



## 2023 Group Info & Pricing

### General Information:

**Group Rate:** Groups are defined as motorcoach and organizational groups with 15 or more people making an advance registration. The group admission rate for 2023 is \$12.50 per person, with confirmed reservations. Admission includes a self-guided visit of our site. Regular admission prices are listed on our [website](#).

**What's at Billings?** Here's an up-to-date [list](#) of everything we offer so you can plan your visit(s)!

**Our Mission:** Inspiring and engaging generations through shared stories of Vermont's rural culture and our continued practice of responsible agriculture. [More](#)

**Our Story:** Billings Farm was established in 1871 as a model dairy farm. Today we are owned and operated by The Woodstock Foundation, a nonprofit 501c3 institution. [More](#)

#### Quick Links:

[Groups Homepage:](#) Directions, Greeting Process & Local Food Options

[Safety Policies](#)

[Site Map](#)

### **Policies for Group Reservations & Visits:**

- Please schedule your group reservation no later than 14 days prior to the day of arrival.
- Please do not leave trash on our site. If you reserve a space for lunch, please make sure to clean up after yourself.
- Please forward any relevant information and communications to the tour leaders or other staff who will be at our site for your group's visit.

## **Add-ons for Groups:**

This is a menu of optional add-ons that complement a self-guided group visit to Billings Farm & Museum. We offer lunch space site rentals, food & beverage options, and hands-on activities. To add food or rental options to your reservation, please email Alec at least 14 days prior to your arrival date. To add an activity, please do so at least 30 days in advance at [afannin@billingsfarm.org](mailto:afannin@billingsfarm.org).

## **Reserving Spaces:**

Reserved seating for up to 50 people is available. The space can be rented for up to one hour.

We will provide one trash bag for trash accumulated while on our site **only** and thank you for not bringing in additional trash to discard. Any trash beyond one bag will be billed at \$15/bag.

Reservation fee: \$75. Inquire directly for pricing if your reservation is for greater than 50 people.

**Reservations are required for groups to eat on-site.**

## **Food & Beverages:**

### **Ice Cream: 802 Bars**

*Delicious Chocolate-Dipped Ice Cream Bars. Made in Vermont by Wilcox Ice Cream. Available seasonally.*

Dietary alternative: Sorbet bars

Allergens: Dairy

Price: \$3.50/bar

### **Cold Apple Cider Pints**

*Authentic Vermont Apple Cider. Available seasonally.*

Dietary Alternative: None

Allergens: Apples

Price: \$3.75/pint

## **Billings Snack Packs**

*Snack package that features a 4 oz. Billings Farm cheddar of choice, fruit, cured meat and crackers.*

Dietary Alternative: Vegetarian

Allergens: Gluten and dairy

Price: \$12.49/pack for regular, \$9.49/pack for vegetarian

## **Billings Cheese**

*Three delicious varieties of cheeses, Butter, Woodstock Reserve and our award-winning Smoked Cheddar. Billings Farm Cheese is made from 100% raw milk exclusively from our herd of Jersey cows.*

Dietary Alternative: None

Allergens: Dairy

Price: \$6.39/4oz bars; \$10.95/8oz bars

## **Hands-on Activities:**

### **Billings Farm Cheddar Cheese Tasting**

A spread of our award-winning cheddar cheeses made by a local cheesemaker exclusively from our cow's milk available for guests to taste and compare. An expert staff member will be on hand to discuss the nuances and differences between the cheeses.

Limit: 60/group

Time Required: 20-30 minutes

Cost: \$6/person

### **Wool Carding & Spinning**

A Billings Farm & Museum interpreter leads guests through the process of hand carding and spinning a bracelet made from the wool of our farm's sheep. Each participant will get to take home their bracelet as a keepsake.

Limit: 20 people/group (can do several groups)

Time Required: 45 minutes

Cost: \$6/person

### **Butter Making Demonstration**

Help churn cream into butter and learn the history of butter and dairy at Billings Farm. At the end, taste the results of your work in the form of fresh butter.

Limit: 75/group

Time Required: 45 minutes

Cost: \$6/person

### **Wagon Rides**

One of our farm staff will take guests through our idyllic farm pastures on a half-mile loop. See our Jersey heifers in the fields and relax in the Vermont scenery. *Available seasonally and conditions permitting.*

12-15 people/group (can do several groups)

Time Required: 10-15 minutes/group

Cost: \$6/person