

Entering Limited-Draw or Lottery Hunts

Lotteries through iSportsman are conducted to provide opportunities for hunters and anglers to enter for the chance to participate in activities where there is a limited number of slots for participants or to allow fair access to select preferred locations. To enter into a lottery at an outdoor recreational location (military base, wildlife refuge, public hunting area, etc.) managed using the iSportsman service, please refer to the specific facility or location's website to verify when the lottery will be available for entry and then drawn. You must have all required validations in order to see and enter the lottery. Check with the facility or location's iSportsman website for information on how to obtain validations or contact the agency managing the hunt directly.

Once you have created an iSportsman user account and the proper validations are obtained (if required), follow the below steps to enter the lottery in which you are interested in participating.

- To enter a lottery, you must acquire a Lottery Entry Permit.
- Log into your portal.
- Click on Acquire Permit(s).

/ Home / Permits

Click button to view available permits:
[Acquire Permit\(s\)](#)

Click button to use the web Checkin / Checkout:
[Checkin / Checkout](#)

Click button to view your Checkin / Checkout and harvest history:
[History](#)

- Locate the Lottery Entry Permit you are interested in.

Available Permits

Lottery

2020 Deer Archery Lottery **ENTRY** Jul 07 2020 - Sep 04 2020 FREE [Add to Cart](#)

Enter for your chance to win. Only 25 winners will be drawn on August 1, 2020 for Deer Archery hunting in September. This permit cannot be used to hunt. It is only to gain access to enter into the lottery.

Fishing

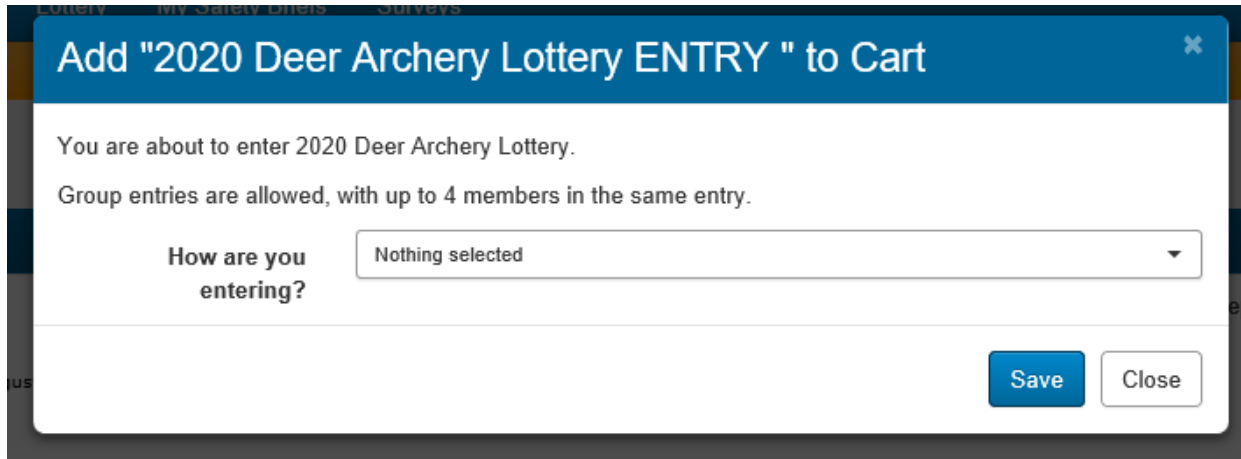
Fishing Permit Jul 07 2020 - Jul 13 2021 \$15.00 [Add to Cart](#)

Fishing Permit Details: Virginia offers excellent, extremely diverse freshwater angling opportunities. Over 176,000 acres of public lakes and 27,300 miles of fishable streams provide every freshwater angler something: tidal river for largemouth bass, striped bass, blue catfish and shad; unsurpassed float

Click Add to Cart and then follow the prompts to check out. You are now entered into the lottery.

Group Lottery

If the facility allows groups to enter the lottery, where if one person in the group is drawn then everyone in the group wins, do the following:



Add "2020 Deer Archery Lottery ENTRY " to Cart

You are about to enter 2020 Deer Archery Lottery.
Group entries are allowed, with up to 4 members in the same entry.

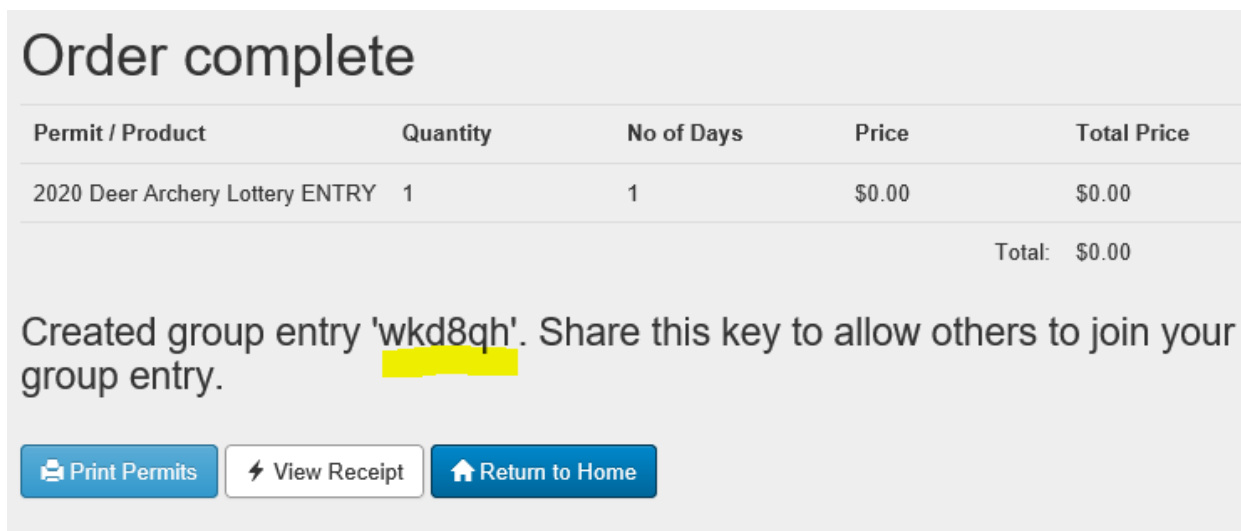
How are you entering?

Save Close

After Selecting the Lottery Entry Permit, if groups are allowed, the next screen will give you the following options in a dropdown menu. Those options will be:

- Create a Group Entry
- Join Existing Group Entry
- Solo, Individual Entry

1. Create a Group – When you create a group entry, you will receive a Group Key (code) that you will receive when you finish checking out. Write down or save that key code as it will be required for the other members you wish to join your group. To do this, simply select “Create a Group Entry” in the dropdown and proceed to checkout. Once you checkout, the key will be supplied to you. Below is an example.



Order complete

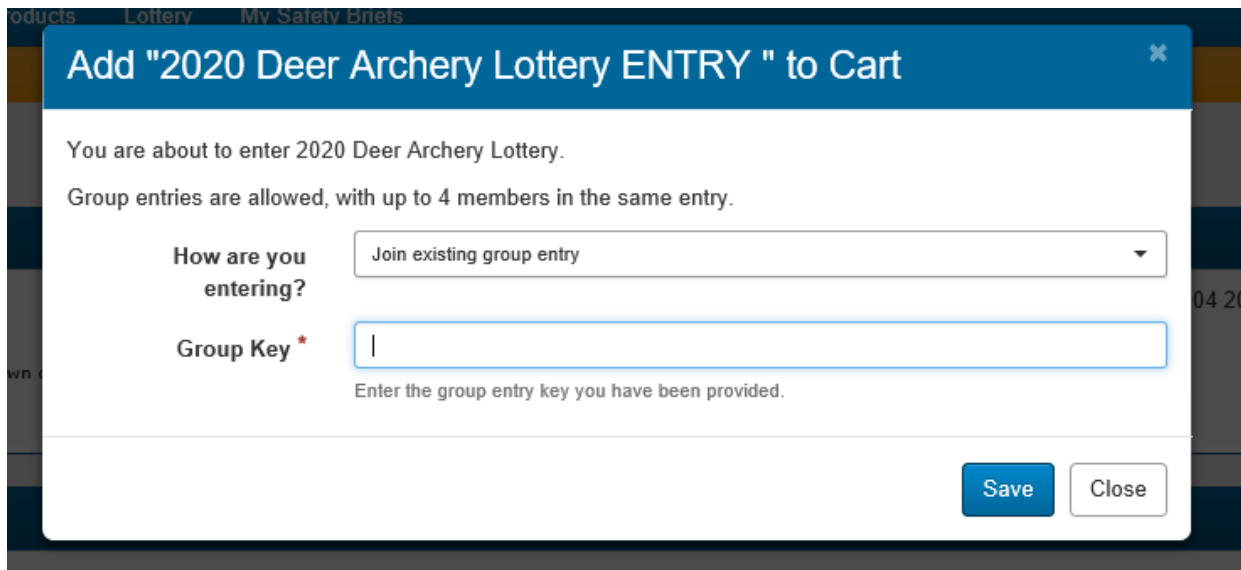
Permit / Product	Quantity	No of Days	Price	Total Price
2020 Deer Archery Lottery ENTRY	1	1	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total:				\$0.00

Created group entry 'wkd8qh'. Share this key to allow others to join your group entry.

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Give this Code to everyone you want in your group.

2. Join Existing Group – To join an existing group, you will have to enter your Group Key when prompted.



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Group Key *

Enter the group entry key you have been provided.

Save Close

3. Solo, Individual Entry –Enter on your own, select that option and hit Save.

Verify Your Lottery Entry

To verify you have received the appropriate lottery entry, do the following:

- Click on My Account
- Click on Home
- Click on Lottery

After clicking on Lottery, you will see the lottery you have entered and who is in your group if you have entered as a group. This page can also be used to see if you have won or lost the lottery after it has been drawn.

Lottery: 2020 Deer Archery Lottery
Group Key: **wkd8qh** (2 members)
John Smith, John Doe

Entry	Status	Details
2020 Deer Lottery	In Lottery	Ticket is awaiting drawing from the pool.

After the Drawing is Conducted

After a drawing is held, all entrants will be notified by email whether they were successful or not. For successful applicants, next steps in securing your permit or choosing your location will be provided with the email declaring you successful.