

# Just Hunting

by Steve Brewer

## Five transition periods for turkeys

vesting well over 400 wild turkeys, ( I never kept count, but started hunting in 1982), I will be the first to tell you, I am not the number one expert that gives advice. I use my skills to put a trophy on my wall and meat on my table.

I fully understand that many of you hunters will say, "What does he know??? What makes him think he knows it all? I am just as good hunter as he is." In my opinion, we never get too old to learn, to wise not to listen; and we can always share tips that may help us to bring home our game.

First, let me say, this county has the worst dog barking problem I have ever encountered, and that is saying a lot, considering the many places I have hunted over the years. Being number one in that category is not a good place to be. If you hunters of this county will just listen to what I have to say, you should be better prepared to get your turkey.

There are five transitions lasting approximately fifteen days each. We will travel with the wild turkey in the next few weeks and live in his world. Each transition period has a margin of error of five days, from start to finish. If you plan to hunt in Kentucky, we are in Zone 2. Starting around March 20th and

running through April 4th is transition period one, for our purpose. If you go into the woods during this time, do not take a call, except a locater call; owl, hawk, crow. It is illegal and could end up moving the turkey you intend to hunt into another area.

Gobblers are leaving their winter mode, and finding hens. Big flocks of toms and hens begin to travel together. The majority of the gobbling is on the roost, and very little is done on the ground after fly down, except for an occasional "shock gobble." Gobblers spend most of their day strutting and displaying themselves behind the hens. During this transition, you will find gobblers fighting a lot.

Since season in Kentucky won't be open, we will not go into the way to hunt them until we get into other transition periods. It is time now to check your hunting gear - to make sure you have not outgrown your hunting clothes - oil and clean your gun. And with the shortage of ammo, make sure you have some turkey loads. I will entrust the checking-your-gear with you. Till next week, please be safe.

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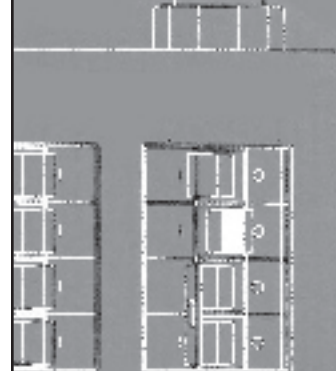


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