

## SUMMARY OF BLIND REGULATIONS FOR LAKE BARKLEY

1. Permanent blinds or pits, defined as those, which are in place more than twenty-four (24) hours, must be registered on a permit issued by the US Army Corps of Engineers or the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. Applicants may designate one (1) other person as a partner for registration. No more than two (2) non-transferable permits may be issued for each permanent blind or pit. Only one (1) permit will be issued per hunter per area. Permittees who have not constructed a pit or blind at the designated location by **17 November 2008** will forfeit their permit.
2. The Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources has identified two (2) areas on Lake Barkley for predetermined blind or pit location. Permanent blinds or pits may be used in these areas but must remain within ten (10) yards of the assigned numbered blind marker within the area. The areas are described as follows:
  - **DUCK POND AREA:** Beginning at the mouth of Donaldson Creek and proceeding south along the east side of the Old Cumberland River channel as marked by buoys, to a point due west of the boat ramp at Linton, then east to the Linton boat ramp, then north along the east shore of Lake Barkley to the mouth of Donaldson Creek.
  - **SOUTH PRYOR CREEK AREA:** All blind sites west of mile marker 72 south to the Kentucky/Tennessee State Line. All other blinds within this described area must be temporary.
3. The use of heavy equipment (backhoe) to dig a blind is prohibited.
4. Blinds or pits not occupied by Permittees one half (1/2) hour prior to shooting hours of any day are available for use by hunters on a first-come-first-serve basis for the remainder of that day.
5. Permittees shall not lock blinds or pits to prevent use by other hunters in the absence of the permittee.
6. Permanent pits or blinds must be removed or filled by **2 March 2009**. After that time the blind or pit will be considered abandoned property and will be removed or destroyed at the cost of the permittee. The permittee may also be issued a Title 36 citation and lose the privilege of participating in next years waterfowl drawing.
7. Permittees will be selected by a drawing at Lake Barkley. Applicants for blind or pit permits must present current Kentucky hunting license, state waterfowl permit and federal duck stamp to the registration clerk at the time of the drawing.
8. Blinds can be registered at the Resource Managers Office for 30 days after the drawing. No permanent blinds will be registered after the cut-off date.
9. No blinds may be established less than 200 yards from any other blind or waterfowl refuge area. For the purpose of this section a stationary, anchored, or drifting boat from which waterfowl are hunted is considered a blind.
10. No more than four (4) persons shall occupy a blind or pit at any one time.
11. Designated recreation areas and access points are closed to waterfowl and coot hunting.

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