



Learn to Hunt Wild Turkeys 2024

A Becoming an Outdoors-Woman workshop offered in partnership with Backcountry Hunters and Anglers and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Wednesday, February 28, Virtual Classroom, 5:30-7:00 pm

Saturday March 30, Field Day, Izaak Walton League, Stevens Point, 10:00-4:00 pm

Saturday, April 6, Welcome, Lion's Camp of Wisconsin, Rosholt 5:30-8:00 pm

Sunday, April 7, Actual Hunt, Central WI

February 28, 5:30-7:00 pm **Virtual class:** Learn about turkey biology, habitat, behavior, and history; safety, seasons, and regulations; introduction to gear and guns; hunting for a place to hunt - maps, technology, asking for permission, public lands; preparing for the field day.

March 30, 10:00-4:00, **Field Day** at the Bill Cook's Izaak Walton League, Stevens Point: Review firearm safety, eye dominance, range rules; Hands-on target shooting; ammunition basics; field dressing a bird; calling, scouting, preparing for the hunt. Chili and bread provided for lunch, BYO snacks and beverages (no alcohol allowed).

April 6, 5:30- 8:00 pm **Welcome and Orientation** at the Rosholt Lion's Camp. Dinner and longing included. We will spend the evening planning our hunt, going over details, and answering all of your questions.

April 7, **Turkey Hunt!** First time hunters will be paired with an experienced hunter who will offer guidance and support during an actual hunt for wild turkeys. The course is limited to 10 students who have never had the opportunity to hunt turkeys. Join us for a late afternoon social with wild game appetizers and storytelling after the hunt.

No experience or equipment necessary. Guns, ammunition, gear provided. You will be required to complete a free online hunter safety course (if you don't already have hunter safety certification), and attend the virtual class and the field day in order to participate in the hunt.

Registration fee \$175 includes 1.5 hours virtual class, 6 hours in-person hands-on instruction, 1 night lodging, dinner, and a morning of guided hunting.

Secure online registration through UWSP - [CLICK HERE](#)

Scholarships are available for students 18 and older. Contact Peggy Farrell, pfarrell@uwsp.edu

