

MHGDC Guest Policy

This is a reminder of club policy regarding guests attending our training events and will be sent to all members of the Missouri Headwaters Gun Dog Club. The MHGDC has negotiated a special use permit to be able to use the Fish, Wildlife and Parks managed properties.

In addition to the FWP permit, there are posted regulations on the training grounds which prohibit individuals from discharging firearms except during hunting season or have a special use permit. Therefore the MHGDC wants to remind its members that only club members may discharge firearms during our organized training sessions.

MHGDC has liability insurance that covers members only. We provide the accounting for the club, we provide the funding for the purchasing of training and trial birds, and the club provides pens to maintain the birds. All of these reasons are why we require participants in our training sessions to be members of the club.

As revised for 2015 the permit to shoot pen raised wild birds must be applied for by each individual. We suggest that everyone include the following areas: include areas known to us as The Horse Pasture, Blackbird, GreyCliff Ranch, and the Cabbage patch. If a non-club member is releasing game birds on these or any other property, that individual is solely responsible for their own state bird training permit.

If guests or new potential members attend one of the MHGDC training events, please inform them of the club membership requirement. Have them complete our membership form and pay for their membership before letting them buy birds or allowing them to be anything but an observer. This especially includes not shooting any guns.