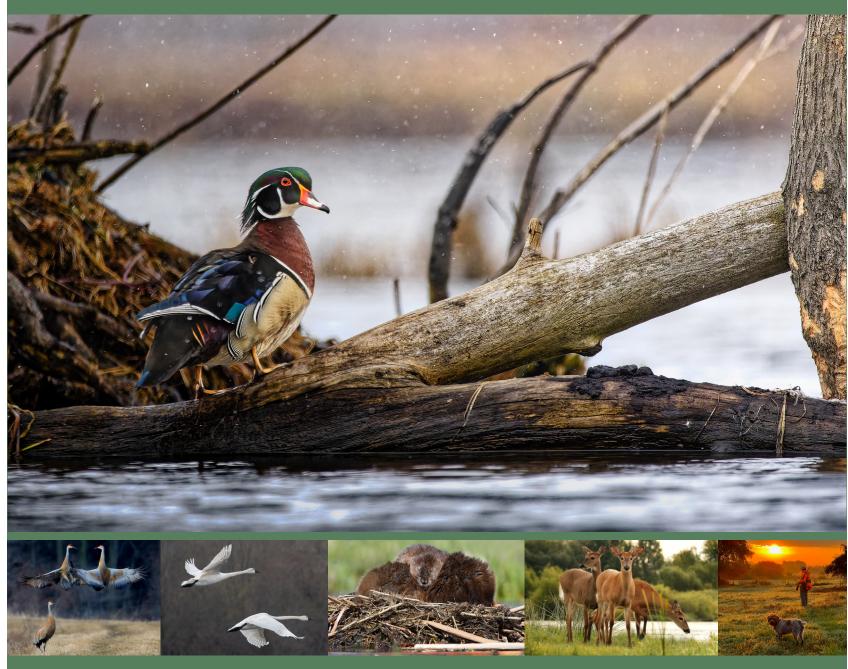


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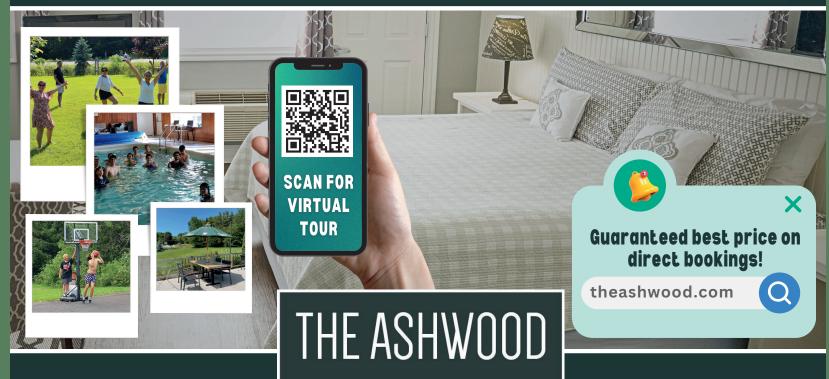
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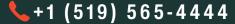




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n behalf of the Board of Directors (BOD) of the Friends of Hullett (FOH), I would like to welcome you to the Hullett Provincial Wildlife Area (HPWA).

If it is your first time visiting the Hullett Marsh, take some time to review the User Guide so that you are familiar with the rules and regulations associated with HPWA. We would like to remind you that you are obligated to read and understand the User Guide regulations whether you are a hunter or non-hunter. Staff have also created "Tip Sheets" available on our website home page in PDF to help with your research of this self-serve property.

Partnered with the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry and Ducks Unlimited Canada, the volunteer Board of Directors manages this amazing 2,200-hectare (5,400 acre) wetland habitat complex in Huron County.

This multi-use public property is used by hikers, hunters, dog trainers, horseback riders, photographers, kayakers/canoeists, geocachers, nature groups, school groups, foragers and birdwatchers. Please be respectful to all property users when you are pursuing your interests at Hullett Marsh. We hope that you enjoy your time at the HPWA and consider supporting FOH with a membership to help us maintain the HPWA for your free use.

The BOD would like to wish Mike Cardinal a happy retirement after serving on the Board for over 25 years. We thank Trevor

Latta for 3 years of dedication as our board Secretary. We welcome **Mario Coniglio** as our newest Board member in 2024.

Visit our website frequently for up to date information on the HPWA, public notices and upcoming events. You can also follow us on Facebook at **Hullett Marsh** and on Instagram **@Hullett Marsh!**

2024 Season Highlights

- Hiring of 1 funded Canada summer jobs student
- Hiring of 1 high school student with FOH funds
- Road grading provided by the Municipality of Central Huron at no cost to FOH
- Successful FOH fundraising Dinner & Auction at the Bluewater Golf Course
- Year 8 of Phragmites control to save our wetland habitats
- Year 6 of protecting turtle nests
- Increased property use by dog clubs and photographers
- New shingles on the roof of the accessible viewing stand at the Orange Trail trailhead
- Reforestation planning, restoration and planting in the "Continuous Forest" project
- 1000 pheasants will be released this fall and we encourage you to support the Clinton Sporting Goods/Sommers Generator "Pheasant Challenge" raffle

Duane Inkpen, Chairman of the Board

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- 3. Visit our website at hullettmarsh.com

Memberships include emailed newsletters, a vehicle decal, voting rights at the AGM, and a tax receipt.

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Name:						
Address:						
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Are you a hunter? ☐ No ☐ Yes, of:						
Are you interested in volunteering? ☐ Yes ☐ No						
Favourite activity at Hullett:						
Comments:						

A Word from our Conservation Officers

onservation Officers regularly patrol the Hullett Provincial Wildlife Area (HPWA). Officer Drew Pegrum is responsible for Huron and Perth Counties which includes HPWA. Conservation Officers are part of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry in the Enforcement Branch. If you have an enforcement related question or see a natural resource violation you may contact the Conservation Officers directly using the cell phone numbers provided below. Conservation Officers are dedicated to protecting our natural resources and ensuring the safety of all HPWA users. The HPWA is extremely unique and with that comes a unique set of rules that must be adhered to while hunting or recreating within the boundaries. It is very important that all users read and understand the HPWA User Guide. Anyone planning on hunting should also review the general hunting regulations at

http://www.ontario.ca/document/ontario-hunting-regulationssummary

Conservation Officers would like to remind everyone that all roads within the HPWA are considered to be maintained. It is unlawful to have a loaded firearm on the road or within eight meters of the road. It is important to understand that HPWA is a multi-use area. A wide

variety of outdoor activities take place here and may overlap. Please respect all HPWA user groups. We appreciate that the majority of users adhere to the rules. Should you observe an activity or event that may be unlawful, please reach out by calling the Conservation Officers directly or using the Tips Line at 1-877-TIPS-MNR (1-877-847-7667). If you wish to remain anonymous, you may call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-265-8477.



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Drew Pegrum

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Ben Summer

Staff Sergeant (Acting) Enforcement Operations Specialist 519-378-6308

PLEASE REPORT NATURAL RESOURCE VIOLATIONS BY CALLING 1-877-847-7667

You can assist a Conservation Officer by calling our natural resources call line with the following information:

- Nature of the violation (hunting, fishing, species at risk, unlawful harvesting, etc...)
- Vehicle information such as; licence plate, color, make & model of vehicle
- Location of the offence such as civic address or simply where you are in the Hullett
- Specifics about the event that you saw including date, time, persons involved if name known if not descriptions of people







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General Regulations

MOTORIZED VEHICLES

Motorized vehicles are permitted on maintained roads and parking lots **only**. Standard bicycles and E-bikes are permitted throughout the HPWA (see **Ontario Reg. 369/09** for definition of E-bikes).

PARKING

Daily parking is permitted between the hours of 5:00 AM and 9:00 PM. Overnight parking is only permitted at 40874 Summerhill Road and camper trailers are not permitted. Please see page 8 for additional parking regulations related to hunting. **Do not park on roadways or in front of gates, cables, boat launches, bridges, and agricultural access points.** From Sept. 1 to the end of all migratory bird seasons, numbered parking spots in **ZONE A** are reserved for hunters of migratory birds. Non-hunters, please park in front of unnumbered yellow parking barriers.

DOG TRAINING

Retriever training activities on water are **not permitted** in **ZONE A** between May 15 and July 31 or in **ZONE B** between May 15 and July 15. Dogs are to be leashed or under immediate control of the handler. If you use live birds for training, **you must obtain the appropriate permits** from the OMNRF Vineland Area Office. You may need one or both of the following permits: 1. Authorization to Conduct Field Trials and Training during closed season; 2. Authorization to Release Wildlife Imported into Ontario Propagated from Stock Imported into Ontario. The OMNRF office issuing these permits can be contacted at 905-562-1177.

HORSE ACCESS

Horse access is **not permitted** in **ZONE A** from October 1 to April 30. Winter access for horses is available in **ZONE B**.

Some activities are prohibited on this property. Details are provided in the User Guide found in the map box of every parking lot.

These signs are found at each of our twenty parking lots and refer to prohibited activities within the marsh. By passing these signs, you are agreeing that you will follow all rules and regulations at the HPWA. These signs have been installed in accordance with the Trespass to Property Act. Thank you for obeying the rules and helping to keep Hullett a safe and enjoyable space for all user groups.

SNOWMOBILES

Snowmobiles are permitted **only** on marked OFSC snowmobile trails.

WATER ACCESS

Pond access is **not permitted** in **ZONE A** between May 15 and July 31, and in **ZONE B** between May 15 and July 15. This includes retriever training activities, kayaking, canoeing and wading. This is to minimize disturbances to nesting waterfowl and support successful breeding.

RESTRICTED AREAS

Areas found at **Satellite Pond 14**, **Pintail Pool**, and the **White Tail Swamp** are off limits to **all users** 365 days per year.

FORAGING

Foraging is permitted for personal consumption only. Please be mindful and respectful of the resources and only take what you need

BOOKING FOR GROUP ACTIVITIES

Booking for any groups of 20 or more people (**dog trials**, **training**, **bird watching**, **horseback riding**, **etc.**) may be scheduled by contacting the Hullett Office at **fohoffice@tcc. on.ca**. Any large groups found on the property that have not scheduled an event will be asked to leave the marsh.

Prohibited Actions

ALCOHOL

Alcohol is **not allowed** on public lands under Ontario Liquor Licence Act.

CAMPING

Camping is not permitted anywhere in the HPWA. Campfires are also not permitted anywhere in the HPWA.

COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS

Commercial operations will not be located on the property.

ATV

Unauthorized use of ATVs is **NOT permitted** within the HPWA. ATVs are extremely damaging to the trails, vegetation, and the natural ecosystem of the property.

LITTERING

You are responsible for the removal of your own garbage and property. Please note that there are no recycling bins or garbage cans within the HPWA.

MOTORIZED BOATS

All motorized boats are **prohibited**, including those with electric motors.

Tree Stands & Ground Blinds

Hunting structures may be placed, erected, and used on HPWA land only if they are being used for the sole purpose of hunting. You may not use any structures for overnight accommodations and must still follow the 5AM entry rule. Homemade or constructed structures are **not permitted**, you must use a manufactured structure as they are safety tested and approved. Hunting structures may be placed beginning on September 1st and must be removed by January 31st of each year. Any structure which is not removed in accordance with this rule, may be removed by staff. Please keep in mind that other hunters may use your hunting structure at any time as the HPWA is public land. See figures to the right for examples of approved and non-approved hunting structures.







Non-Approved

Approved



The FOH would like to thank Huron County for providing \$5,000 from their Supporting Local Economic Development (SLED) fund. With this funding, FOH will be co-hosting forestry tours at the HPWA with the Ontario Woodlot Association (OWA). OWA will be bringing in forestry experts to lead three forestry tours, each with different themes. The purpose of these tours is to re-engage and enhance skills and knowledge of other forestry professionals. The immediate goal is to provide tangible actions that can be taken to improve and enhance forest ecosystems.







Interested in Joining The Hullett Board of Directors?

To run for the Board of Directors (BOD), you must be a valid member of the FOH and are required to submit an application expressing your interest to run for the BOD. Please contact fohoffice@tcc.on.ca for application information. Applications are due April 29, 2025 and BOD positions are up for renewal/election on Sunday, May 25, 2025.



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You do not need to be a hunter to purchase raffle tickets. The winner of the gun must show a valid PAL. For more information, see page 8.

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Hunting Rules & Regulations

**The boundary between Zone A and Zone B is the South Maitland River Zone

Zone A Migratory Bird Hunting Regulations:

Zone A is a unit consisting of 1020 ha (2520 acres) of land of which 680 ha (1680 acres) are flooded with shallow open water. The average depth within the five water pools is approximately 50 cm (20 in).

Within **Zone A**, there are 52 hunting stations (stakes) available.

The following regulations apply in **Zone A**:

- 1. To lawfully hunt migratory birds during their open season, you must park one vehicle in a numbered parking space in a designated parking lot. The number of your space permits you to hunt at the stake with the same number. Stake locations are shown on the accompanying map. Please refer to page 9 for Waterfowl Hunting Draw Procedure and Stake Selection in **Zone A** to learn how to get to your stake for waterfowl hunting.
- 2. Hunters must keep their firearms unloaded and encased except while occupying the blind or stake.
- 3. Only **two people** are permitted at any stake including non-hunters.
- 4. The two people must hunt within 30 metres of the blind or stake that is marked with the same number as the vehicle's parking space.
- Portable blinds may be used. No person shall cut any vegetation nor erect and leave a blind of any fashion.
- 6. Stake numbers F1 and F2 are field hunting stakes. These stakes will be open for hunting once crops are harvested. Please visit the homepage of our website for updates.
- 7. There are two accessible blinds available for your convenience. Please refer to the accompanying map for locations. The use of these blinds are to be reserved by emailing the FOH Office at <u>fohoffice@tcc.on.ca</u> prior to your hunt.

General Hunting Rules

Firearms:

All roadways within Hullett are considered maintained. It is illegal to have a loaded firearm within eight (8) meters of a maintained road. Hunters are not exempt from any federal or provincial laws regarding firearms while hunting in Hullett.

Hunting:

Hunting is not permitted near maintenance buildings, or on neighbouring private land, without the permission of the landowner.

A retriever, waders or canoe is recommended to ensure retrieval of all migratory birds shot. Hunters are required by the Migratory Birds Convention Act to retrieve downed game.

Hunting is prohibited within 400 metres of waterfowl baiting locations. Bait sites are marked on the user guide map and are signed on the property.

From June 1 to August 31, hunting is prohibited on or near the nature trails. The Hullett Provincial Wildlife Area does not have a late goose season as it does have Sunday gun hunting.

Consult the Hunting Regulations Summary for a more detailed listing of Ontario's Hunting regulations or view the summary online at: www.mnr.gov.on.ca/en/Business/FW/Publication/MNR_E001275P/html

Zone A Small Game Hunting Regulations:

It is lawful to hunt small game (including turkeys) in Zone A only if the following conditions are adhered to:

- 1. The season for migratory birds must be closed. This includes Mourning Doves.
- 2. All hunters must park in one of the designated parking lots (identified on the accompanying map) and position their vehicle in front of a parking barrier. Requirements specific to the numbered spaces only apply to hunting during Migratory Bird Hunting season. Parking in any of these parking spaces permits all hunters in the vehicle to hunt small game, outside of Migratory Bird Hunting season, anywhere in **Zone A**.

BIG GAME HUNTING IS NOT PERMITTED IN ZONE A.

Zone B Hunting Regulations

Zone B consists of 1060 ha (2620 acres). This zone consists of agriculture fields, meadows, forests, tall grass prairies, marginal woodland, swamps, and ponds.

The Following Regulations Apply In Zone B:

- 1. All game for which there is an open season, and during that open season, may be hunted.
- 2. All hunters must park in one of the designated parking lots (identified on the accompanying map) and position their vehicle in front of a parking barrier. This parking space permits all hunters in the vehicle to hunt anywhere in **Zone B**.

Pheasant Hunting

For the 2024 pheasant season, FOH has purchased 1000 ring-necked pheasants from <u>Royal Game Birds</u> and <u>Creekside Pheasantry</u> for the purpose of hunting in <u>Zone B only</u>. Pheasants are released at intervals during the open season and are not scheduled to specific days. FOH staff are not authorized to inform hunters of release locations, dates or times. The birds released are provided without charge to the public but it is highly recommended that hunters support the Friends of Hullett **Pheasant Challenge**. With the purchase of a ticket you are entered into a draw to win a **portable generator** or **shotgun!**

The future of the pheasant hunt is in the hands of the hunters based on their financial support. The 1000 birds for 2024 were the result of 2023 fundraising. Past releases were 1200 birds in 2023 and 1200 birds in 2022.

The **Pheasant Challenge** is sponsored by **Sommers Generator Systems** & **Clinton Sporting Goods** with our sincere thanks. Tickets are available at **Clinton Sporting Goods** (519-606-3006) or at www.hullettmarsh.com via PayPal.

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	32	37' 42.646"	27' 30.268"
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WATERFOWL HUNTING DRAW PROCEDURE AND STAKE SELECTION

Waterfowl Opening Day for Ducks

Hunters are required to participate in a draw conducted by the FOH and the MNRF (does not apply to early goose season). The purpose of this draw is to ensure an equitable allocation of hunting opportunities and encourage safe hunting for everyone.

The draw takes place the Friday before opening day at noon.

To participate in the draw, waterfowl hunters must park in front of a numbered barrier in parking lot 40874 Summerhill Road, and be present with the vehicle until the time of registration. Registration time begins at 10:00 AM on the Friday morning and the draw is made at 12:00 PM.

The draw determines the order of choice for hunting stakes, not the stake itself.

The first 52 motor vehicles will qualify for the draw (unoccupied vehicles are not eligible).

In the event that all 52 stakes are not taken in the draw, the remaining stakes will be allocated on a first come, first serve basis.

Two people may occupy a hunting stake but only one draw per vehicle will be permitted.

Upon registration, hunters will receive a Hunter Validation/Harvest Card (HV/HC), at which time hunters are to deposit a piece of identification (NOT any licence required to hunt, possess firearms, or operate a vehicle) with the parking lot operator. Identification will be returned to the hunter at the conclusion of the hunt after their daily harvest has been checked. Information collected on birds checked is used for managing waterfowl in Ontario.

The HV/HC MUST be displayed in a manner so that it can be easily seen, preferably on the dash of the vehicle.

Hunting in ZONE A After the Opening Day

To provide a fair and equal opportunity to all hunters after opening weekend of waterfowl season, hunters that arrive before 5:00 AM must:

- 1. Line up in the overflow parking lot (40874 Summerhill Road) on a first come, first serve basis at one of the numbered parking barrier that corresponds to one of 52 hunting stakes.
- After 5:00 AM, hunters must proceed to the parking lot corresponding with the stake number they have selected to hunt from.

Handicap Accessible Blinds

There are two handicap accessible blinds for your convenience at the Hullett Marsh. Please refer to the accompanying map for locations. Use of these facilities are to be reserved by emailing the FOH Office at fohoffice@tcc.on.ca during normal business hours prior to your hunt.

Additional Comments

Trail and channel markers are placed to help you find some stakes. The markers and stake numbers will show up in the beam of a flashlight.

We urge all hunters to scout the area ahead of time and take a compass or GPS unit with you. Many stakes will be almost impossible to find in the dark unless you know the area well. Please refer to GPS data for stakes.

Stakes numbered 1 – 50 are permanent locations. Stakes F1 and F2 are field hunting stakes and are placed after crop harvest.

Wading in unfamiliar waters can be extremely dangerous. Chest waders will be required in most cases. Keep in mind that open water can mean deep water, especially near dykes.

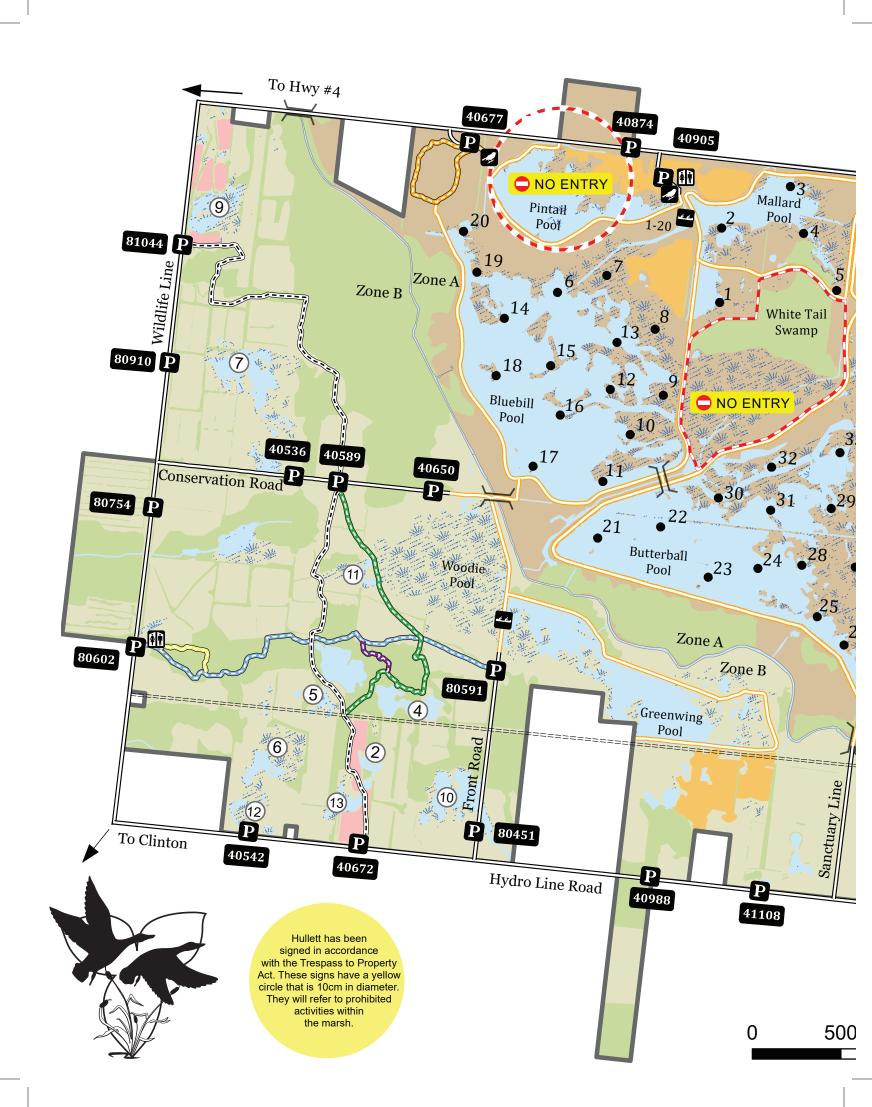
Sky-busting shows poor sportsmanship and results in crippled birds. This is strongly discouraged at Hullett. Know your shotgun and its limitations.

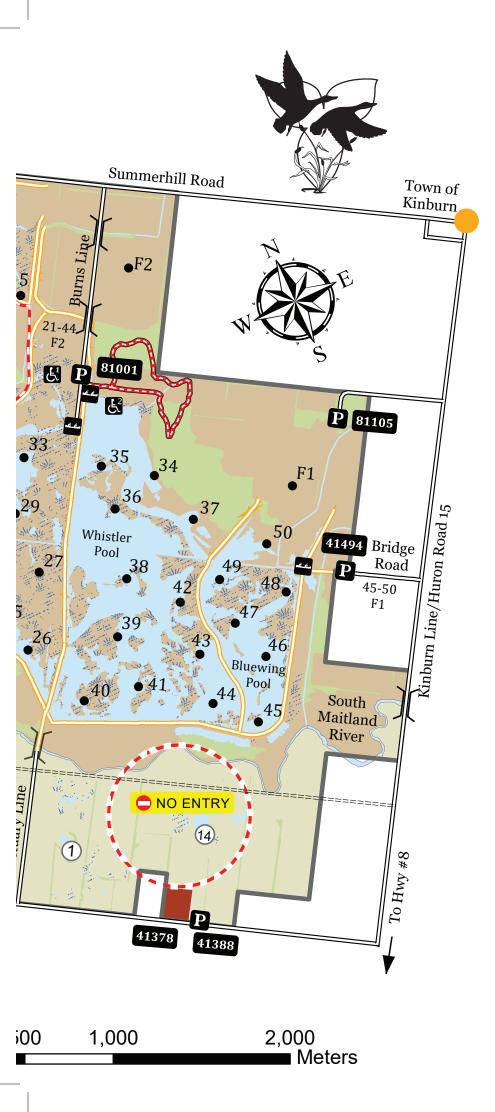
Due to management practices, water levels may fluctuate and shorelines may change.

Some stakes may be closed at the MNRF's discretion during certain periods to restrict hunting activity near waterfowl banding sites and special events such as youth hunts. If done, notices will be posted at the parking space for that stake.

Access to Hunting Stakes

Walk-in (chest waders highly recommended): 1-9, 11, 22, 27, 32, 33, 42, 46, 48-50. The water level within the ponds are actively managed by Ducks Unlimited Canada and the FOH. Access will change from year to year and season to season.





Legend

── Bridge



Accessible Hunting Stand

Viewing Stand

Parking Lot

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Hunting Stake

Satellite Pond

Town

Trails

Blue - 2.3 km

Green - 2.1 km Orange - 1.2 km

Purple - 0.3 km

Red - 2.2 km

White - 4.6 km

Yellow - 0.4 km

Dyke

Powerline
Road

NO ENTRY

HPWA Boundry
Private Property

Zone A Zone B

Wooded Area

Water

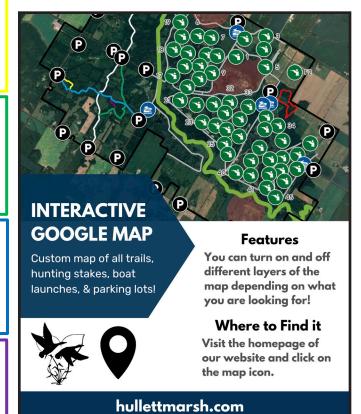
Wetland
Tall Grass Prairie

Grassland Restoration

Office Complex

This trail is for adventurous hikers Length: 2.2km looking for a challenge. There is lots Difficulty: Hard Time: 30-50 min of poison ivy. The Red Trail goes through mature forests and fallow **Slope:** 0-3% fields. FOH staff will be working to Min. EL: 298m improve this trail in the future. Max. EL: 303m Length: 1.2km This trail has access to the dyke **Difficulty:** Medium systems and will lead you to the Time: 20-30 min highest point in the HPWA for great **Slope:** 0-8% views. This trail is recommended if you are new to Hullett Marsh and Min. EL: 303m Max. EL: 315m forms a loop back to the parking lot. This trail connects to the Blue Trail Length: 0.4km and offers a great short loop if you Difficulty: Easy don't want to hike the entire Blue Time: 10-15 min Trail. The forest floor flourishes **Slope:** 0-4.5% here, after several Ash trees were Min. EL: 299m lost. Max. EL: 304m Woodlands and meadows offer a Length: 2.4km nice balance between sunshine and **Difficulty:** Medium shade while raptor nests and duck Time: 30-50 min en boxes offer great sights to see. This **Slope:** 0-8% Min. EL: 299m trail intersects Blue, Purple, and Ō White Trails. Max. EL: 313m Length: 2.3km This trail stretches from Wildlife **Difficulty:** Medium Line to Front Road and is full of Time: 30-50 min wildlife and wildflowers in both woodland and meadow habitats. It **Slope:** 0-8% Min. EL: 298m intersects Yellow, White, Purple, and Green Trails. Max. EL: 309m This trail is accessible through Length: 0.3km either the Blue or Green Trail. Along Difficulty: Easy it you will find a variety of **Time:** 5-10 min Purple ecosystems and a large number of **Slope:** 0-3% Beech trees, whose smooth trunks Min. EL: 304m resemble elephant legs. Max. EL: 307m This is the longest trail in the Length: 4.7km

Each of Hullett's seven trails has been marked based on the standardized blazing method used across North America. The colour of the paint on the blaze corresponds to the colour of the trail on the map.





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Dyke System

Difficulty: Medium

Time: 60-90 min **Slope:** 0-9%

Min. EL: 300m

Max. EL: 313m

HPWA, spanning from one side to

the other. It allows you to

experience a wide variety of habitats and wildlife, showing the

importance of biodiversity.

Our 17km of dykes offer relatively flat, even hikes and can be found all over the marsh. There's minimal tree coverage but great views of open water, wildflowers, and wildlife.



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Images MUST:

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- Include photographer's name in the file name (eg. John_Smith.jpg)

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2nd - 6th Place Prize:

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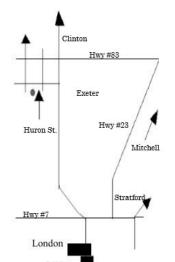
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Technology offers a helping hand at Hullett Marsh

live with the sights and sounds of waterfowl and wildlife, Hullett Marsh is a natural wonder and a favorite escape for those eager to explore

Since the early 1980s, Ducks Unlimited Canada (DUC) partnered with the Province of Ontario to transform former agricultural land into valuable wetlands for the benefit of waterfowl, wildlife, and people. Working together with the Friends of Hullett since the wetlands were restored has been a source of pride for DUC, and an opportunity to expand the appreciation of this one-of-akind wetland jewel.

Located just east of Lake Huron, Hullett Marsh provides a vital migration path for waterfowl and other birds. A vibrant land-scape awaits you, measuring 5,420 acres with trails and waterways, healthy wetlands and habitat supporting many species of waterfowl – many of which also call Hullett home during the spring breeding season.

Managing the habitat at this Provincial Wildlife Area takes the skill and passion of

those who understand the importance of wetlands on the landscape. DUC staff remain committed to ensuring the proper function of all the wetland 'cells' found at the marsh. The work to enhance habitats is a careful balance of infrastructure maintenance and controlling water levels. These water level changes are informed through annual biological inspections.

DUC staff are currently employing technology to help with the task of mapping Hullett's vegetation communities. The wetland plants are identified using drone imagery and on-the-ground surveys. The goal is to have a variety of plants, including both emergent and submergent plants, for a healthy wetland ecosystem and a place where waterfowl and wildlife thrive.

These tools allow for year-over-year comparisons and provide real-time analysis for areas in need of water level adjustments.

DUC delivers wetland conservation that benefits everyone. We protect wildlife and special natural places. We use science to find solutions to the most important environmental issues of the day, and we collaborate with people who help create a healthier world. The wetlands that we save aren't just for ducks—they're for all of us. Get out and explore all that Hullett Marsh has to offer!



What's good for ducks is good for hundreds of Ontario's wildlife species – including species at risk. Large, permanent wetlands provide food and shelter for wildlife in all seasons. The habitat that ducks love is also home to other birds, turtles, frogs, snakes and many other animals.







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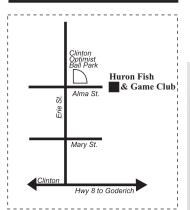
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Proud to be an active part of our Community

your local partners in wildlife conservation, the Huron Fish and Game Conservation Club, Clinton.

- Club was chartered in 1940, with a current membership of over 650.
- Member of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters, we also maintain a close relationship with
 - Canadian Wildlife Federation
 - Ducks Unlimited Canada
 - Ausable-Bayfield Conservation Association
- The club owns an 80 acre farm located on Fish and Game Line acquired from the estate of a charter member.
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- 3D Archery Course open Spring and Summer
- Open at 10am on Saturdays.
- The club makes many donations annually, mainly to local groups in and around Clinton.
- We maintain a close association with the Town of Clinton, providing use of Club owned land at the corner of Alma & Erie Streets as a ball diamond for local youth.







Clubhouse Hours:

Monday-Wednesday - 4pm-10pm Thursday - 4pm-11pm Friday and Saturday - Noon til Midnight Sunday - 1pm - 7pm

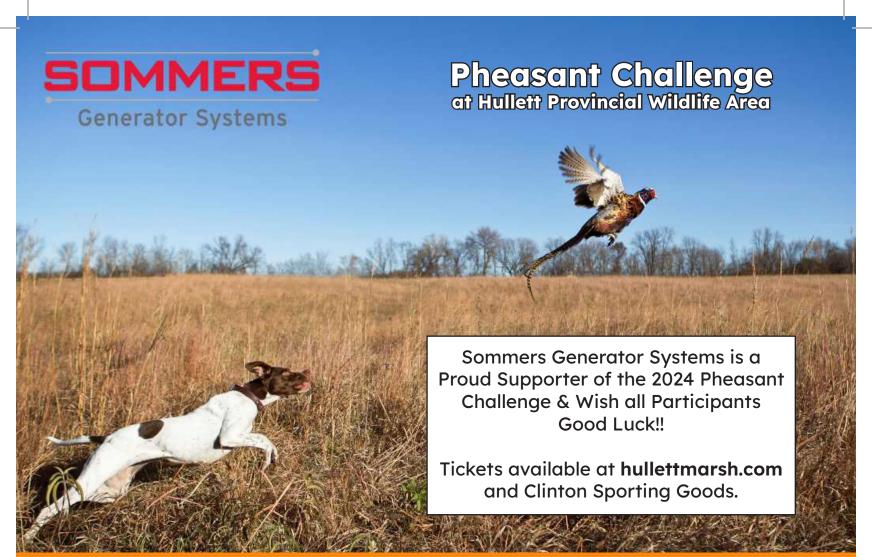
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