

2014-2015 Hunting Seasons

In addition to a hunting license, a migratory game bird stamp endorsement (€7) is required to hunt any migratory game bird, including mourning dove (a Federal Sandhill Crane Permit is required to hunt sandhill crane). An upland game bird stamp endorsement (€7) is required to hunt turkey, quail, pheasant, or chachalacas.

Please be aware of seasons, bag limits, means and methods for the county in which you intend to hunt. 2014-2015 seasons and regulations by county will be available on August 15, 2014 at license retailers and online at www.outdoorannual.com.

ALLIGATOR

22 counties & special properties (by permit only) Sept. 10-30
Remainder of the state Apr. 1 - June 30

PRONGHORN ANTELOPE (see Special Notes, pg. 80) Oct. 4-12

DOVE (PLEASE REPORT LEG BANDS TO 1-800-327-BAND)

North Zone and Central Zone Sept. 1 - Oct. 20, Dec. 19 - Jan. 7
South Zone Sept. 19 - Oct. 20, Dec. 19 - Jan. 25
Special White-winged Dove Area Sept. 6, 7, 13 & 14, Sept. 19 - Oct. 20 and Dec. 19 - Jan. 21

EARLY TEAL-ONLY

Statewide Sept. 13-28

CANADA GOOSE-ONLY

Eastern Zone Only Sept. 13-28

WHITE-TAILED DEER

Archery-Only Season Sept. 27 - Oct. 31
GENERAL SEASON:
*Special Youth Season Oct. 25-26, Jan. 5-18
North Texas Nov. 1 - Jan. 4
South Texas Nov. 1 - Jan. 18
Late Antlerless & Spike:
North Texas Jan. 5-18
South Texas Jan. 19 - Feb. 1
Muzzleloader Jan. 5-18

MULE DEER

Archery-Only Season Sept. 27 - Oct. 31
General Season:
Panhandle Nov. 22 - Dec. 7
SW Panhandle Nov. 22-30
Trans-Pecos Nov. 28 - Dec. 14

JAVELINA

Selected North Texas counties Oct. 1 - Feb. 22
Selected South Texas & Hill Country counties Sept. 1 - Aug. 31

SQUIRREL

**Special Youth Season Sept. 27-28
East Texas (51 counties) Oct. 1 - Feb. 22, May 1-31
Other open counties Sept. 1 - Aug. 31

PHEASANT

Panhandle Dec. 6 - Jan. 4

QUAIL Statewide (all counties) Oct. 25 - Feb. 22

RIO GRANDE TURKEY

Archery-Only Season Sept. 27 - Oct. 31
FALL SEASON:
*Special Youth Season Oct. 25-26 (Statewide), Jan. 17-18 (North Zone only)
North Texas Nov. 1 - Jan. 4
South Texas Nov. 1 - Jan. 18
Brooks, Kenedy, Kleberg & Willacy counties Nov. 1 - Feb. 22
SPRING SEASON:
North Zone April 4 - May 17
*Special Youth Season Mar. 28-29, May 23-24
South Zone Mar. 21 - May 3
*Special Youth Season Mar. 14-15, May 9-10
1-Turkey Bag Limit Apr. 1-30

+EASTERN TURKEY

Spring-Only Season: East Texas (28 counties) Apr. 15 - May 14

CHACHALACA

Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr and Willacy counties Nov. 1 - Feb. 22

RABBITS AND HARES

No closed season.

* In all counties that have an open season for those species.

** In all counties that have an Oct. 1 - Feb. 22 and May 1-31 open season.

+ Rio Grande and Eastern Turkey may be hunted in these counties.