

2024 Dove Field and Dove Hunting Overview

Hunting Season opens **Monday, 2 SEP 24**. No
Hunting on 3 and 4 SEP 24.

Due to North Carolina legislation, **migratory bird
hunting** (including dove) **is NOT permitted
on Sundays**.



Dove field status is as follows:

- **Smith Field (Dove Field 1):** NOT PLANTED THIS YEAR.
- **Dove Field 2:** Field produced a fair stand of millet. Dove use is fair. Check into to NEA.
- **Dove Field 3:** Very good millet crop and fair sunflower crop. Bird activity good. Check into Latham.
- **Dove Field X:** Millet crop fair to poor. Bird use is fair. Check into Holland.
- **NN Dove Field:** Fair millet crop. Bird activity is fair. Check into Holland.
- **DD3 Dove Field:** Fair millet crop. Dove activity fair. Check into King.
- **II2 Dove Field:** Fair millet crop. Dove activity is fair. Check into Mott.
- **ALL DROP ZONES ARE CLOSED TO HUNTING.**

** Anecdotally, dove production appears to be fair this year. Also, the mid-May through June drought negatively affected crop production.

Check in/out using the iSportsman website.

If you plan to hunt in a Small Game Area that does not have a designated dove field, simply select that area when checking in.

REMEMBER:

- **SAFETY COMES FIRST!**
- **DO NOT SHOOT AT LOW FLYING BIRDS.**
- **BE AWARE OF OTHER HUNTERS AT ALL TIMES.**