearing) of an adult 18 years old or older that has completed an approved hunter education course.

- Effective July 1, 2014 individuals 16 or older may purchase a two-time deferral of the Hunter Education requirements by purchasing an Apprentice hunting license. Holders of Apprentice hunting licenses must also hunt under the supervision of a licensed hunter age 18 or older.

- **No one** under the age of 11 will be certified in hunter education. Those under age 11 may take the course on a Space Available basis. Anyone taking the Hunter Education courses prior to age 11, will be required to take the course again for certification after turning 11.

**2. Installation Hunting Brief.** All hunters, except those 15 and under, are required to attend the FLKS Installation Hunting Briefing **annually** to obtain their Fort Leavenworth Installation Hunting Card (IHC).

- Last year's 2022 cards expire on 1 August 2023. 2023 Installation Hunting Briefs begin the 1<sup>st</sup> week of August 2022.

- The brief is about 1 hour in length, barring questions and time to receive installation hunting ID cards. **After the brief, to receive an Installation Hunting Card (IHC) and parking access pass, you must show a valid ID (Military ID, Retiree ID, Dependent ID, or Department of the Army Civilian CAC card) and a Hunter Education Certification Card.** If your Hunter education is identified on a different card like driver license or state conservation card (MO conservation card is acceptable) please contact the Fort Leavenworth Hunting Coordinator before arriving to the brief for verification. If you need to take a hunter safety class KS recognizes the NRA online course and TX has an online course.

-Installation Hunting Brief dates:

1,3 Aug 22, 1800 in the Rod & Gun Club (R&GC) (Blackboard)  
8,10 Aug 22, 1800, R&G & Blackboard  
08 Aug 22, 1100, Marshal Auditorium Lewis and Clark (No Blackboard).  
15 AUG 22, 2000 R&G as part of the hunter safety class (No Blackboard)  
16 Aug 22, 1800 R&G (Blackboard)  
18 Aug 22, 1800 electronic deer stand draw at R&GC (Blackboard)  
19 Aug 22 first deer stand registration R&G  
22, 24 Aug 22, 1800, R&GC (Blackboard)  
29, 31 Aug, 1800, R&GC House (Blackboard)  
5, 7, 12, 19, 26 Sep 22 100 R&G (No Blackboard)  
Every Tuesday in Oct 1800 R&G

Nov-Feb and other times as arranged with Hunting Coordinator.

Mar and Apr Briefs for Turkey season are TBD

-All hunting briefs will be coordinated through the installation hunting coordinator Michael Johnson at [michaelj.johnson24@gmail.com](mailto:michaelj.johnson24@gmail.com) or 913-375-8784 (please text).

-*Classes taught in Aug will be in person and on blackboard for those that can't attend in person.* The black board room site is below. To obtain an Installation Hunting Card after taking the brief via BB, simply come in 30 min prior to any scheduled brief.

<https://us.bbcollab.com/guest/d3133a02fa7146bdb38c6d1da502f2cb>

Phone Dial in: +1-571-392-7650 PIN: 336 605 23566

**3. A Kansas hunting** with all tags, permits, and stamps for the species that you are hunting is required on Fort Leavenworth.

**4. To hunt deer.** All firearm deer hunters **must register a deer stand location** and place a deer stand placard at the stand location. Bow hunters may also register and obtain stand locations. To register a stand, you must bring your installation hunting card, Kansas State Hunting License and deer tags.

Hunters are only authorized two stand locations.

**-The Deer Stand draw will be held on 18 1800 August electronically at the R&GC and broadcast in the blackboard virtual room. The first opportunity to register stands is Sat 19 Aug 23 at the R&GC based on the electronic draw order and designated time slots.** This first stand

registration is for hunters that have scouted and know where they want to place a stand and to give each hunter an equal chance to choose their stand location. Please have three or four area choices in case your first or second areas are taken. You must be present to register a stand.

**No installation hunting cards will be issued the morning of stand registration. No stands are allowed to be put up in the woods before 19 Aug 22 or without a registered stand location.** If you just want to register a stand and not come at your registration time slot, the installation hunting coordinator will remain at the R&GC until 1030 to issue stand registration placards.

**Next opportunity to register a deer stand.**

-The following week, hunters can still conduct stand registration for their first stand location at the R&GC 1700-1800 Hrs before any scheduled installation hunting brief.

-Second stand location registration will begin 29 Aug 23. Hunters may obtain a second stand location in the hour prior to any scheduled installation hunting brief on 29 Aug or later.

**5. All firearms must be registered** with Provost Marshall Office (PMO) at the Visitor Control Center just outside of the Sherman Gate (1 Sherman Ave. Bldg 4001) open Monday thru Friday 0730 - 1100, 1200 – 1600; Please put all information on CAC & FT LVN Form 225, **DO NOT** Bring the gun into the Visitor Center. You'll receive a stamp embossed form that must be carried with the gun at all times. Bows, crossbows, paintball and air guns do not need to be registered on post.

**What kind of hunting is permitted on post?**

Hunting for deer, turkey, upland game birds, small game, coyote and waterfowl is authorized on post. Trapping is **not permitted**. Fur harvesting is permitted. Hunters must have the appropriate license and permits/tags. Coyote hunting at night is not permitted.

**What means of take are allowed for hunting?**

There are specific areas for center fire rifle, handgun, shot gun, muzzleloader, and archery hunting on Ft Leavenworth; **No** rim-fire rifles or air guns are permitted for hunting on post. There are weapons restrictions by recreational area (briefed in the Installation Hunting Brief). Handguns are only authorized for deer hunting. No firearm maybe carried while archery hunting.

**Deer Hunting Seasons 2023-24 that apply to Fort Leavenworth, KS.**

**Deer Season – Youth, Disability**

**Date:** 09/02/2022 - 09/10/2023

**Location:** Statewide

(Youth 17 and younger, who possess a valid deer permit, may hunt during this special deer season only while under the immediate supervision of an adult 18 or older. Any person who possesses a valid deer permit and has a permit to hunt from a vehicle pursuant to KAR 115-18-4 or a disability assistance permit issued pursuant to KAR 115-18-15 may also hunt during this season.

**Deer Season - Muzzleloader**

**Date:** 09/11/2023 - 09/24/2023

**Location:** Statewide

**Deer Season - Archery**

**Date:** 09/11/2023 - 12/31/2023

**Location:** Statewide

**Deer Season - PRE-RUT WHITETAIL ANTLERLESS - Firearm**

**Date:** 10/07/2023 - 10/09/2023

**Location:** Statewide

**Deer - Fort Leavenworth Firearm Deer Season (1<sup>st</sup> Segment)**

**Date:** 11/11/2023 - 11/12/2023

**Deer - Fort Leavenworth Firearm Deer Season (2<sup>nd</sup> Segment)**

**Date:** 11/18/2023 - 11/19/2023

**Deer - Fort Leavenworth Firearm Deer Season (3<sup>rd</sup> Segment)**

**Date:** 11/23/2023 - 11/26/2023

**Deer - Fort Leavenworth Firearm Deer Season (4<sup>th</sup> Segment)**

**Date:** 12/02/2023 - 12/03/2023

**Deer - Fort Leavenworth Firearm Deer Season (5<sup>th</sup> Segment)**

**Date:** 12/09/2023 - 12/10/2023

**Deer Extended Season - Firearms Whitetail Antlerless Only**

**Date:** 01/01/2024 - 01/21/2024

**Location:** Unit 10A (Fort Leavenworth)

**Deer Extended Season - Extended Archery Whitetail Antlerless Only (DMU 19, 10A)**

**Date:** 01/22/2024 - 01/31/2024

**Location:** 10A (Fort Leavenworth)

Please refer to Kansas Hunting seasons for Dove, Duck, Goose, turkey, squirrel, upland bird, and other game