

2023 COYOTE HUNT RULES AND REGULATIONS

ELLSWORTH SPORTSMEN'S CLUB~20 TEN MILE LANE ~ SCENERY HILL, PA 15360

HUNT FEBRUARY 3rdTHRU FEBRUARY 11th 2023

Visit www.esc15360.com for a copy of rules and application

Or register in person at club on Friday nights 7pm till 11pm

- Registration Fees for the Coyote hunt and Coyote trap are separate. If participating in both, you must pay fees for both.
- Coyote hunt registration fee is \$ 25.00 - Optional Heaviest Coyote – additional \$5.00 for male; additional \$5.00 for female – Optional Smallest Coyote – additional \$5.00
- Coyote Trap registration fee is \$ 25.00 – Optional Heaviest Coyote - \$ 5.00 – Optional Smallest Coyote - \$ 5.00
- Mail-in applications must be post marked by January 28th, 2023 .
Mail to: Ryan Wise, 184 spowls rd bentleyville pa 15314
- Register in person at Ellsworth Sportsmen's Club – 20 Ten Mile Lane – Scenery Hill, PA 15360 on Friday nights or sundays during normal club hours. Last day to register in person is January 28th, 2023
- NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED PAST THE DUE DATES
- The hunt will officially begin at 5pm Friday, February 3rd and end at 6pm Saturday, February 11TH 2023.
- Each participant must be registered for the hunt. When hunting in groups, each member of the group must be registered, or the entire group will be disqualified.
- Coyotes must be killed during the scheduled dates and times of the hunt.
- Each participant must possess a valid hunting license or fur-taker license for the state you hunt in.
- Coyotes may be hunted in the following states: PA, OH, WV, NY, KY, MD, NJ, DE and VA.
- Calls, dogs, and bait may be used during the hunt. Check your game laws for the state you hunt in and verify it is allowed.
- Each hunter will be allowed to register only one male coyote and one female coyote for coyote hunt grand prize.
- Any hunter registered in the heaviest contest will be allowed to register an additional coyote for that category if the coyote weighs more than their original registered.
- The Ellsworth Sportsmen's Club reserves the right to have a veterinarian perform an autopsy on any coyote killed to verify if the animal was penned, trapped or taken illegally. (This applies to the annual hunt).
- Trapping is allowed only to those registered in the trapping hunt
- All carcasses must be intact and will be tagged to prevent re-entry.
- The Ellsworth Sportsmen's Club reserves the right to polygraph any registered hunter. By signing the application and verifying you have read the rules and regulations, each hunter understands and agrees to undergo polygraph testing if requested by the Club. Refusal to cooperate or failure of a polygraph test will result in automatic disqualification of the registrant for this and all future coyote hunts.
- Any violation of game laws for the state you hunt in and/or the rules of this hunt will result in disqualification for that individual person and/or entire group.
- Official check-ins will be done at the Ellsworth Sportsmen's Club during the following times: Tues Feb 7th 6pm, Thurs Feb 9th 6pm.
- Or contact Ryan or Mike at numbers on bottom of page for additional arrangements
- You must have in your possession at check-ins, a valid photo ID and a valid hunting license.
- The DEADLINE FOR CHECK-IN IS 6pm ON SATURDAY FEBRUARY 11TH, 2023 AT THE SPORTSMEN'S CLUB. (NO EXCEPTIONS)
- Each hunter is responsible for disposal of their carcass. Failure to do so will result in being banned from any future club hunts.
- All prizes will be awarded during the awards dinner on Feb. 11th beginning 6pm at Ellsworth Sportsmen's Club.
- The 1st place prize money for the ANNUAL COYOTE HUNT will be awarded to one male coyote and one female coyote by drawing, with a guaranteed minimum \$2,000.00 prize each. Prize money will be mailed if winner is not able to attend awards dinner. Winners of the 1st place prize money are not eligible for table prizes. Prize money for 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th will be determined by number of registered hunters.
- Coyote Trapping prize money for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th place will be determined by the number of registered trappers.
- Prize money for heaviest coyote will be determined by the number of hunters that paid to enter that category.
- Table prizes will be combined for with both annual hunters and trappers. You must be present to win table prizes.

DEADLINE FOR MAIL-IN REGISTRATION MUST BE POST MARKED BY JANUARY 28th 2023

DEADLINE FOR IN PERSON REGISTRATION IS JANUARY 28th, 2023– NO EXCEPTIONS

For more information contact:

Ryan Wise (724) 518-0475 or rjw1525@gmail.com Or Mike Lehman (724) 255-4592