Hunting on Northeast Wilderness Trust Preserves

To obtain hunting permission for any of our Wilderness Preserves read the rules below, fill out your information, and sign on the signature line. Then send your permission form to Northeast Wilderness Trust, 17 State Street, Suite 302, Montpelier, VT 05602, and you will receive your permission letter in the mail. Please allow up to 3 weeks for processing. Can’t wait that long? Hunting permission is available instantly using our online form, to sign up visit www.newildernesstrust.org/hunting!

1. **Nontoxic shot/bullets are required for all hunting. No lead.**

2. Predator hunting is forbidden, and hunters agree not to hunt black bear, bobcat, coyotes, fisher, mink, fox, or any other predator species on the property.

3. Trapping, baiting, blinds, tree stands, or structures of any kind are strictly prohibited on NEWT property.

4. The use of motorized and mechanized vehicles (including ATV’s, dirt-bikes, bicycles, etc.) on the property is prohibited.

5. Hounding or the use of dogs to chase wildlife is prohibited. Pointing, directing, and flushing dogs for game bird hunting are permitted. (All dogs are prohibited on Alder Stream Wilderness Preserve in Atkinson, ME.).

6. Cutting of vegetation or trees for any reason is prohibited. Hunters found to have cleared shooting lines or trails will have their permission revoked, and will be expected to reimburse NEWT for the value of the trees cut at landscape appraisal rates.

7. Random shooting or target practice is prohibited.

8. No commercial hunting or guide services.

9. Trail/game camera use by the public, including hunters, is prohibited.

10. Hunters assume all liability and responsibility for all of their actions and inactions while on NEWT Property.

11. Hunters agree to always conduct themselves in a safe, legal, and ethical way.
My Information

Please fill out the details below and sign confirming you have read and understand the rules pertaining to hunting on NEWT Wilderness Preserves. Return your signed form to Northeast Wilderness Trust at 17 State Street, Suite 302, Montpelier VT 05602 and your hunting permission will be sent by standard mail. Please allow up to 3 weeks for processing.

Print Full Name ____________________________ Mailing Address ___________________________________________

City ______________________ State __________ Zip Code __________

Email Address __________________________________________

Phone Number __________________________________________

Where I Hunt (Check all that Apply)

☐ Alder Stream Wilderness Preserve, Atkinson, ME (Dogs are prohibited from Alder Stream)
☐ Grafton Forest Wilderness Preserve, Grafton TWP, ME
☐ Tidal Bends Wilderness Preserve, Pittston, ME
☐ Binney Hill Wilderness Preserve, New Ipswich, NH
☐ Wildwood Wilderness Preserve, Dublin, NH
☐ Eagle Mountain Wilderness Preserve, Chesterfield, NY
☐ Grasse River Wilderness Preserve, Russell, NY
☐ Moriah Wilderness Preserve, Moriah, NY
☐ Split Rock Wildway Preserve, Essex, NY
☐ Bear’s Nest Wilderness Preserve, Richford, VT
☐ Bramhall Wilderness Preserve, Bridgewater, VT
☐ Duren Mountain Wilderness Preserve, Guildhall, VT
☐ Woodbury Mountain Wilderness Preserve, Woodbury/Elmore/Worcester/Hardwick, VT

Waiver

I certify that I hold a valid hunting license for the state(s) where I will be hunting. I also acknowledge that I have read and agree to follow the above hunting rules, and that I will immediately report any game violations that I witness to the appropriate authorities. I understand that there may be hidden or unknown hazards on NEWT Preserves, such as abandoned wells, old cellar holes or farm equipment debris, and that Northeast Wilderness Trust has no responsibility to me or others. Northeast Wilderness Trust, their agents or representatives, are not liable for any damage to my property or for my injury or death or for any damage to property of others or their injury or death. I understand that my permission to hunt may be revoked at any time by Northeast Wilderness Trust, for any reason. I understand that by applying for hunting permission I am agreeing to be added to Northeast Wilderness Trust’s mailing list.

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Signature      Date

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