



Scrivner Road

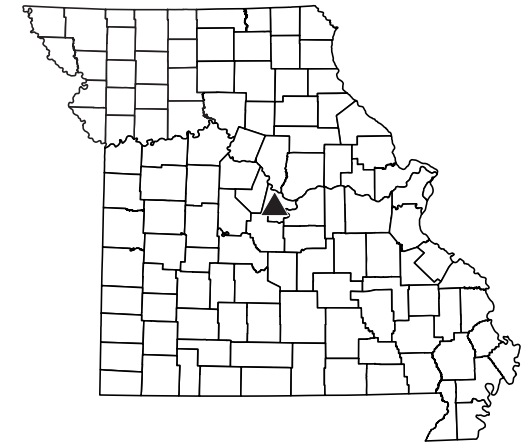
CONSERVATION AREA

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Hunting and Trapping

Hunting is allowed under statewide regulations with the following exceptions.

- Deer and turkey regulations are subject to annual changes. Please refer to Spring Turkey or Fall Deer and Turkey Booklets for current regulations.
- Trapping allowed only with a special use permit. Visit our website for more information.
- Only portable stands are allowed from September 1 through January 31. Unattended stands must be plainly labeled on durable material with the full name and address or Conservation number of the owner and be removed from the area by February 1st. Use of nails, screw-in steps, and any material or method that would damage the tree is prohibited.
- Decoys and blinds permitted but must be disassembled and removed daily.
- Trail and game cameras are prohibited.

Additional area information is posted on our website and on bulletin boards located in parking areas and area offices.

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(Regulations are from the Wildlife Code of Missouri and selected statutes of the State of Missouri. Special area regulations are in Chapter 11 of the Wildlife Code. A free printed copy of the Wildlife Code, which lists most area regulations, is available from the Conservation Department. Chapter 11 in its entirety is available at www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/csr/current/3csr/3csr.asp.) Equal opportunity to participate in and benefit from programs of the Missouri Department of Conservation is available to all individuals without regard to their race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability. Questions should be directed to the Department of Conservation, P.O. Box 180, Jefferson City, MO 65102, (573) 751-4115 (voice) or 800-735-2966 (TTY), or to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Division of Federal Assistance, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Mail Stop: MBSP-4020, Arlington, VA 22203.



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION



About this Area

Scrivner Road Conservation Area (919 acres) is south of Russellville on Route AA then left on Scrivner Road. Turn left again on Scott Road and continue 0.7 miles.

Scrivner Road Conservation Area is in Cole County about 3 miles south of Russellville. Parts of this 919-acre site were donated by Mrs. Alvon Winegar in 1984. The 9-acre Winegar Lake is a central feature of the area, which also includes more than 2 miles of South Moreau Creek frontage. This former cattle farm was extensively grazed and logged in the past and is now managed for wildlife and public recreation. The 8.5-mile Moreau Creek trail system provides access to most of the area. Management includes periodic prescribed burning to provide high quality wildlife habitat. Field crops left in the creek bottoms and food plots seeded in upland areas provide additional winter food and cover for wildlife. The target shooting range offers a shotgun range, and 25-, 50-, and 100-yard rifle and pistol ranges.

Recreational Opportunities

Bicycling – Bird Watching – Camping – Fishing – Hiking – Horseback Riding – Hunting – Outdoor Photography – Wildlife Viewing

Rules and Regulations

Open for public use from 4:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; hunting, fishing, trapping, camping, dog training, launching and landing boats allowed 24 hours a day on areas where these activities are permitted.

- Groups of more than 10 people and some special activities may require a special use permit. Please visit our website for more information.
- Bicycles and horses allowed on multi-use trails and bicycles allowed on designated service roads except during all portions of the firearms deer season and during shooting hours of spring turkey season. Multi-use trails and service roads can be located at <https://mdc.mo.gov/discover-nature/places>.
- Camping is allowed anytime in designated camping areas shown on map. These may or may not have defined campsites. Seasonal closures and restrictions may apply. Groups of more than 10 campers require a special use permit. Stays are limited to a period of fourteen (14) consecutive days in any thirty (30)-day period.
- Unstaffed ranges. Target shooting not allowed except for unstaffed ranges. Shooting hours one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise to one-half (1/2) hour after sunset. Use shall be in accordance with posted rules or as directed on special use permit. Department reserves the right to inspect permits, firearms, and ammunition. Only paper targets attached to provided target holders may be used. Alcoholic beverages are prohibited on all ranges and associated parking lots.
- Nuts, berries, fruits, edible wild greens and mushrooms may be taken for personal use.
- Digging roots is prohibited.
- Pets and hunting dogs are permitted but must be on a leash or confined at all time. Hunting dogs may be used off the leash and unconfined for hunting and training purposes. A hunting permit is required to train dogs in pursuit of wildlife.

- Bicycles and horses allowed on public roadways year-round.
- Vehicles are restricted to public roadways and parking lots unless otherwise allowed by area regulations.
- Use of fireworks is prohibited.



Fishing and Boating

Fishing and frogging are allowed under statewide regulations with the following exceptions.

- On lakes and ponds fish may be taken only with pole and line and not more than three (3) poles may be used by one (1) person at any time.
- Daily limit for black bass is six. All black bass between twelve (12) and fifteen (15) inches in total length must be returned to the water unharmed immediately after being caught.
- Daily limit for catfish is four in the aggregate (channel, blue and flathead catfish), crappie is thirty (30) and all other fish are not to exceed twenty (20) in aggregate.
- Seining or trapping live bait, including tadpoles, is prohibited in lakes and ponds.
- Only electric motors are permitted on lakes and ponds designated as open to boats. Boats may not be left unattended overnight.