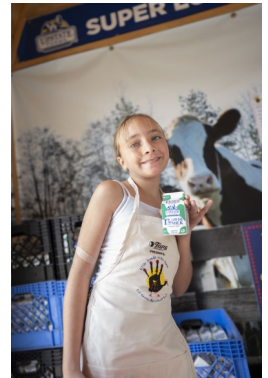




Little Sprouts



A field trip program at Little Hands on the Farm and the Agriculture Discovery Center

2024

Do your students know the important role agriculture plays in their lives? Book a free field trip to The Fairgrounds in Hamburg and allow them to learn through the interactive Little Hands on the Farm exhibit! May 20-24, 2024.

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Little Hands on the Farm

About Little Sprouts

Little Sprouts is an interactive hands-on field trip designed for children 3-5 years old. The program is presented by the Erie County Agricultural Society, as their continuing commitment to agricultural education in Western New York. Field trips are offered in the Little Hands on the Farm Exhibit and the state-of-the-art Agriculture Discovery Center. The field trips are specifically designed to teach children about the importance of agriculture in their lives through a hands on approach. All lessons are age appropriate and interactive.

About Little Hands on the Farm Presented by:



The field trip will run through the interactive "farm". There are ten barns that all represent a piece of a working farm. This field trip will allow the children to experience what it would be like to work on a farm and practice the everyday chores. They will have the opportunity to milk a pretend cow, collect some wooden eggs from the chicken coop, ride a pedal tractor and much more! After finishing all of the work they will sell their products at the "farmer's market" and even have the chance to go grocery shopping.

Program Details

May 20—24, 2024

Children will be split into two groups and spend half of the field trip at Little Hands on the Farm and the other half inside the Agriculture Discovery Center learning about an age appropriate agriculture topic and making a craft to take home.

Ready to Sign up?

Email Agriculture Education Coordinator Ellen Pritschau at ellenp@ecfair.org and she will email you the google document to fill out your information and sign up.



Length and Size of Group

The field trip will run from 10:00am -11:30am. Facility for lunch available upon request until 12:30pm. We are able to accommodate up to 60 students per session.

Reservations

Field trip reservations are currently being accepted on a first come, first served basis. Little Sprouts can accommodate 60 students per session. Please see program details for specific dates. If you would like to make a reservation or have any questions, please contact Ellen Pritschau at ellenp@ecfair.org or call 716-649-3900 ext. 6413.

Fees

Little Sprouts field trips are an entirely complimentary program open to all 3-5 preschools, day cares and homeschool groups in Western New York. This program is developed, produced, and funded by the Erie County Agricultural Society. Additionally, the Erie County Agricultural Society will help subsidize busing costs by offering \$100 per bus.

Cancellation Policy

Any changes or cancellations must be called in no later than 24 hours prior to your visit at (716) 818-8823. If we have to cancel due to poor weather conditions we will contact you at least 24 hours in advance as half of the experience is outdoors.