

Unit 3 / Hunting

(See Unit 3 Petersburg-Wrangell map)

Unit 3 consists of all islands west of Unit 1B; north of Unit 2; south of the center line of Frederick Sound; and east of the center line of Chatham Strait, including Coronation, Kuiu, Kupreanof, Mitkof, Zarembo, Kashevarof, Woronkofski, Etolin, Wrangell, and Deer islands.

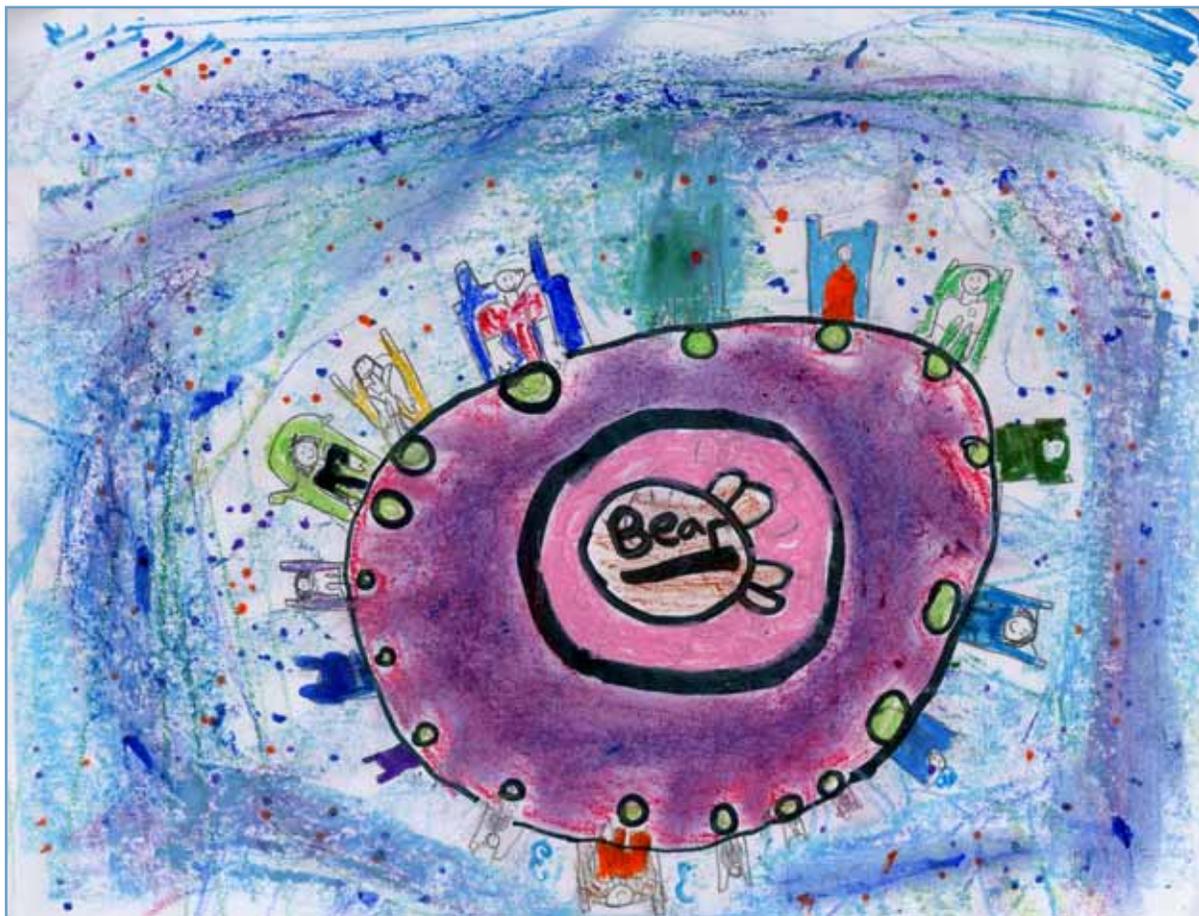
Special Provisions

- Closed to ungulate, bear, wolf, and wolverine hunting—In the Petersburg vicinity, a strip one-fourth mile wide on each side of the Mitkof Highway from milepost 0 to Crystal Lake campground;
- Closed to black bear hunting—The Petersburg Creek Closed Area consisting of the Petersburg Creek drainage on Kupreanof Island;
- Closed to all hunting—Blind Slough Closed Area draining into Wrangell Narrows and a strip one-fourth mile wide on each side of Blind Slough, from the hunting closure markers at the southernmost portion of Blind Island to the hunting closure markers one mile south of the Blind Slough bridge.
- Bait may be used to hunt black bear between April 15–June 15;
- Shooting of an ungulate, bear, wolf, or wolverine from a boat is prohibited, unless you are certified as disabled.

CUSTOMARY & TRADITIONAL USE DETERMINATION	HARVEST LIMITS	OPEN SEASONS
BLACK BEAR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All rural residents 	2 bear, no more than one may be a blue or glacier bear	Sept. 1–June 30
DEER		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural residents of Units 1B, 3, Port Alexander, Port Protection, Pt. Baker and Meyers Chuck <p><i>Federal designated hunter permits are available from the local Federal land manager listed in the directory at the end of this book.</i></p> <p><i>Refer to State Registration Hunt Supplement for State registration permit details.</i></p>	Unit 3 Mitkof, Woewodski, and Butterworth Islands—1 antlered deer. The Petersburg District Ranger is authorized to close the season based on conservation concerns, in consultation with ADF&G and the chair of the Southeast Alaska Subsistence Regional Advisory Council. Unit 3 remainder—2 antlered deer. The Petersburg District Ranger is authorized to open the December season by announcement, or close any portion of the entire season based on conservation concerns, in consultation with ADF&G and the chair of the Southeast Alaska Subsistence Regional Advisory Council.	Oct. 15–Oct. 31 Aug. 1–Nov. 30 Dec. 1–Dec. 31 season to be announced
MOOSE		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 3 Mitkof and Wrangell Islands—Rural residents of Units 1B, 2, and 3 • Unit 3 remainder—All rural residents <p><i>Federal designated hunter permits are available from the local Federal land manager listed in the directory at the end of this book.</i></p> <p><i>Refer to State Registration Hunt Supplement for State registration permit details.</i></p>	1 antlered bull with spike-fork or 50–inch antlers or 3 or more brow tines on either antler by State registration permit only. The Petersburg District Ranger is authorized to close the season based on conservation concerns, in consultation with ADF&G and the chair of the Southeast Alaska Subsistence Regional Advisory Council.	Sept. 15–Oct. 15

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CUSTOMARY & TRADITIONAL USE DETERMINATION	HARVEST LIMITS	OPEN SEASONS
COYOTE		
• All rural residents	2 coyotes	Sept. 1–Apr. 30
FOX		
• All rural residents	2 foxes	Nov. 1–Feb. 15
HARE		
• All rural residents	5 hares per day	Sept. 1–Apr. 30
LYNX		
• All rural residents	2 lynx	Dec. 1–Feb. 15
WOLF		
• All rural residents	5 wolves	Aug. 1–Apr. 30
WOLVERINE		
• All rural residents	1 wolverine	Nov. 10–Feb. 15
GROUSE		
• All rural residents	5 grouse per day, 10 in possession	Aug. 1–May 15
PTARMIGAN		
• All rural residents	20 ptarmigan per day, 40 in possession	Aug. 1–May 15



Kehli Shilts, age 10, Wrangell