



COLORADO DIVISION OF WILDLIFE

Women Afield Program

HUNT APPLICATION

The Colorado Division of Wildlife's Women Afield Program offers unique women only hunts on private lands across Colorado. These hunts are designed to recruit and encourage participation in hunting for women who are interested in developing their hunting and shooting sport skills. To qualify, hunters must be female, 18 years of age or older and have a valid hunter safety card. Hunts offered include:

- Pheasant
- Waterfowl
- Elk
- Deer
- Pronghorn

If you are interested in participating in one of these hunts please follow these directions:

- 1) Fill out the first page – General Information (ALL APPLICANTS)
- 2) Fill out the corresponding section(s) for the hunt(s) you wish to apply for
- 3) Mail completed application to the DOW Regional office nearest your home:

Colorado Division of Wildlife
ATTN: Hunter Outreach
6060 Broadway
Denver, CO 80216

Northwest Region Service Center
ATTN: Hunter Outreach
711 Independent Ave
Grand Junction, CO 81505

If you have participated in a DOW Hunter Outreach Program sponsored big game hunt, you are not eligible to participate in another big game hunt but may apply for a small game program.

Applications are due by Aug 1 each year.

We will contact women selected for a hunt by September 30th. Additional opportunities may arise during the season and we will contact you by letter. All selected applicants will receive an offer letter.

This is a hunt application only, not a reservation. A reservation fee will be requested at the time you are offered a hunt. All hunts are filled by a lottery system.
DO NOT SEND MONEY WITH THIS APPLICATION.

Questions/comments regarding applications should be directed to the state Outreach Coordinator in the Denver office at 303-291-7248.

Women Afield Application - General Information
(All applicants must complete)

(Please Print)

Personal Information

Last name: _____

First name: _____ Middle initial: _____

Date of birth: ____/____/____

Contact Information

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: Daytime (____) _____

Evening (____) _____

Email (optional): _____

Hunter Education Card Number: _____

Conservation Certificate/CID Number: _____

How you heard about the program:

Newspaper

Prior participant

Friend

DOW employee

Other (Please list) _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

You will only be allowed to choose one big game species to apply for in the draw. Due to the number of applications we receive for big game, there are not enough hunt opportunities to allow a second choice in big game. If you have participated in a Hunter Outreach Program Big Game hunt in the past, for any species, you are NOT eligible to apply for a second big game hunt but you may apply for upland bird or waterfowl hunts.

Big Game Preference (you may only chose one species, please place an X in the space for the species you wish to apply for and return the corresponding species applications with this sheet.

_____ Cow Elk

_____ Doe Deer

_____ Doe Pronghorn

Small Game Preference (you may apply for more than one small game species. Place a (1) in your first choice and a (2) in your second choice and return the corresponding applications with this sheet.

_____ Pheasant

_____ Waterfowl (duck/goose)

Women Afield Pheasant Hunt Application

Requirements:

Experience level: None – advanced

Licenses: Colorado Small Game License, Habitat Stamp

Availability: 15 -20 hunters per hunt

Women Afield pheasant hunts will take place on various weekends between September and February. These are one day hunts beginning at 8 am and concluding around 3 pm. These hunts are geared toward novice hunters. Hunts include a variety of educational opportunities from shooting instruction to hunter safety in the field. Shotguns, shells, clay targets/throwers, ear protection and pheasants are provided by the DOW. Information regarding hunt date, equipment needed and location will be sent to successful applicants along with their confirmation.

To apply, answer the following questions and sign at the bottom (if a question does not apply to you leave it blank):

- 1) Have you ever had a hunting/fishing license?
 - a. Hunting: Yes ___ No ___
 - b. Fishing: Yes ___ No ___
- 2) How many years have you hunted? _____
- 3) What have you hunted for?
___ Big game ___ Small game ___ Waterfowl
- 4) If you have hunted small game:
Which species?
___ Pheasant/Quail ___ Dove Other _____
___ Rabbit ___ Chukar
___ Grouse ___ Waterfowl
- 5) Approximately how many of each species have you harvested (lifetime)?
___ Pheasant/Quail ___ Dove
___ Rabbit ___ Chukar
___ Grouse ___ Waterfowl
- 6) How many times did you hunt small game last season? _____

Hunter's name (printed): _____

Signature of hunter: _____ Date: _____

Women Afield Waterfowl Hunt Application

Requirements:

Experience Level: None – Advanced

Licenses: Colorado Small Game License, State Waterfowl Stamp, Federal Waterfowl Stamp, Habitat Stamp

Availability: 4 – 8 hunters per hunt

Waterfowl hunts will occur on various weekends from October to February. In partnership with local hunting clubs, waterfowl outfitters and private landowners, we seek to provide the novice waterfowl hunter with the techniques and hunting skills to enhance their duck and goose hunting experiences in the field. Information regarding hunt date, location and equipment will be sent to successful applicants along with their confirmation.

To apply answer the following questions and sign at the bottom (if a question does not apply to you leave it blank):

1) Have you ever had a hunting/fishing license (circle one)?

a. Hunting: Yes ____ No ____

b. Fishing: Yes ____ No ____

2) How many years have you hunted? _____

3) What have you hunted for?

____ Big game ____ Small game ____ Waterfowl

4) If you have hunted waterfowl:

Which species (circle all that apply)?

Ducks Geese

How many times did you hunt waterfowl last season?

____ Ducks ____ Geese

How many have you harvested (lifetime)?

____ Ducks ____ Geese

Hunter's name (printed): _____

Signature of hunter: _____ Date: _____

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Elk/Deer/Pronghorn Hunt Application

Requirements:

Experience Level: Beginner – Advanced

Licenses: Will be notified of proper license if selected for hunt, Habitat Stamp

Availability: 4 -6 hunters per hunt

****Gun:** Hunters are required to supply their own rifle and ammunition (.270 or larger caliber) – will be checked by Hunt Coordinator prior to hunt

Hunter must provide their own rifle, .270 caliber or larger and show proficiency with the firearm by placing 3-5 rounds in an 8” target circle at a distance of 100 yards prior to the hunt.

Hunts take place on private ranches across Colorado. They are three day hunts that begin Friday morning and conclude Sunday afternoon. Hunts include a brief trip to the shooting range, setting up a hunting camp with wall tents and guides. Hunters will be required to participate for the entire hunt. Hunters will learn laws/regulations, hunting techniques, how to field dress an animal how to setup hunting camp as well as the importance of big game hunting to wildlife management. DOW will supply all equipment needed to set up camp, food, water, access to private ranches and guides. Information regarding hunt date, location and equipment will be sent to successful applicants along with their confirmation.

To apply answer the following questions and sign at the bottom (if a question does not apply to you leave it blank):

- 1) Have you ever had a hunting/fishing license?
 - a. Hunting _____
 - b. Fishing _____
- 2) How many years have you hunted? _____ In CO (# yrs)? _____
- 3) What have you hunted for?
____ Big game ____ Small game ____ Waterfowl
- 4) If you have hunted big game, were you successful? _____
- 5) How many have you harvested?

Species	#
_____	_____
_____	_____
- 6) Did you apply for a big game license through the draw?
this year? _____
 - a) Were you successful? _____
 - b) What kind of tag(s)?
____ Deer ____ Pronghorn ____ Elk

Preference: Choose One: ____Elk ____Deer ____Pronghorn

Hunter's name (printed): _____

Signature of hunter: _____ Date: _____