



# Outdoor Report

The week of March 20, 2017

- **HuntSAFE classes are available for registration online.**  
Visit <http://gfp.sd.gov/outdoor-learning/hunter-education/ClassList.aspx>
- **Ice conditions on the lakes have deteriorated, travel is nonexistent.**

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## Clark County

### **Fishing Report:**

**Dry Lake #2:** Some shore fishing taking place.

**Cottonwood Lake:** Some shore fishing taking place.

### **Hunting Report:**

**Light Goose:** Snow geese have moved back into the area. Good numbers of geese around, especially in the Dry Lake #2 area and Crocker area.

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## Codington County

### **Fishing Report:**

No fishing activity over the weekend –ice fishing conditions are unsafe and changing daily.

### **Hunting Report:**

**Light Goose:** had a big influx of birds over the weekend, especially in the western portion of the county. Decoy hunters have started harvesting a few birds. Jump Shooters and pass shooters have had some opportunities as well.

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## Day County

### **Fishing Report:**

**Bitter/ Waubay:** No ice fishing activity over the past week.

**Rush/ Blue Dog Lake:** Shore fishermen have been catching a few walleye casting from shore but the bite has been very sporadic.

**Enemy Swim:** Anglers have been utilizing the late ice to target pan fish in Church Bay. Many anglers experienced some luck catching a variety of pan fish.

### **Hunting Report:**

**Light Goose:** Snow goose numbers have been slowly increasing over the past week. With the number of birds increasing, hunting activity should be picking up greatly this coming weekend.

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## Hamlin County

### **Fishing Report:**

No fishing activity over the weekend –ice fishing conditions are unsafe and changing daily.





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## Hunting Report:

**Light Goose:** A big influx of geese moved into the county over the weekend. The Bryant area along with the Lake Poinsett area has been the best for decoying snow geese.

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## *Marshall County*



## Fishing Report:

Very little fishing activity observed in the county.



## Hunting Report:

**Light Goose:** Large numbers of snow geese are present in the western portion of the county. The Eastern portion does have some geese, but they may be a bit harder to find. Please obtain permission before entering private land and check the spring light goose conservation order regulations before venturing out, good luck and most of all, be safe.

