

**Pere Marquette State Park**  
**Special Fall Archery Hunt Regulations 2023-2024**

- 1) A Windshield Card must be displayed on the dash of your vehicle any time you are parked in the area for hunting or scouting. Your Windshield Card ID is available online at the IDNR website. You are required to return to the IDNR website to report your harvest for each windshield card you have, including windshield cards for the public hunting areas and special hunt areas. Please phone or stop by the park Visitor Center (618/786-3323) if you have any questions.
- 2) While hunting or scouting, hunters will be allowed to park along the group camp access roads, but no vehicles will be allowed on trails or inside the group camps. Additional parking is available on Route 100 at Crull Hollow and the Dabbs area (near grain bins along highway south of Crull Hollow).
- 3) No hunting is allowed in the Nature Preserve (noted on map).
- 4) Scouting is allowed until the start of the first season. No firearms or bows are allowed while scouting. If camp gates are closed, scouting will be walk-in only. Hunters are not permitted inside the camps at any time, whether the camps are occupied or not. The main camp gate will be open 24/7 during the archery hunting seasons.
- 5) No hunting is permitted within 100 yards of any main access road, picnic area, or camp.
- 6) All tree stands must be portable. Tree stands may be left unattended between September 15<sup>th</sup> and December 3rd. Stands must be legibly marked with owner's name, address and phone number.
- 7) Hunters must have in their possession their Illinois Archery Deer Permit, licenses and windshield cards. Hunters with a valid archery turkey permit may harvest a turkey during their hunt.
- 8) All state hunting regulations apply.
- 9) While held to a minimum, successful applicants should be aware that natural resource management activities such as prescribed burning and non-native plant control may be conducted during the archery season. **PLEASE KNOW - HIGHLY PROBABLE THAT RENOVATION OF CAMP OUATOGA WILL BE TAKING PLACE DURING 2023 HUNTING SEASON.**
- 10) Attached is survey which we ask that you complete and submit back the visitor center either by mail, fax or electronic email.