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Conditions for Hunting on TDS Licenced areas

With over 1000 active hunters in our club, it is imperative that we have strict guidelines to ensure everyone safe access to our licensed areas

- Fees are to be paid once per calendar year before the first organised hunt via electronic funds transfer (using your name as the payment reference) or cheque via post. Fees are: \$150 for SSAA T10 members, or \$200 for SSAA members of another club.
- Permits are issued on a “per hunt” basis, and are **only valid for the individual listed.**
- All persons entering a licensed area MUST have a permit and be SSAA members. ‘Spectator’ permits are available for non – hunters who do not accompany hunters in their activities.’Spotter’ permits are also available.

ALL permits expire at the end of the nominated hunt dates and are renewable with each new application. This strategy requires more diligent planning by hunters.

- **Hunt application cut off times**

Permit processing will be limited to weekends only with applications requiring a **minimum of one week notice** for your request to allow sufficient time to organise collection of access key where required. **Applications received after 6pm on Saturday’s are not guaranteed to be processed in time for the following week.** Permits are issued on a “first in, first processed” basis. If your nominated request is not available, you will be contacted with an alternative option if possible.

- **Permits must be produced as proof of booking before keys will be issued** – contact details for key collection will be provided when permit is issued – Keys will be limited to 1 key per hunt group only.
- Keys **MUST be returned IMMEDIATELY** after hunting. Please allow for this requirement in your travel plans. **Failure to return a key draws a penalty fee and possible suspension from lease access.**
- Permits **MUST** be displayed on the dashboard of your vehicle at all times whilst onsite.
- A record of all hunters, their permits, hunt dates and locations is maintained, therefore it is vital that you contact the Bookings Administrator if there are any changes to your permitted booking.
- To ensure fairness and equality for all, there will be limited numbers permitted on blocks at any one point in time. This allows hunters the best opportunities and safety for the time that they have booked.
- Whilst the use of motorised vehicles such as ATV’s is permitted, please ensure that these are strictly only used on formed tracks or roads so that the environment is not disturbed. And be mindful of noise when others are hunting in the surrounding areas.
- It is important to note that some of our lease boundaries are a little ambiguous and can follow a number of delineators. These may include roads, tracks, or fence lines. We do have signage but they can at times be stolen or vandalised. As a result, we ask that you take considerable care to be familiar with the block that you book and remain within your block.
- Dogs are not permitted in licensed areas.
- All hunters will be subject to the bylaws of our Club. Onsite access and activities are closely monitored, and any unauthorised access, or unsafe/illegal actions **WILL** be reported to the authorities. – **Non SSAA person(s) are NOT permitted access.**
- On all licensed areas, **Shooters MUST wear high-visibility orange vest or hat.**
- **TDI reserves the right to prioritise access to club members.**