

Harvard Sportsmen's Club

2021 – 2022 Hunting Preserve Policies

Hunters at HSC MUST be Club Members and must be fully licensed in accordance with State and Federal regulations. Guests are not allowed to hunt at HSC. The Pheasant Hunting Program is limited to Club Members only. Club Members must buy into the program to participate. Club Members must wear their Club ID when hunting. **Hunting is not allowed on ranges, roadways, or near buildings.** Note: Massachusetts law views any person calling, working a hunting dog, flushing birds, or assisting a hunter in any way as actively engaged in hunting.

Club members wishing to participate in the 2021 – 2022 Pheasant Hunting Program must complete the HSC Registration Form, show proof of their current year MA Hunting License, and purchase their tags prior to hunting. All checks and money orders must be made out to “Harvard Sportsmen’s Club”. Participants will receive five (5) tags for the sum of \$50.00.

The Hunting Preserve will open on October 23rd to limit impacts on other hunting seasons and close on March 31st.

Participants must have a current year MA Hunting License when purchasing tags and hunting.

Participating Members may hunt stocked birds (Pheasant) on Sundays.

Participating Members may harvest either cock birds or hens.

The club member must wear their Club ID with hunting.

There is no hunting within 500 feet of the Club House.

While we allow dogs for hunting and you may train your dogs at the Club, we DO NOT allow members to bring in their own birds. Dog owners are responsible for their dogs at all times. All dogs must be leashed when they are not actively engaged in hunting.

Hunters must wear a minimum of a Hunter Orange hat except during the shotgun deer season when they must wear 500 square inches of visible Hunter Orange on their head, back, and chest. However, HSC recommends wearing 500 square inches of Hunter Orange any time you pheasant hunt.

NEW POLICY >> All birds are to be tagged upon harvesting in the field; tag them where they lay, then retrieve the bird. Failure to do this will cause a disciplinary hearing with the Board of Directors, loss of hunting privileges and may result with permanent ejection from the Club. Any hunter can be asked by any individual to show them their birds.

The daily bag limit is two (2) birds. Hunters who successfully fill their five (5) tags may buy back into the program at the discretion of the HSC Pheasant Program Lead and the BOD, by re-registering and purchasing five (5) more tags for an additional \$50.00. This may be repeated throughout the 2021-2022 season.

Hunters are required to submit a harvest log of the number birds taken and dates they were harvested. This can be done by sending an e-mail to the HSC Pheasant Lead at pheasant@harvardsportsmensclub.net. Please provide your full name, the number of birds harvested, tag numbers used and the dates the birds were harvested.

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2021 – 2022 Pheasant Hunting Program Registration

Please Print Legibly

DATE COMPLETED	
NAME	
STREET ADDRESS	
CITY OR TOWN	
STATE	
ZIP CODE	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	
PHONE NUMBER	
MA Hunting License Number	
\$50.00 Cash or Check (for five (5) tags)	
SIGNATURE affirming that I have read and understand the Pheasant Program Guidelines	

FOR PROGRAM USE	
PAYMENT - \$50.00 Cash or Check	
TAG NUMBERS ASSIGNED	

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Hunting Preserve tags will be available at Monthly Meetings and Monthly Breakfasts with additional opportunities to be advertised in the weekly HSC Newsletter. Club members wishing to participate in the 2021 - 2022 pheasant hunting program must complete the HSC registration form and purchase their tags prior to hunting. All checks and money orders must be made out to Harvard Sportsmen's Club in the amount of \$50.00.

Participant wishing to register by mail must submit the (1) completed registration form, (2) a check or money order made out to Harvard Sportsmen's Club in the amount of \$50.00, and (3) a self-addressed stamped envelope. Mail the above 3 items to:

John Lakin
274 Oak Street, Apt 2
Clinton, MA 01510

MAIL IN requests submitted without the required three (3) completed items will not be processed.

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