

HUNTING ADVISORY



Hunting is permitted in Limerick Forest and is regulated by the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources & Forestry. Below is a summary of some of the more commonly hunted species in Limerick Forest. Please consult the Kemptville District MNRF office in Kemptville for complete details.



2025 - 2026 Hunting Seasons - Wildlife Management Unit 66A

Coyote and Fox
Rabbits and Hares
Ruffed Grouse
Wild Turkey

(Bow Only)
(Shotgun or Bow)
(Spring - Shotgun or Bow)

All year
Sept. 15 – Mar. 31, 2026
Sept. 15 – Dec. 31, 2025

Oct. 1 – Oct. 31, 2025
Oct. 14 – Oct. 26, 2025
Apr. 25 – May 31, 2025



Ducks

Sept. 27 – Jan. 11, 2026

Geese

Sept. 4 – Sept. 14, 2025
Sept. 27 – Dec. 31, 2025

Deer

(Rifle, Shotgun, Bows & Muzzle loading Guns)

Nov. 3 – Nov. 16, 2025

(Muzzle loading guns & Bows only)

Dec. 1 – Dec. 7, 2025

(Bows only)

Oct. 1 – Nov. 2, 2025
Nov. 17 – Nov. 30, 2025
Dec. 8 – Dec. 31, 2025



Extreme caution and high-visibility clothing such as fluorescent orange vests, etc., is recommended for all forest users during hunting season, especially during the 2-week deer hunt in November.

