

NOTE: Please use this form as a reference only. You will need to complete a separate rules/regulations form tailored to your hunt when you arrive at the ranch.

MARTIN RANCH GUEST RULES

Camp Regulations

1. **No smoking indoors in any structures at any time. No exceptions.**
2. Please park vehicles close to sleeping quarters, but away from obstructing the cabin, in an orderly fashion.
3. Permission must be given to use the gun range for targeting. Guests should ensure no animals or obstacles are in the path of the gun range either in front of or behind the target.
4. Permission must be given by management to turn on the ice machine and/or the vault cooler.
5. Permission must be given to build a fire anywhere on the ranch.
6. Telephone calls must be made using an 800-number, credit calling card, or by calling collect.
7. All gates should be closed and locked after every use, including interior gates.
8. Children under the age of 16 (youths) should be supervised at all times. They will not be allowed to travel on the ranch without adult supervision. Also, youths will not be allowed to carry any type of firearm without constant adult supervision.
9. Generally speaking, if it's going to take place in the absence of management, seek permission.
10. This packet, including the hunter information/liability waiver sheet, must be completed and signed on each and every visit to the Martin Ranch.

Game Regulations

1. On all hunts except Feral Hogs and Javelina, **it will be considered a kill immediately after the first shot is taken regardless of whether the animal is missed, hit, or killed.** No other opportunities for substitute game will be offered should you fire your weapon and not recover or hit your animal.
2. Any animal killed on the ranch should be brought to the attention of management. Failure to do so will result in loss of hunting privileges.
3. Any wounded animals will be tracked until the animal is found. Immediately return to camp for assistance from management to track the animal until the animal is found or management terminates the search.
4. Guests are responsible for **cleaning and processing animals** after the kill. Personnel may be on hand to perform these services for a **nominal fee** should you desire. Caping fees for mounting animals will incur an additional fee. Payment is required in cash to the guide at the time service is rendered. Do not clean animals within 100 yards of stands or feeders.
5. Guests must possess on their person a valid hunting license, driver's license, and hunter education documentation while hunting.

Stand regulations

1. **No smoking in stands. No exceptions.**
2. Bow hunters may take firearms to the blinds/hunting areas.
3. Guests should thoroughly clean stands upon departure regardless of condition upon arrival. All trash should be removed and taken back to camp.
4. All windows and doors should be closed and secured upon departure from stands.
5. Any and all game seen should be recorded on the clipboards in each stand. Furthermore, all game seen should be verbally reported to management upon returning to camp.
6. Under no circumstance should guests attempt to service feeders or tamper with clocks. If a feeder is not working properly, report the problem to management upon returning to camp.
7. Unless otherwise instructed by management, guests must stay in an area within 100 yards from stands.
8. Guests should not depart from assigned hunting areas without notifying Martin Ranch staff.
9. Guns to be used while hunting should be approved by management before leaving camp.
10. Check stands for small animals and wasps/insects before entering.

Standard Regulations

1. **You may not take alcoholic beverages with you to the blind or consume alcohol prior to departing for your hunt. You will be allowed to drink in the evening immediately after each day's hunt ends. Martin Ranch reserves the right to refuse hunting rights if you appear under the influence.**
2. All hunts are 2.5 day (60 hour) hunts. Your hunt begins at noon on the first day and ends at dusk on the third day. Special exemptions may be made in advance to accommodate your travel schedule.
3. For Deluxe Upgrades, meals will be served at breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Any meals & services provided off property are the financial responsibility of the hunter(s) and are not included in the package.
4. Ranch personnel may drive you to Del Rio and/or Mexico for meals/entertainment for an additional fee.
5. Guns must be unloaded while in camp and in transit. Only at the hunting area should weapon be loaded.
6. Hunters may be asked to verify an unloaded weapon in camp or in transit.
7. Careful decision making should be used to decide the best shot for the right animal.
8. Never point a weapon at anything other than the intended target.
9. Always point the sharp edge of a knife away from your body while cleaning animals.
10. Always be aware of the location of other hunters.
11. Hunters are not allowed to use ranch vehicles, but you may use your own vehicle to drive to/from your hunting area with prior permission from ranch management.
12. Unless given special permission, all shots should be made less than 200 yards from target/game.
13. All hunts require a 50% non-refundable deposit to secure your hunting dates.
14. Unless paid in advance, your hunt balance is due upon arrival at Martin Ranch in form of cash, cashier's check, money order, or credit card. ***Personal/Business checks not accepted at ranch for balance payments! You must pay for any additional game (trophy fees) with cash or PAYPAL BEFORE hunting the game.***
15. You may add additional consecutive days to your hunting trip for only \$100/person/day.
16. ***Rainy Day Policy...For most trophy hunts other than hogs, should you not kill the animal you have paid to hunt, you may return to the Martin Ranch within 12 months and try again for an additional \$100/person/day.***

Note: If you pull the trigger, regardless of whether you hit an animal or draw blood, your shot is considered a kill and you are responsible for the maximum amount of that animal's trophy fee. Ask staff for details.

I have read and understand that I will be held to the rules and regulations in this document. I understand I may forfeit my hunt and be dismissed from the ranch should I violate any of the rules contained in this document.

Printed Name

X _____

Signed Name

X _____

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY
AND
ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND ACCEPTANCE
OF DANGERS, RISKS, AND HAZARDS
OF HUNTING LEASE**

I hereby acknowledge that I have knowingly and willingly entered a Hunting Lease Agreement, or become a party bound by the terms and conditions of a Hunting Lease Agreement by and between **Maximilian Martin Ranch Management, dba Martin Ranch**, et al (hereinafter the Lessor, whether one or more), and

et al, dated **July 12, 2011**. I understand the terms, provisions, and conditions of the Hunting Lease Agreement and will abide by its terms, provisions, and conditions.

I further acknowledge and understand that no warranty, either express or implied, is made by the Lessor as to the condition of the hunting lease (hereinafter the leased premises) located in Edwards County, Texas, or any roads, buildings, gates, or other improvements located thereon. This document is sufficient warning that dangerous conditions, risks, and hazards do exist. My presence and activities on the leased premises expose both me and my property to dangerous conditions, risks, and hazards, including but not limited to: poisonous snakes, insects and spiders; blinds and tress stands, whether or not erected by Lessor; erosion and general condition of the land, both on an off roadways or senderos, creating rough, hazardous and dangerous driving and walking conditions; animals both wild and domestic that may be diseased and/or potentially dangerous; deep water, persons with firearms both on or off the leased premises; and the use of vehicles. I hereby state that I expressly assume all such dangers, risks, and hazards.

In consideration for the right to enter the leased premises, I hereby release and agree to protect, indemnify, and hold harmless the Lessor and his or her respective agents, employees and assigns from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action and damages, including attorneys' fees, resulting from any accident, incident or occurrence arising out of, incidental to or in any way resulting from the use of the leased premises and all improvements thereon, whether or not caused by the Lessor's negligence or gross negligence. This release applies during the time that I am permitted on the leased premises, I hereby further covenant and agree I, my heirs, successors and assigns will not make any claim or institute any suit or action at law or in equity against the Lessor or his or her respective heirs, agents, representatives, employees, successors or assigns.

As used in this release, the terms *I*, *my person*, and *myself* include minors in my care while on the leased premises.

Dated and signed this day... July 12, 2011.

X

Hunter's Printed Name

X

Hunter's Signature

**MARTIN RANCH
EDWARDS COUNTY, TEXAS
HUNTER INFORMATION**

- Please Print or Type the Appropriate Information in Each Field (Front and Back)
- Each and Every Member of Your Hunting Party Should Complete This Form

NAME

COMPANY

EMAIL ADDRESS

MAILING ADDRESS
Street:

City, State, Zip:

HUNTING LICENSE #

DRIVERS LICENSE #

DATE OF BIRTH
MM/DD/YYYY...

WORK PHONE #

HOME PHONE #

HUNT DATE
July 12, 2011

PRE-EXISTING MED. PROBLEMS

EMERGENCY CONTACT

BLOOD TYPE

LIST CURRENT MEDICATION(S)

CALIBER OF WEAPON(S) BROUGHT

TYPE(S) OF GAME INTENDING TO HUNT

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US? (If Internet, which site?)