



## TOWN OF LYME/LYME LAND CONSERVATION TRUST HUNTING REQUIREMENTS

### General requirements

- 1.) All state laws regarding hunting apply.
- 2.) By receiving a hunting permit from the Town of Lyme (Town) or the **Lyme Land Conservation Trust (LLCT)** each hunter acknowledges that he/she is aware of the boundaries of the property being hunted.  
For **Mt. Archer Woods**, this includes
  - a. The boundaries of the private properties located within the Mt. Archer Woods and the location of the hunting/no hunting areas.
  - b. There are yellow markings as one approaches the hunting area from the non-hunting area. There are white markings as one approaches the non-hunting area from the hunting area.
  - c. There will be no hunting on the way in to or out of the hunting area.
- 3.) Each hunter must post notice of his/her presence as a hunter on the property at the property's entrance each time of entry onto the property to hunt.

### Deer shotgun/rifle/muzzleloader seasons

- 4.) Hunting on Town or LLCT properties will be permitted Monday through Friday only, no hunting on Saturday or Sunday.
- 5.) Individuals who receive permission to hunt deer with shotgun/rifle on Mt. Archer Woods, Eno and Jewett properties will be issued no other permit from either the Town or the LLCT.
- 6.) All requests for permission to hunt deer with shotgun or center fire rifle must be made to the Open Space Coordinator at least two (2) weeks prior to the start of the deer shotgun/rifle season.
- 7.) Deer shotgun/rifle permits will be issued only at a mandatory meeting approximately one week prior to the start of deer shotgun/rifle season.
- 8.) The maximum number of hunters allowed on the properties at any one time will be
  - a. six (6) on Mt. Archer Woods/Eno Preserve (235 acres, combined)
  - b. nine (9) on Jewett (434 acres)
- 9.) Jewett property is OPEN ONLY to hunters with valid consent forms, Monday – Friday during the deer shotgun/rifle/muzzleloader seasons.
- 10.) Jewett property is OPEN ONLY to non-hunters Saturday and Sunday during the deer shotgun/rifle/muzzleloader seasons.

### Other seasons

- 11.) Hunting on Town or LLCT properties during other seasons (see chart) will be permitted on Mondays through Thursdays only, and the properties remain open to other users; no hunting on Fridays, Saturdays or Sundays.
- 12.) Requests for permission to hunt other seasons may be made at any time and may be issued on a case by case basis.
- 13.) Turkey hunting will be permitted on the Mt. Archer Woods, Eno and Jewett properties as indicated below.

### Hunting Season Chart

Season		Town		LLCT							TNC		2007							2008
		Hartman Park, ~320 ac	Jewett, ~434 ac	Mt. Archer, ~135 ac	Eno, ~100 ac	Plimpton, ~80 ac	Beebe I, ~65 ac	Honey Hill, ~38 ac	Roaring Brook-8 ac	Sterling City, ~3 ac	Grassy Hill, ~4.5 ac	Pleasant Valley, ~235 ac	Selden Creek, ~207 ac	5/2 - 5/26	9/15 - 10/6	10/6 - 10/31	11/1 - 11/13	11/14 - 12/4	12/5 - 12/18	12/19 - 12/31
Deer	Bow	X						X	X	X	X	X		Mon - Thu	Mon - Thu	M - Th	Mon - Thu	M-Th	M-Th	Mon - Thu
Deer	Shotgun/rifle	X						X	X	X	X	X					Mon - Fri			
Deer	Muzzleloader	X						X	X	X	X	X						Mon-Fri		
Fall Turkey	Bow	X						X	X	X	X	X		Mon - Thu	Mon - Thu	M - Th				M-Th
Fall Turkey	Firearm	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X			Mon - Thu					
Spring Turkey		X	B					X	X	X	X	X		M-Th until noon						

B = Bow only  
X = Not permitted

Notes:

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1. Even though hunting is allowed on these properties, hunters might not be present during all of the allowed times.
2. Fluorescent orange is a recommended accessory for anyone on these properties, September 1 through January 31