SRS Events for Wounded Warriors and Mobility Impaired Hunters

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SRS Wounded Warrior Events

- Provide an overview and history of the Wounded Warrior/Mobility Impaired Hunter events at SRS
- Provide information on future plans.
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SRS Deer Hunt for Wounded Warriors/Mobility Impaired Hunters

- Managed by SRS M&O Contractor (Currently SRNS)
- First SRS Deer Hunt for Mobility Impaired Hunters was held 2000.
- Began to focus on Wounded Warriors in 2013.
- Currently a one day event with a morning and afternoon hunt.
- Held in late October to mid November.
- All participants are escorted by badged SRS employees.
- Deer and hogs may be harvested. All animals are monitored prior to release to hunters.
SRS Ultimate Turkey Hunt

- Managed by U.S. Forest Service-Savannah River and the National Wild Turkey Federation (NWTF).
- First hunt was held in 2004.
- Two day event with hunts on Friday and Saturday mornings.
- Approximately 25 hunters participate in each event.
- All participants are escorted by badged SRS employees.
- All turkeys are monitored for cesium-137 prior to release.
SRS Ultimate Fishing Challenge

- Managed by U.S. Forest Service-SR and NWTF.
- First event held in 2015.
- 15-20 fisherman participate.
- All participants are escorted in boats provided by badged SRS employees.
- This is a catch and release event. No fish are released to the participants.
Future Plans

• We are looking to expand the opportunities we can provide.
• Possibility of adding a second Turkey Hunt and Fishing Challenge.
• Will be meeting with NWTF in the near future to discuss other possibilities and what kind of support they can provide.
Comments/Questions