



2026 ARCHERY PROGRAM INSTRUCTIONS

1. Applicant must be a resident of Summit County, provide an email address, and have a valid 2026-2027 State of Ohio Hunting License.
2. Applications are available online. Please complete, print and mail to:
ARCHERY PROGRAM
PO BOX 5250
AKRON, OH 44334

Applicants must include a photocopy of a valid 2026-2027 State of Ohio Hunting License along with their application.
3. Applications will be available on June 1, 2026 and must be postmarked by **July 6, 2026**.
4. The drawing will be held on **July 16, 2026**.
5. Successful applicants will be notified by email no later than August 1, 2026. If you do not receive notification by that date, your name was not drawn.
6. Successful applicants will choose their area and time slot according to the order that they were drawn. This process will be done through email correspondence with the program project manager.
7. Successful applicants must pass the archery proficiency test with a score of 40 from 20 yards or a score of 45 from 10 yards. Proficiency tests will be held during the months of August and September at the Silver Creek Metro Park archery range. Times and dates are to be determined.
8. Written permission forms and parking permits will be issued at the completion of the proficiency test.
9. Archers are only permitted to be in the conservation area that they selected, and **only during the dates they are assigned. Pre-scouting is prohibited.**
10. Archers must follow all rules and regulations and must submit the required reports at the end of their assigned time slot. **Archers who fail to comply, or fail to submit the required reports, will disqualify themselves from future participation in the program.**