

Code of Ethics

Ethics generally cover behaviours related to issues of fairness, respect, and responsibility that are not covered by laws.

Positive actions by responsible hunters lead to a more positive image of hunters overall.

NVCA Permits

Valid permits must be displayed on vehicle dash and on temporary hunt stands.

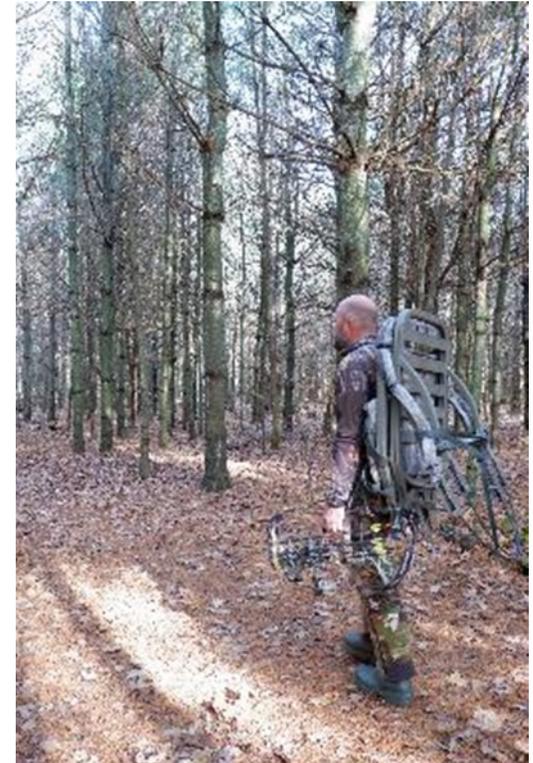
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NVCA Hunters' Code of Ethics

Some good practices for NVCA's hunters. Individual code of ethics may vary slightly among hunters.





Hunting on NVCA Properties

Hunters that access the Nottawasaga Valley Conservation Authority's (NVCA) properties are required to follow federal, provincial and municipal regulations.

Respect Natural Resources

- Leave the land better than you found it.
- Learn about wildlife and support conservation efforts.
- Recognize your own abilities and limitations and stay within your effective range.
- Hunt with other ethical hunters.
- Cooperate with conservation officers and provincial offences officers.
- Report game violations.

Code of ethics are unwritten rules hunters should abide by to ensure hunters continue to be welcome on NVCA properties.

Respect Other Hunters

- Follow safe firearm handling practices and insist your companions do the same.
- Refrain from interfering with someone else's hunt.
- Consumption of alcohol and drugs are not permitted on NVCA properties.
- Share your knowledge and skills with others.

Respect Non-hunters

- Minesing Wetlands is a multi-user conservation area. Recreational visitors are encouraged to exercise caution and wear bright orange during the fall hunting season.
- Transport animals discreetly—don't display them.
- Keep firearms out of sight.
- Maintain a presentable appearance.

Respect Landowners

- Your annual NVCA hunting permit provides access to properties identified on the map you received with your pass only. If you are hunting outside of these areas, property owner permission is required.
- Leave your vehicle in a manner that does not restrict road or gate access for others.
- Treat livestock and crops with respect.
- Leave gates the way you found them.
- Never enter private property unless you have obtained permission.

