Hunt and Learn Satisfaction Survey

CF You are receiving this survey because you participated in the Georgia Department of Natural Resources (DNR) hunter education programs offered at Charlie Elliott Wildlife Center. This survey examines the impact of Hunter Education programs and is being conducted by the Wildlife Resources Division of the Georgia DNR.

Your participation in this survey is completely voluntary, and should take you approximately 10-12 minutes to complete. You may exit the survey and decline to answer any question at any time. Your input will assist the Georgia DNR in improving Hunter Education programs.

All data will be stored in a password-protected electronic format. Information such as your name, email address, and IP address will not be collected unless it is provided by you. Your responses will not be released or used outside of this study. No identifying information will be included in publications or presentations based on these data, and your responses to this survey will remain confidential.

For any questions about this survey please contact Shelby Telfer, Seasonal Naturalist, via email at slt53813@uga.edu. You may also contact the research supervisor, Rusty Garrison, Program Manager, at Rusty.Garrison@dnr.ga.gov.

Electronic Consent:  Clicking on the "Agree" button below indicates that:

1. You have read the above information.

 2. You voluntarily agree to participate.

 3. You are 18 years of age or older.

* Agree (1)
* Disagree (2)

If Disagree Is Selected, Then Skip To End of Survey

Q1 Please select all program(s) your child has attended. If you have multiple children that have attended, please answer based on the first child to attend any of the following.

* Hunt and Learn (1)
* Hunter Education Program independent of the Hunt and Learn or Shooting Sports program (3)
* Shooting Sports Camp (2)
* None of the above (4)

If None of the above Is Selected, Then Skip To End of Survey

Answer If Please select all program(s) your child has attended. If you have multiple children that have att... Hunt and Learn Is Selected

Q1A1 Are you the parent, guardian, or mentor who attended the Hunt and Learn(s) with the child?

* No (1)
* Yes (2)

If No Is Selected, Then Skip To End of Survey

Answer If Select each program your child attended in the past. Hunt and Learn Is Selected

Q1A2 Select all of the Hunt and Learns you and your child have participated in for each year.

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|  | 2011 (1) | 2012 (2) | 2013 (3) | 2014 (4) | 2015 (5) | 2016 (6) |
| Deer (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Falconry (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quail (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rabbit (4) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Squirrel (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Turkey (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Answer If Select each program your child attended in the past. Hunt and Learn Is Selected

Q1A3 During your Hunt and Learn did you and your child receive individual firearm instruction at the on-site range prior to the hunt?

* No (1)
* Yes (2)

Answer If Q1A3. During your Hunt and Learn did you and your child receive individual instruction on how to... Yes Is Selected

Q1A4 How many hours of instruction did you receive?

* Less than 1 hour (1)
* 1 hour (2)
* More than 1 hour (3)

Answer If Q1. Please select all program(s) your child has attended. If you have multiple children that have... Shooting Sports Camp Is Selected Or Q1. Please select all program(s) your child has attended. If you have multiple children that have... Hunter Education Program independent of the Hunt and Learn or Shooting Sports program Is Selected

Q1B1 Select the year(s) in which your child attended the Shooting Sports Camp and/or Hunter Education program aside from a Hunt and Learn. If multiple children have attended, please answer based on your first child to attend.

* 2011 (1)
* 2012 (2)
* 2013 (3)
* 2014 (4)
* 2015 (5)
* 2016 (6)

Q2 Have you or your child hunted prior to attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Education program?

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|  | Hunted Prior to Program |
|  | No (1) | Yes (2) |
| Child (1) |  |  |
| Parent/Guardian (2) |  |  |

Q2A If yes, how often have you hunted each of the following species?

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|  | Times hunting |
|  | 0 (1) | 1-2 (2) | 3-4 (3) | 5-6 (4) | 7+ (5) |
| Deer (1) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dove (2) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quail (3) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rabbit (4) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Squirrel (5) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Turkey (6) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Waterfowl (7) |  |  |  |  |  |

Q3 Please rate your child's familiarity  of the following  both before and after attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports Camp, and/or Hunter Education program.Where (1= Not At All Familiar) and (7 = Very Familiar)

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|  | Before Attending | After Attending |
|  | 1 (1) | 2 (2) | 3 (3) | 4 (4) | 5 (5) | 6 (6) | 7 (7) | 1 (1) | 2 (2) | 3 (3) | 4 (4) | 5 (5) | 6 (6) | 7 (7) |
| Good hunting practices--e.g. asking to hunt on private property (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Handling a firearm without assistance--e.g. loading a firearm (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Identifying correct ammunition for individual firearms--e.g. is a shotgun a 12ga or 20ga (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Identifying the sex of 1 or more game species (4) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Processing game meat (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Selecting the appropriate firearm based on intended game species--e.g. rifle vs. shotgun (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Safely handling a firearm in the field--e.g. crossing a fence (7) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The benefits of a hunting license sales for the DNR (8) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The information provided in the Georgia hunting regulations guide (9) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The life cycle of game species (10) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Where to obtain information or help regarding hunting regulations (11) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Q4 Please rate you and your child's motivations for attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Education program.Where (1= Not at all Motivated) and (7= Highly Motivated)

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|  | Adult/Guardian | Child |
|  | 1 (1) | 2 (2) | 3 (3) | 4 (4) | 5 (5) | 6 (6) | 7 (7) | 1 (1) | 2 (2) | 3 (3) | 4 (4) | 5 (5) | 6 (6) | 7 (7) |
| To continue the tradition of hunting (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| To gain experience hunting (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| To harvest (obtain) game meat (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| To spend time in nature (4) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| To spend time with family (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| To spend time with friends (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| To use firearms (7) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Q5 As a result of participating in the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Education program, my child and I feel hunting...

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|  | Adult/Guardian | Child |
|  | Strongly disagree (1) | Somewhat disagree (2) | Neutral (3) | Somewhat agree (4) | Strongly agree (5) | Strongly disagree (1) | Somewhat disagree (2) | Neutral (3) | Somewhat agree (4) | Strongly agree (5) |
| generates money for wildlife management (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| helps conservation efforts (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| is a tool for wildlife conservation (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| causes negative impacts to wildlife populations (4) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| does not provide management benefits (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Q6 Have you or your child hunted since attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Education program?

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|  | Hunted |
|  | No (1) | Yes (2) |
| Child (2) |  |  |
| Parent/Guardian (1) |  |  |

Answer If Q6. One goal of the Georgia Hunter Education programs is to provide participants with the skills... Parent/Guardian - Hunted - Yes Is Selected Or Q6. One goal of the Georgia Hunter Education programs is to provide participants with the skills... Child - Hunted - Yes Is Selected

Q6A Please select the years you and/or your child have hunted one or more of the following species.

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|  | Parent/Guardian | Child |
|  | 2011 (1) | 2012 (2) | 2013 (3) | 2014 (4) | 2015 (5) | 2016 (6) | 2011 (1) | 2012 (2) | 2013 (3) | 2014 (4) | 2015 (5) | 2016 (6) |
| Deer (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dove (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quail (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rabbit (4) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Squirrel (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Turkey (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Waterfowl (7) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Q7 To the best of your intentions, do you plan to hunt in the following seasons?

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|  | Intend to Hunt |
|  | No (1) | Yes (2) |
| Deer (1) |  |  |
| Dove (2) |  |  |
| Quail (3) |  |  |
| Rabbit (4) |  |  |
| Squirrel (5) |  |  |
| Turkey (6) |  |  |
| Waterfowl (7) |  |  |

Q7A How often do you plan to hunt in each season?

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|  | Times hunting |
|  | 0 (1) | 1-2 (2) | 3-4 (3) | 5-6 (4) | 7+ (5) |
| Deer (1) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dove (2) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quail (3) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rabbit (4) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Squirrel (5) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Turkey (6) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Waterfowl (7) |  |  |  |  |  |

Q7B How likely is it that the following factors may prevent you and your child from hunting in the future?

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|  | Likelihood |
|  | Very unlikely (1) | Somewhat unlikely (2) | Neutral (3) | Somewhat likely (4) | Very likely (5) |
| Hunting expenses (1) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Complex hunting rules (2) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lack of interest (3) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lack of skills (4) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lack of time (5) |  |  |  |  |  |
| No one to hunt with (6) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nowhere to hunt (7) |  |  |  |  |  |

Q8 Have you purchased any legal firearms, primitive weapons and/or archery equipment for you or your child since attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Education program?

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|  | Purchased |
|  | No (1) | Yes (2) |
| Parent/Guardian purchased for child (1) |  |  |
| Purchased for parent/guardian (2) |  |  |

Q9 Have you or your child participated in any Hunter Education programs not sponsored by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources to progress your hunting skills?

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|  | Participated in other programs |
|  | No (1) | Yes (2) |
| Parent/Guardian (1) |  |  |
| Child (2) |  |  |

Answer If Q9. Building knowledge is crucial when developing a new skill.Have you or your child participated in any Hunter Education programs not sponsored by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources to pr... Parent/Guardian - Participated in other programs - Yes Is Selected Or Q9. Building knowledge is crucial when developing a new skill.Have you or your child participated in any Hunter Education programs not sponsored by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources to pr... Child - Participated in other programs - Yes Is Selected

Q9A Please list programs you or your child attended that were not sponsored by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources.

Q10 Have you or your child purchased a hunting license since attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Education program?

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|  | Purchased hunting license |
|  | No (1) | Yes (2) |
| Child (2) |  |  |
| Parent/Guardian (1) |  |  |

Answer If Q10. Hunting license sales support the Georgia Hunter Education programs. Have you and your child purchased a hunting license since attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Educ... Parent/Guardian - Purchased hunting license - Yes Is Selected Or Q10. Hunting license sales support the Georgia Hunter Education programs. Have you and your child purchased a hunting license since attending the Hunt and Learn, Shooting Sports, and/or Hunter Educ... Child - Purchased hunting license - Yes Is Selected

Q10A Select the year(s) you and your child have purchased a hunting license.

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|  | Year |
|  | 2011 (1) | 2012 (2) | 2013 (3) | 2014 (4) | 2015 (5) | 2016 (6) |
| Parent/Guardian (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Child (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Q11 We would now like to learn a little more about you. Please remember that information will remain anonymous. Your 10-digit DNR ID Number is located on your hunting license. If you are unsure of your DNR ID Number, or do not have one, please leave the space blank.

DNR ID Number (1)

Last Name (2)

First Initial (3)

Middle Initial (4)

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) (5)

City (6)

State (7)

County (8)

Postal code (9)

Q11a

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| Gender (1) | * Female (1)
 | * Male (2)
 | * No Response (3)
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Q11b

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| Race (1) | * Asian/Pacific Islander (1)
 | * Black/African America (2)
 | * Hispanic/Latino (3)
 | * Native American/American Indian (4)
 | * White (5)
 | * Other (6)
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Q12 We would now like to learn a little more about your child. Please remember that information will remain anonymous.  If you are unsure of your child's DNR ID Number, or do not have one, please leave the space blank.

DNR ID Number (1)

Last Name (2)

First Initial (3)

Middle Initial (4)

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) (5)

City (6)

State (7)

County (8)

Postal code (9)

Q12a

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| Gender (1) | * Female (1)
 | * Male (2)
 | * No Response (3)
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Q12b

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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Race (1) | * Asian/Pacific Islander (1)
 | * Black/African American (2)
 | * Hispanic/Latino (3)
 | * Native American/American Indian (4)
 | * White (5)
 | * Other (6)
 |