

Indiana Department of Natural Resources

Division of Fish & Wildlife

Atterbury Fish & Wildlife Area Frequently Asked Questions

- **Do you allow mushroom hunting?**
Yes. However, during spring turkey hunting season mushroom hunting is not allowed before 1 p.m.
- **What are your office hours?**
8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday.
- **Can tree stands be left overnight on property?**
Yes, they may be left overnight from noon Sept. 15 through Jan. 10. All stands must be marked with the owner's name, address and phone number or a DNR Customer Identification Number.
- **Do you offer youth hunting events?**
Yes. Events can be found online on the calendar tab for any upcoming events.
- **Do you offer camping?**
No. However, camping is available at adjacent Johnson County Park (812) 526-9816.
- **Do you offer waterfowl hunting?**
Yes. Waterfowl hunting is done by a daily drawing held in our office. Please see the waterfowl information sheet at https://secure.in.gov/dnr/fishwild/files/fw-Atterbury_Waterfowl.pdf for details and times.
- **Do I need to check in to hunt?**
Yes. You must sign in daily and obtain a one-day hunting permit to hunt on property. All information is available at the self-check-in station at the property office.
- **Do you have a public shooting range?**
Yes. Call (812) 526-6552 or visit atterburys shooting complex.com for hours and rates.
- **Do you have a public archery range?**
Yes. You do not need to sign in to use the range and there is no fee.
- **Do you allow spring turkey hunting?**
Spring turkey hunting opportunities are allocated by an online draw for the first six days. A daily drawing is held each day of the season at 5:30 am EDT for no-show opportunities the first 6 days. After the first six days, opportunities (7 hunters per day) are allocated by a daily draw at the office for the remainder of the season. See reserved hunt information on the DNR Fish & Wildlife home page at <https://secure.in.gov/dnr/fishwild/5834.htm> for registration dates.
Turkey hunting hours on Atterbury FWA are ½ hour before sunrise until 1pm EDT. Hunters must be out of the field by 2 pm EDT.

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- **Is public hunting allowed on the military property?**
No. At this time there is no public hunting available on the Camp Atterbury JMTC facility.

