

THE GOLDEN TRIANGLE

3-COUNTY HUNTING GUIDE TO WESTERN ILLINOIS



ADAMS / HANCOCK / PIKE

whitetail deer

turkey

upland/small game

waterfowl

Illinois' 4 million acres of forest land hosts large populations of monster white-tailed deer, excellent turkey hunting, duck & goose hunts, plus pheasant, quail and other game.

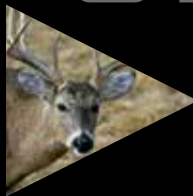
Outfitters offer affordable guided and semi-guided hunting, while independent programs attract the sportsman on the hunt for a bargain.



SEASONS

▶ ADAMS COUNTY some of the largest whitetails in the state of Illinois

River bottoms bordered by agricultural fields offer hunters the incredible opportunity to harvest a trophy deer during the rut. The bottom ground is also home to an abundant population of turkey and waterfowl.



DEER

Begins with an archery season at the first of October. Firearms season starts the Friday before Thanksgiving statewide.

▶ HANCOCK COUNTY whitetails with world-class antlers

Consisting of rolling hardwood timbers & massive draw, along with expansive river bottoms, the rich soil of the county provides the necessary nutrients that whitetails require to grow premium antlers. Tremendous deer & wild turkey hunting.



TURKEY

Begins with an archery season at the first of October. Fall firearms season is the 3rd week of October; spring is April/May.

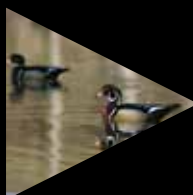
▶ PIKE COUNTY #1 in the state for deer quantity harvested each season

#2 in the nation for the highest quantity of trophy whitetails, Pike's topography is ideal with its rolling hills, creek bottoms & river bluffs. The combination of hardwood woodlands & multi-culture agriculture provides the perfect blend of components for quality white tail deer, wild turkey, waterfowl, and a variety of other game species.



UPLAND/
SMALL
GAME

Begins the first Saturday in November statewide. Squirrel become legal quarry August 1.



WATERFOWL

Set annually by the US Fish & Wildlife Service : fws.gov.

ADAMS COUNTY



ADAMS COUNTY OUTFITTERS

Adams Pike Outdoors 2838 East Bluff Court | Quincy | 217.224.0553
adamspikeoutdoors.com

Bigneck Outfitters 1925 N 2800th Ave | Lorraine | 217.938.4484
bigneckoutfitters.com

Boone's Hunting 1897 N 200th Ave | Plainville | 217.656.3960
booneshunting.com

FRD 2407 Cedar | Quincy | 217.440.2825

Full Draw Outfitters 1737 N 2250th Pl | Mendon | 217.440.5553
fulldrawhunts.com

Golden Triangle 2950 N 920th Pl | Clayton | 708.828.2378
goldentrianglewhitetail.com

Hero Shot Outfitter 1227 E 1900th | Liberty | 217.919.7191

IL Outfitters Plus 1292 Lakeview Ct | Fowler | 217.257.2903
illinoisoutfittersplus.com

McKee Creek Whitetails 2741 N 800th Ave | Clayton | 217.440.0798

Nesselrodt, Jeremy 1608 N 1533 Rd | Fowler | 217.506.0113

Outdoor Partners 2796 N 2600th Ave | LaPrairie | 217.430.7715
oplms.com

Pigeon Creek Sanctuary 1325 350th Ave | Payson | 217.257.1006
pigeoncreeksanctuary.com

Purpose Creek Outfitters PO Box 108 | Quincy | 217.645.3060
purposecreekoutfitters.com

Rock Solid Hunting Preserve Lorraine | 217.242.5139
rocksolidhuntingpreserve.com

Siloam Springs State Park 938 East 3003rd Ln | Clayton
217.894.6205 dnr.illinois.gov

Southfork Outfitting 100 E Collins | Mendon | 217.430.6579
southforkhunts.com

Spring Valley Outfitters 1069 E 2753rd Ln | Clayton | 217.242.1445
springvalleyoutfitters.com

Steve Cornwell 5202 Homan Falls Dr | Quincy | 217.222.2035

Strode Homestead Lodge Inc 309 S Hampshire | Camp Point
217.593.7242 strodehomesteadlodge.com

Wells Creek Outfitters Rt 1 Box 271 | Clayton | 217.894.7195
wells creekoutfitters.com

ADAMS COUNTY LODGES / CABINS / RETREATS

Heritage Lodge Lorraine 217.653.1502 | theheritagelodge.com

Horn Valley Whitetail Lodge Quincy 217.242.2835

Quaint Log Cabin Quincy | airbnb.com

Ursa Retreat House Ursa 217.964.2176 | theretreathouse.org

Ursa Creek Lodge Ursa 217.653.6536 | ursacreeklodge.com

Wagon Hound Ranch Liberty 217.336.3271



[Heritage Lodge is a full log 3750-sq-ft construction overlooking Bear Creek]

HANCOCK COUNTY



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Antler Acres 1661 N CR 2680 E | Carthage | 217.654.2229

Breckenridge Outfitters 255 N CR 1200 | Sutter | 217.430.8549

Brooks Ranch 2396 E Co Rd 1800 N | Carthage | 217.357.2541

C & S Outfitters 20 S Main St | Basco | 217.743.5715

Graveyard Whitetails 2678 E CR 2300 | LaHarpe | 309.333.9956

Illinois Tombstone Trophy Outfitters 2665 N CR 2400 | LaHarpe
309.333.2246

Midwest Extreme Hunting 905 N State Hwy 94 Carthage
217.743.6456 midwestextremehunting.net

Riverview Outfitters 160 S 16th | Hamilton | 309.341.6431
riverviewoutfitters.com

Shuhart Creek Whitetails 425 E CR 870 | Warsaw | 217.256.4003
shuhartcreekwhitetails.com

Warsaw Bottoms Hunting Club 100 E Hampshire | Elvaston
309.337.5290 warsawbottoms.com

Weinberg-King State Park East State Route 101 | Augusta
217.392.2345

Western IL Trophy Outfitters 645 E CR 600 N | Warsaw
217.440.0353 westernillinoisoutfitters.com

HANCOCK COUNTY LODGES / CABINS / RETREATS

Bonfire Retreat & Cabin Rentals Carthage 800.233.0060

Camp Nauvoo Nauvoo 217.453.2236

Hideaway Cabin Nauvoo | property #1062963 | vrbo.com

Lake Linda Barn Carthage | garden studio & loft | airbnb.com

Mermaid Cabin on the Mississippi Nauvoo | airbnb.com

Nauvoo Country Cottage Nauvoo | airbnb.com

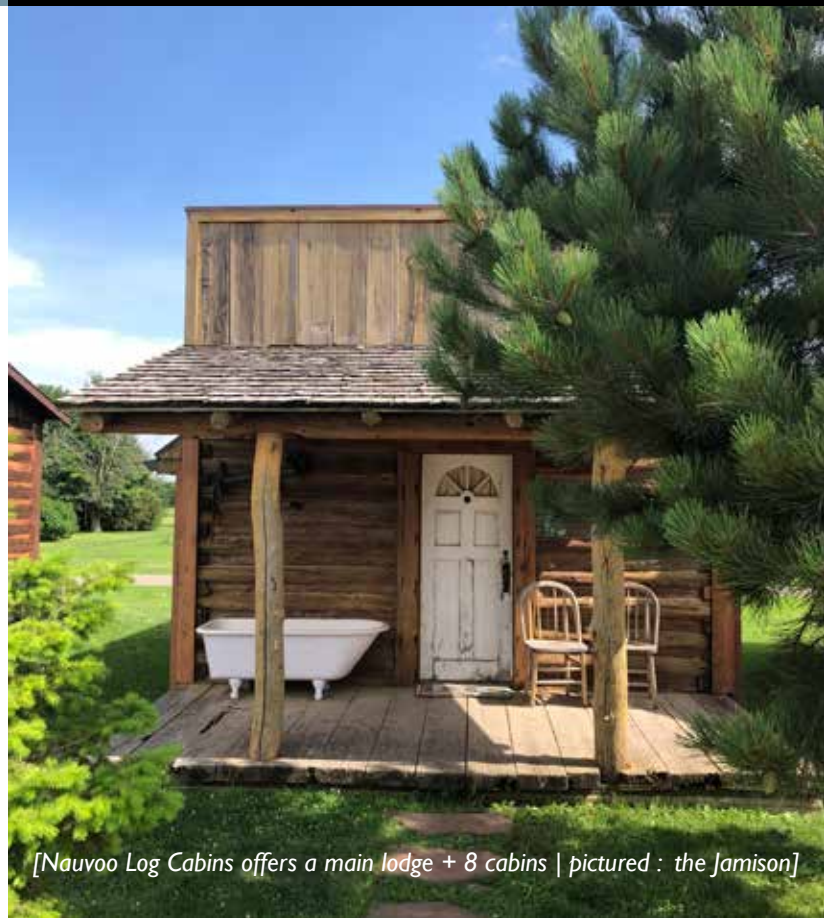
Nauvoo Log Cabins Nauvoo 217.453.9000 | nauvoologcabins.com

Smokin' Gun Hunting Club Hamilton 888.766.5460

Sonora Gardens Farmstead Nauvoo | 2 locations | 309.221.7286

Tandara Retreat Nauvoo | property #1062944 | vrbo.com

Ten Acre Tree Houses Nauvoo | 1825 N County Road 900
217.440.8006 tenacretreehouses.net



[Nauvoo Log Cabins offers a main lodge + 8 cabins | pictured : the Jamison]

PIKE COUNTY

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[Whitetail at Heartland Lodge]

▶ PIKE COUNTY OUTFITTERS

Antler Ridge Hunting Inc 39716 Perry Fishhook Rd | Chambersburg
217.242.2628

Ashlenz Outfitters 23686 312th Ave | Barry | 217.440.5945
huntashlenz.com

Backwoods Bowhunting 112 Marion St | Pleasant Hill | 217.248.0212

Bay Creek Outdoors 48711 212th Ave | Pearl | 217.370.9413

BB Creek Outfitters 28499 Cty Hwy 2 | Barry | 217.257.7061

B & D Outfitters 3426 Belleview Hollow Rd | Nebo | 217.248.6265
huntillbandd.com

Big Horn Outfitters 16177 Cty Hwy 11 | Pleasant Hill | 217.242.1249
pikebighorn.com

Blue River Outdoors 45905 State Hwy 106 | Pittsfield | 217.723.4269
blueriveroutdoors.com

Buck Chasers 1266 150 E St | Timewell | 865.306.2299

Butler Farms Outdoor Adventures 46744 255th Ave | Pittsfield
217.723.4451 butlerfarmsoutdoor.com

Eagle Lakes Outfitters 24044 State Hwy 96 | New Canton
217.426.2404 eaglelakesoutfitters.com

Farmland Trophies 30456 400th St | Griggsville | 260.571.5232

Golden Acres Outfitters 42302 365th Ln | Griggsville | 217.370.7091
goldenacresoutfitters.com

Hadley Creek Outfitters 26625 Cty Hwy 4 | Barry | 217.335.3804
hadleycreek.com

Heartland Outfitters / Lodge 10236 393rd St | Nebo | 800.717.HUNT
217.734.2526 | heartlandlodge.com

Heavner, Jerry 41418 180th Ave | Pittsfield | 217.285.2760

H and H Outdoors 353 Cherry | Pittsfield | 217.242.0405

Hollow Ground Guide Service 1400 N Jackson St | Pittsfield
217.440.0319

Hoover's Hunting Lodge 19894 440th Ln | Pittsfield | 217.285.5460

Illinois Xtreme Whitetails Baylis | 601.955.8185 | illinoisxtreme.com

Knock 'M Down Adventures 14 Bear Court | Pittsfield | 217.491.2240

Lawson Outfitters 36335 445th St | Griggsville | 217.248.0017

Lemons, Lanny 45399 180th Ave | Pearl | 217.473.6774

Monster Whitetail Hunt 16237 310th St | Rockport | 217.437.2171

Mountain's Mountain PO Box 66 | Perry | 217.653.5191
mountainmountain.com

North Pike Hunting 43733 Cty Hwy 5 | Griggsville | 217.236.5711

Oak Ridge Outfitters, Inc 509 Grand Ave | Barry | 217.335.2638
oakridgeoutfittersinc.com

Pike County Outdoors 47869 185th Ave | Pearl | 217.577.8005

Pikeland Outfitters 22915 Cty Hwy 7 | Pittsfield | 217.285.9040
pikeland.com

Pine Bucks Unlimited 308 Sycamore St | Pittsfield | 217.285.6625

Pioneer Outfitters 30608 140th Ave Pleasant Hill | 217.437.2903
617.2129 pioneeroutfitters.us

Poker Hollow Outfitters 313 Walnut St | Rockport | 217.242.3188

Ray Norbut State Fish & Wildlife Area 46816 290th Ave | Griggsville
217.833.2811

River Ridge Hunting 22360 482nd St | Pittsfield | 217.491.0822

Spring Creek Outfitters RR #1 | Nebo | 217.734.2685

T & T Hunting / Outfitters 947 Conroy | Pittsfield | 217.285.4308

West Central Outfitters 20545 Cty Hwy 11 | Pittsfield | 217.491.0316
westcentraloutfitters.net

White Oak Reserve RR #1 | Barry | 217.335.2921

Whitetail Ventures Pleasant Hill | 217.242.4413 whitetailventures.net

Xtreme Mgmt Hunts 25226 Cty Hwy 13 | New Canton | 217.440.2695
xtreme-hunts.com

Y Knot Outfitters 14583 430th St | Nebo | 217.734.2039

PIKE COUNTY



▶ PIKE COUNTY LODGES / CABINS / RETREATS

- Antler Ridge Hunting Inc** Chambersburg 217.242.0716
- Arrowhead Farmhouse** Griggsville | [airbnb.com](https://www.airbnb.com)
- Bay Creek Outdoors** Pearl 217.248.0599
- Big Horn Lodge** Pleasant Hill 217.242.8761 | [pikebighorn.com](https://www.pikebighorn.com)
- Butler Farms Outdoor Adventures** Pittsfield | 217.723.4451
[butlerfarmsoutdoor.com](https://www.butlerfarmsoutdoor.com)
- Heartland Lodge** Nebo 800.717.4838 | [heartlandlodge.com](https://www.heartlandlodge.com)
- IL Extreme Lodge** Baylis 601.622.7131 | [illinoisextreme.com](https://www.illinoisextreme.com)
- Sprague's Kinderhook Lodge** Barry 217.432.1090 [kinderhooklodge.com](https://www.kinderhooklodge.com)



[Polaris Adventure Destination : Heartland Lodge]

AREA OUTDOOR RECREATIONAL NETWORKS



[Gardner Camp pictured]

COLORS INDICATE COUNTY ▶ ADAMS PIKE HANCOCK

Access Illinois Outdoors 1301 E Washington | Pittsfield
217.285.2464 [accessil.org](https://www.accessil.org)
> outdoor enthusiasts are matched with private landowners for whitetail deer hunting, turkey hunting, and other outdoor recreational experiences

Bob Bangert Wetland 1925 Bonansinga Dr | 217.223.7703
[quincyparkdistrict.com](https://www.quincyparkdistrict.com)
> located north of Quincy's riverfront
> new interpretive wetland project with the Mississippi Valley Hunters & Fishermen Assoc.
> educational youth programming in conjunction with the Quincy Park District

Gardner Camp 26558 160th St | Hull | 217.432.1999
[gardnercamp.org](https://www.gardnercamp.org)
> 372 acres in the Mississippi River valley in Pike County
> mentored youth hunting > outdoor education > shooting sports

Mississippi Valley Hunters & Fishermen Association
3737 N 5th St | Quincy | [mvhfa.org](https://www.mvhfa.org)
> MVHFA has been in existence since 1914, supporting sportsmen, natural resources, and outdoor recreation in the tri-state area

North Side Boat Club 200 S Front St | Quincy | 217.222.2395
> open to the public with trap league Sept- Dec

Pasa Park | Pasa Park | Barry | 217.257.7199 [pasapark.com](https://www.pasapark.com)
> premier shooting complex offering 22 separate ranges
> open to the public [nominal annual membership to Pike-Adams Sportsmen's Alliance]

Quincy Park District 217.223.7703 [quincyparkdistrict.com](https://www.quincyparkdistrict.com)
> educational classes at Bob Bangert Wetland

HUNTING SUPPLIES

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Dick's Sporting Goods 6006 Broadway | Quincy | 217.228.7780
dickssportinggoods.com

GameMasters 5100 Broadway | Quincy | 217.221.9300
gamemastersoutdoors.com

Hancock County Gun Club 1605 State Hwy 94 | Carthage | 217.357.2434

Heinie Specialty Products 301 Oak | Quincy | 217.228.9500 heinie.com
> industry leader and local manufacturer of handgun accessories & sights

Honey Creek Arms 1496 N 2353rd Ln | Mendon | 217.936.2718

Kerr Firearms 1955 E CR 650 | Carthage | 319.931.7007

Pike County Archery 7 East Industrial Dr | Pittsfield | 217.285.1610

Pittsfield Farm & Home Supply 1319 W Washington | Pittsfield
217.285.4444

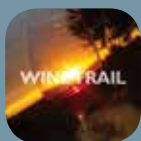
Prevailing Arms 510 S 9th | Quincy | 217.209.0244

Stryke Ryte Outdoors 837 W Adams | Pittsfield | 217.285.5615

Quincy Bowpro 3112 Broadway | Quincy | 217.222.2222 quincybowtree.com

Quincy Farm & Home Supply 4625 Broadway | Quincy | 217.223.6970
farmandhomesupply.com

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