



New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation 2025-2026 Hunting Permit

Taughannock Falls State Park - Self-Issue Hunting Permit

Please carry this permit with you at all times while hunting in parks. *Daily sign-in at Park still required.*

This permit is valid 10/1/2024 to 12/16/2025 and 12/26/2025 to 1/1/2026 (Early, Regular and Late Bow Season)

See specific species, season dates and implements below:

Type of hunting	Season and Time of Day ¹	Implements Allowed ²
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deer	October 1 – December 16, 2025 December 26, 2025 – January 1, 2026 30 min before Sunrise - 30 min after Sunset	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bow <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crossbow
<input type="checkbox"/> Bear	Closed	n/a
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey	Closed	n/a
<input type="checkbox"/> Waterfowl	Closed	n/a
<input type="checkbox"/> Migratory Game Birds	Closed	n/a
<input type="checkbox"/> Furbearer	Closed	n/a
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Game	Closed	n/a

¹**Not all species may be hunted for all the dates and times shown, DEC regulations still apply.**

²**Some implements may be prohibited for individual species, DEC regulations still apply.**

Certification: I have read and understand the terms of this permit and agree to comply accordingly. It is my responsibility to read, understand and obey all NYS Office of Parks Recreation and Historic Preservation regulations and NYS Department of Environmental Conservation regulations.

Applicant Signature

Date

Parent or Guardian Signature

(required if applicant is under 18 years of age)

Date

Permit Conditions:

- This permit is valid only for the period for which it is issued, shall not be transferred, and may be revoked at any time.
- Hunters shall comply with all applicable sections of the Environmental Conservation Law; Parks Recreation and Historic Preservation Law and their implementing regulations and shall hunt in the manner prescribed by the Department of Environmental Conservation, except as modified by the dates, times and hunting styles specified in this permit. This permit confers only those rights indicated herein.
- Hunters must carry their permit, hunting license and photo I.D. while hunting or scouting in the Park and produce them on request to any law enforcement officer or park employee. Any unauthorized alteration will void your permit.
- **This permit is valid only in the hunting areas indicated on the available map.**
- No person shall hunt in an area of a park that is posted or otherwise identified as a "Restricted Area."
- Cutting, placing nails or screws into, or otherwise damaging trees or other vegetation is prohibited.
- Target and promiscuous shooting is prohibited
- **Hunters must *sign in each day* at the park office.**
- Hunters must report their take including the sex and approximate age by calling the Taughannock Falls State Park Park office at (607) 539-4036.