

Hunting Rules & Procedures

**YOU MUST COMPLY WITH ALL RULES AND PROCEDURES
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

**Any questions Please call the Park Office at
716-549-1802**

- You must SIGN and possess a self-issue hunting permit
- Permits are free and available online/park office/sign in Kiosk
- All season dates are on the self-issue hunting permit
- All Deer Hunting is BOW OR CROSSBOW ONLY
- Deer Bow Hunting will be open during archery season, regular season and late season
- All small game (except for turkey) will begin after all deer seasons have closed-check permit for dates
- Fall Turkey season is during deer season and therefore will be Bow Only
- NYSDEC Rules & Regulations Still Apply for all hunting within the park
- Seasonal ID numbers are available (contact the park office for details)

Zones

1. Zones are first come first serve
2. NO MORE THAN TWO at a time are allowed in Zones 1,2 and 3
3. NO MORE THAN ONE at a time is allowed in Zone 4
4. Hunters MUST sign in and out every time they hunt - at the Kiosk
5. Sign-ins include Name, Phone Number, Vehicle Plate Number and Vehicle Description - or a seasonal ID #
6. All hunters must sign out when leaving park property for any reason and by doing so will forfeit their spot in that zone.
7. No hunter sign-ins will be allowed prior to 1 ½ hours before legal sunrise
8. This is a first come, first served hunting opportunity. Any available zone can be hunted - no reservations or signing for other hunters
9. All hunters will park in the designated parking areas
10. If all zones are full than you will have to wait until someone signs out of a zone before you can hunt in that zone
11. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE SIGN IN/OUT PROCEDURES SET FORTH ABOVE WILL AFFECT THE HUNTING PRIVILEGES OF THOSE INVOLVED. ALL ACTIVITY WILL BE CLOSELY SCRUTINIZED

TREESTANDS

Portable tree stands/ladder stands are allowable at Evangola but there will be no cutting of shooting lanes, damaging trees, or placing any screws, nails, or other devices into the trees!

- No stands may be placed in the park before September 1st and they must be removed by March 31st.
- A maximum limit of 1 stand per zone per hunter will be allowed.
- Tree stands **MUST** be clearly labeled with owners Name and accurate Phone Number (cell preferred) Non-Labeled Stands **WILL** be removed
- No one may climb in or hunt from someone else's tree stand
- Having a tree stand does not prevent others from hunting that immediate area
- Having a tree stand in the park does not prohibit others from being in zones for purposes other than hunting
- We accept **NO** responsibility for any stands left on park property
- Hunters must report all deer taken per DEC regulations and must accurately record all harvested deer on sign in/out sheet

ASK ANY/ALL QUESTIONS BEFORE YOU HUNT
questions call Evangola State Park @ 716-549-1802 office
For emergencies call Park Police @ 1-716-278-1777