

N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission's National Hunting and Fishing Day in North Carolina Events

Sept. 24, 2016

National Hunting and Fishing Day in North Carolina: Wildlife Expo

Where: John E. Pechmann Fishing Education Center

7489 Raeford Road (across from Lake Rim)

Fayetteville, N.C. 28304

When: Sept. 24, 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Event Description: With more than 15 hands-on, interactive exhibits and demonstrations, Wildlife Expo is a great way to learn more about the natural environment and the important roles that hunting and fishing play in North Carolina's fish and wildlife conservation. Activities at the Wildlife Expo include:

- Shooting a BB gun
- Seeing live birds of prey
- Testing duck and goose calls
- Seeing live mammals, frogs, turtles and snakes
- Learning how to fly-fish
- Kayaking
- Fishing
- Identifying aquatic insects

Participants ages 16 and younger can register to win lots of great fishing-related prizes, including the grand prize, a lifetime unified sportsman license, generously donated by the N.C. Wildlife Federation. This license will give the holder lifetime fishing and hunting privileges that include fishing in all public waters — from the mountain to the coast — as well as hunting for big game, hunting on game lands and waterfowl hunting.

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Directions: Map to the John E. Pechmann Fishing Education Center.