2023–24 CALENDAR

- FARM & SEASONAL CELEBRATIONS -

Opening Day

April 3 Free ice cream to kick off the 41st season with a smile.

Baby Farm Animal Celebration

April 7 & 8 Meet adorable baby animals up close all around the farm.



Sheep Shearing & Herding

April 22 & 23 Spring shearing and Border Collie herding demonstrations. Follow the sheep-to-wool process.



BILLINGS

FARM & MUSEUM

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Draft Animal Day

May 14 A parade and demonstrations by teams of draft horses, steers, and oxen.

37th Annual Quilt Exhibition

June 3 – July 23 A juried exhibition of artfully crafted quilts made by local quilters transforms the historic barn.



Youth Invitational Dairy Show

June 24 & 25 Local Youth prepare their cows for showing and compete for scholarship awards.



SPRING HOURS
April 3—May 26 • 10:00 AM — 4:00 PM
Closed Easter, April 9

4th on the Farm

July 4 Enjoy wagon rides, historic games, crafts, and ice cream.

Farm to Ballet

July 8 An enchanting ballet performance on the farm. *Tickets sold separately.*

Sunflower House Opens

July 29 Wander the living labyrinth of colorful blooms in all shapes and sizes.



Antique Tractor Day

August 6 A tractor parade, slow race, wagon rides, crafts, and more.



SUMMER / FALL HOURS May 27-October 31 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

Harvest Celebration

October 7 & 8 Traditional harvest fun with barn dancing, pumpkin bowling, cider donuts, and more.



A Family Halloween

October 29 Slightly spooky and super sweet with trick-or-treating, hayrides, games, and more. *Children in costume admitted FREE.*



WINTER HOURS
November 4—February 25, 2024
10:00 AM—4:00 PM Weekends & Select Days
Closed December 24 & 25



Mindful Mondays

Refresh with a rejuvenating stroll through the gardens and enjoy complimentary herbal tea.

Time Travel Tuesdays

19th century pastimes and artifact guessing in the 1890 Farm Manager's House.

Wagon Ride Wednesdays

Enjoy a wagon ride through the scenic pastures. Included with admission.



Thursday Threads

Create a take-home craft and learn how to weave, knit, felt, or crochet.



Foodie Fridays

Enjoy culinary demonstrations, recipes, and interactive programs using seasonal ingredients from our Farmstead Gardens.

- CAMPS - PROGRAMS - WORKSHOPS -

Camp Weeks at the Farm

Winter Wonders, Ages 6–8 Billings Bookworms, Ages 6–8 Junior Farmer, Ages 7–10 Farm Discovery, Ages 11–14



Homeschool Club

Where history, education, and farming meets wonder. Ages 7–11.

Pre-K Story Time

This imaginative children's program features stories, snacks, and hands-on experiences on the farm.

Farm to Kitchen Table

Bring elements of classic culinary training into the comfort of your own home with foundational techniques and recipes using local, seasonal ingredients.

BILLINGS BACKYARD SERIES

Workshops designed to teach sustainable living skills to adult participants for everyday life.



Date Night Cooking Classes

Using seasonal, local ingredients, couples can learn cooking techniques in this fun, chef-led class and dining experience.

Moos & Brews & Cocktails Too!

Evening on the farm with music, food, local craft beer and spirits, and our famous Jersey moos!

Torchlight Snowshoe

A late-day winter adventure with history, hot cocoa, and s'mores.



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November Weekends

Enjoy the scenic fall landscape, meet our farm animals, and explore the museum.

A Family Thanksgiving

November 24–26 Historic Thanksgiving traditions with crafts, stories, and mini pies to savor.

Wassail Weekend

December 8–10 Get in the holiday spirit with Wassail punch, Wassail history, candle dipping, and festive decorations.



HORSE-DRAWN SLEIGH RIDES

December–March Old-fashioned fun. Public and private rides available, conditions permitting.



Christmas at the Farm

December Weekends & Daily Dec. 16–Jan. 1, Closed Dec. 24 & 25Victorian Christmas past with natural décor and lights. Dip candles and make mini mince pies.

Winter at the Farm

Jan. & Feb. Weekends & January 15 Experience the wonderland of a snow-

experience the wonderland of a snow-covered farm with animals snug in their barns.

Magic of Maple

February 17–25 A sweet taste of Vermont's maple history with sugar on snow, children's stories, crafts, maple recipes, and more.