

Vermont Open Farm Week-August 14, 2021

Family Farm Field Trip to Vermont Grand View Farm



During your time at VT Grand View Farm, you will participate in a self-guided scavenger hunt that will lead you all around our farm property. You will learn as you go, collecting stickers to put on your scavenger hunt map to keep track of where you have gone. Some of the things you will learn about include:

- Gotland sheep and what makes them so unique and different from other breeds of sheep.
- How we use the wool from our sheep.
- The important role that pigs play on our farm.
- Which plants help keep our sheep healthy.
- How we preserve the natural habitat for birds and insects.
- How our sugaring operation is different from the Buck Family sugaring operation.
- How llamas protect sheep!
- When a llama will spit on YOU and how to avoid being the target for spitting.
- Why our sheep graze in small sections of a field at a time.

From our farm you will walk over to the Buck Family Maple Farm to tour their sugar woods and sugar house. Then, you will come back to VT Grand View Farm to end your field trip with a picnic! We will be offering our very own wood-fired pizza OR you may bring your own picnic!

Email Kim Goodling to register!

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Include which group you want to register for, how many are in your family, and if you plan to order pizza. Include a phone number or cell phone you can be reached at the day of the event.

