

2020 Clearfield Youth Football Coyote Hunt

HUNT ON March 20 – 22ND, 2020. WEIGH- INS WILL BE HELD AT THE CENTRAL PA OUTDOOR & SPORTS SHOW, CLEARFIELD COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, EXPO II BUILDING. 12 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

REGISTRATIONS IN PERSON AT FOLLOWING (Bob's Army & Navy, Grice's, Jims Sports Center in downtown Clearfield)

January 24th 4pm to 8pm - (Grice Gun Shop)

January 25th 10am to 4pm – Grice Gun Shop

February 8th 4pm to 8pm – (Bob's Army & Navy)

February 9th 10am to 4pm - (Bob's Army & Navy)

March 7th 4pm to 7pm – (Jim's Sports Center)

March 8th 10am to 4pm – (Jim's Sports Center)

Mail entries also to:

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261 Country Air Road

Woodland Pa. 16881

- 1. NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE TAKEN DURING THE HUNT. THE HUNT WILL OFFICIALLY BEGIN AT 12:01 AM., FRIDAY, March 20, 2020 AND WILL END AT 2:00 PM. ON SUNDAY, March 22, 2020.
- 2. REGISTRATION FEE WILL BE \$20.00, OF WHICH \$10.00 WILL GO TOWARD CASH PRIZES TO SUCCESSFUL HUNTERS, \$7.00 TOWARD ADMINISTRATION COSTS. THE OTHER \$3.00 WILL BE FULLY PAID OUT FOR THE HEAVIEST FEMALE.

Small Dog entry is \$5.00, full entry paid to the smallest dog, in case of a tie the prize money will be divided among the winners

- 3. EACH PARTICIPANT MUST BE REGISTERED FOR THIS HUNT. WHEN HUNTING IN GROUPS, EACH MEMBER OF THE GROUP MUST BE REGISTERED, OR THE ENTIRE GROUP WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.
- 4. COYOTES MUST BE KILLED DURING THE DAYS AND TIMES OF THE SCHEDULED HUNT.
- 5. PARTICIPANTS MUST POSSESS A VALID HUNTING LICENSE OR FUR-TAKER LICENSE. PARTICIPANT'S SAID LICENSE WILL BE CHECKED WHEN THEY BRING IN A COYOTE TO BE WEIGHED.
- 6. DURING THE SCHEDULED COYOTE HUNT, COYOTES MAY BE HUNTED IN ANY COUNTY IN PENNSYLVANIA.
- 7. CALLS AND DOGS MAY BE USED DURING THE HUNT, HOWEVER EACH HUNTER WILL BE ALLOWED TO REGISTER ONLY TWO COYOTES. THE FIRST TWO TAGGED COYOTES WILL BE THE ONES TO BE COUNTED. EACH HUNTER MUST REGISTER HIS/HER COYOTE(S) KILLED IN PERSON.
- 8. THE CLEARFIELD YOUTH FOOTBALL PROGRAM RESERVES THE RIGHT TO HAVE AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED ON ANY ANIMAL PRESENTED AT THE HUNT IF IT IS BELIEVED THE ANIMAL WAS PENNED, TRAPPED OR TAKEN ILLEGALLY. SEVERAL WILDLIFE BIOLOGISTS AND A VETERINARIAN WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ENFORCE THIS REGULATION. ALL ANIMALS WILL BE TAGGED THROUGH THE BACK LEG.
- 9. CLEARFIELD YOUTH FOOTBALL PROGRAM RESERVES THE RIGHT TO POLYGRAPH ANY REGISTERED HUNTER. HUNTERS UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT BY REGISTERING AND PARTICIPATING IN THE HUNT, THEY AGREE TO UNDERGO POLYGRAPH TESTING IF REQUESTED BY THE ASSOCIATION. POLYGRAPH QUESTIONS WILL BE LIMITED TO THOSE NECESSARY TO ASSURE THE ACCURACY OF THE RESULTS AND THE REGISTRANT'S ENTITLEMENT TO PRIZE MONEY. REFUSAL TO SUBMIT TO AND FULLY COOPERATE IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF A POLYGRAPH TEST SHALL RESULT IN THE AUTOMATIC DISQUALIFICATION OF THE REGISTRANT. ANY HUNTER WHO FAILS THE POLYGRAPH TEST WILL BE PERMANENTLY DISQUALIFIED FROM THIS HUNT AND ALL FUTURE COYOTE HUNTS. POLYGRAPH EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AT THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS ON SUNDAY, MARCH 24TH AT 4:00 PM FOLLOWING THE HUNT. IF FOR ANY REASON A HUNTER FAILS TO COOPERATE WITH CLEARFIELD YOUTH FOOTBALL PROGRAM IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION THEY WILL BE SUSPENDED FROM THE HUNT FOR A PERIOD OF AT LEAST ONE YEAR, BUT NOT TO EXCEED THREE YEARS, PENDING A BOARD DECISION.
- 10. ANY VIOLATION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA GAME LAWS AND RULES OF THIS HUNT WILL RESULT IN THAT PERSON OR GROUP BEING DISQUALIFIED FROM THE HUNT AND SUSPENDED FROM THE CLUB.

- 11. ON SUNDAY AT 2:00 P.M. SHARP THE FIRST, SECOND, THIRD AND FOURTH PLEASE FINISHERS MUST BE PRESENT AT THE END OF THE HUNT FOR POLYGRAPH. ALSO THE FIRST AND SECOND PLACE FINISHERS FOR THE LARGEST FEMALE MUST BE PRESENT FOR POLYGRAPH OR YOU WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.
- 12. THE DEADLINE FOR WEIGH-INS IS 2 PM ON SUNDAY March 24, 2020.
- 13. EACH HUNTER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DISPOSAL OF HIS/HER COYOTE CARCASS. ANY COYOTE(S) LEFT ON FAIRGROUNDS PREMISES WILL BE SUBJECT TO A \$100.00 DISPOSAL FEE PER COYOTE. THE FEE WILL BE DEDUCTED FROM SAID PERSON'S PRIZE MONEY.
- 14. THE PRIZE MONEY WILL BE DIVIDED IN TWO EQUAL PARTS. ONE PART WILL BE AWARDED IN EQUAL SHARES TO THOSE HUNTERS WHO PRESENT QUALIFYING COYOTES AND 4 GHOST DOGS (4 PRIZES FOR ANY RANDOM UNSUCCESSFUL REGISTERED COYOTE HUNTER). THE OTHER PART WILL BE AWARDED AS TO PRIZE MONEY AND AWARDED FOR THE TOP THREE COYOTES IN WEIGHT, TO BE DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS: 1ST PRIZE 50% OF THE TOP PRIZE MONEY, 2ND PRIZE 30% OF THE TOP PRIZE MONEY, AND 3RD PLACE 20% OF THE TOP PRIZE MONEY. THE PRIZE FOR THE HEAVIEST FEMALE COYOTES IS 100% OF THE TOTAL REGISTRATION FEES PAID TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FEMALE COYOTE CONTEST. ANY TIES WILL RESULT IN EVEN SPLIT. PRIZE MONEY FOR THE SMALL DOG CONTEST ANY TIES WILL RESULT IN EVEN SPLIT.
- 16. ALL PRIZE MONEY WILL BE AWARDED AFTER OFFICIAL RESULTS HAVE BEEN DETERMINED. PRIZE MONEY WILL BE AWARDED BY CHECK UPON VERIFICATION OF THE CONTESTANT'S ENTITLEMENT, CHECKS WILL BE ISSUED IN APPROXIMATELY 2-3 WEEKS. THE IRS FORM W-9 WILL BE MAILED IN JANUARY 2021.

COYOTE REGISTRATIONS WILL ONLY BE ON THE SPECIFIED DATES ABOVE.

YOU MAY ALSO REGISTER BY MAIL, PLEASE INCLUDE A SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE BEFORE MARCH 18,2020 TO THE FOLLOWING:

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ABSOLUTELY NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE TAKEN AFTER THE BEGINNING OF THE HUNT!!!