



Fort Berthold Reservation
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Fish and Wildlife Division
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2016-2017 TRIBAL GAME DATES

January 2016

- 03: Fall light goose season closes
- 03: Deer Bow season closes
- 03: Fall Turkey season closes
- 03: Sharp-tailed Grouse season closes
- 03: Hungarian Partridge season closes
- 03: Tree Squirrel season closes
- 03: Pheasant season closes
- 03: Duck season closes
- 03: Merganser season closes
- 03: Coot season closes

February 2016

- 20: Spring light goose season opens

March 2016

- 05: Spring Crow season opens
- 13: Daylight Savings Time begins—set clocks ahead 1 hour
- 13: Mink, Muskrat, and Weasel trapping seasons close
- 13: Weasel hunting season closes
- 13: Bobcat hunting, trapping and snaring seasons close
- 13: Beaver & Raccoon snaring on land closes
- 13: Mink, Muskrat and Weasel snaring seasons close
- 13: Mink & Muskrat hunting seasons close
- 13: Fox, Coyote and Badger snaring seasons close
- 14: Beaver & Raccoon snaring on land within 50ft of water opens
- 15: Fish house removal deadline
- 30: Mountain Lion pursue with dogs season closes
- 31: Mountain Lion season closes (unless quota of 10 is reached beforehand)
- 31: Hunter questionnaires due for 2015 seasons
- 31: Fox & Badger hunting and trapping seasons close
- 31: Coyote hunting and trapping seasons close
- 31: Beaver & Raccoon hunting, trapping, and underwater snaring seasons close

April 2016

- 01: Fishing season opens—new licenses required
- 01: Beaver and Raccoon hunting, trapping and underwater snaring seasons open—open year round from April 1-March 31
- 01: Fox, Coyote, Badger hunting and trapping season opens—open year round from April 1-March 31 (archery equipment, pursue w/dogs, hunting & trapping)
- 09: Spring Turkey season opens
- 24: Spring Crow season closes



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May 2016

- 15: Spring Light Goose season closes
- 15: Spring Turkey Closes

July 2016

- 3-5: Free fishing for Enrolled TAT Tribal Members

August 2016

- 06: Fall Crow season opens
- 13: Early Canada Goose season opens
- 26: Deer bow season opens
- 26: Mountain Lion season opens
- 27: Mourning Dove season opens

September 2016

- 03: Sharp-tailed Grouse season opens
- 03: Hungarian Partridge season opens
- 10: Tree Squirrel season opens
- 10: Snipe season opens
- 11: Early Canada Goose closes
- 16: Youth Deer season opens (legally licensed youth 14 & 15 years of age)
- 17: Sandhill Crane season opens
- 17: Woodcock season opens
- 17, 18: Youth Waterfowl season (legally licensed youth 15 years of age or younger)
- 24: Fall Light Goose season opens
- 24: Canada Goose season opens
- 24: Duck season opens
- 24: Merganser season opens
- 24: Coot season opens
- 24: White-fronted Goose season opens
- 25: Youth Deer season closes
- 24, 25: Youth Pheasant season (legally licensed youth 15 years of age or younger)

October 2016

- 01: Pheasant season opens
- 01: Moose season opens
- 07: Elk season opens
- 08: Fall turkey season opens
- 22: Mink, Muskrat, and Weasel trapping seasons open
- 23: Fall Crow season closes
- 30: Moose season closes

November 2016

- 05: Bobcat hunting & trapping opens
- 06: Daylight Savings Time ends—set clocks back 1 hour



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- 06: Mourning Dove season closes
- 06: Woodcock season closes
- 04: Deer gun season opens
- 13: Sandhill Crane season closes
- 21: Mountain Lion pursue with dogs season opens
- 26: Mink, Muskrat, and Weasel hunting & snaring seasons open
- 26: Beaver & Raccoon snaring on land seasons open
- 26: Bobcat snaring season opens
- 26: Fox, Coyote and Badger snaring seasons open
- 27: Deer Gun Season closes

December 2016

- 04: White-fronted goose season closes
- 04: Snipe season closes
- 04: Duck season closes
- 04: Merganser season closes
- 04: Coot season closes
- 10: Duck season re-opens
- 10: Merganser season re-opens
- 10: Coot season re-opens
- 20: Hunter questionnaires due for 2016 seasons
- 25: Canada goose season closes
- 31: Elk season closes

January 2017

- 01: Fall light goose season closes
- 01: Deer Bow season closes
- 01: Fall Turkey season closes
- 01: Sharp-tailed Grouse season closes
- 01: Hungarian Partridge season closes
- 01: Tree Squirrel season closes
- 01: Pheasant season closes
- 01: Duck season closes
- 01: Merganser season closes
- 01: Coot season closes

February 2017

- 19: Spring light goose season opens

March 2017

- 04: Spring Crow season opens
- 12: Daylight Savings Time begins – set clocks ahead 1 hour
- 15: Weasel hunting, trapping, and snaring seasons close
- 15: Bobcat hunting, trapping and snaring seasons close



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