

Things to Do

Start at the Welcome Center

Get an update on daily activities and scheduled events, find maps and guides, and watch a video about the history of Pineland Farms.

Daily, 8am–5pm 🌱🌞🍁❄️

Browse the Market

Shop a delicious assortment of farm-fresh produce; our own cheese and natural meats; freshly baked breads and pastries; and Maine-made beer, wine, and gifts.

Daily, 8am–5pm 🌱🌞🍁❄️

Grab a Picnic Lunch or Snack

While you're at the Market, pick up a ready-to-eat snack of sandwiches, coffee, and pastries. Take it with you or relax in our café overlooking Mt. Washington.

Daily, 8am–5pm 🌱🌞🍁❄️

Get Breakfast or Lunch in the Cafeteria

The Commons cafeteria offers a full selection of hot and cold breakfast and lunch items featuring fresh and local ingredients, many right from the farm.

Daily, 8am–6pm 🌱🌞🍁❄️

Explore the Farm

We offer lots of recreational, educational, and sight-seeing opportunities, and we welcome you to look around and enjoy. Ongoing attractions are described inside this brochure; ask at the Welcome Center about anything new and current.

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Spring



Summer



Fall



Winter



Fee



Directions to the Welcome Center

Maine Turnpike to Exit 63 (formerly Exit 11) in Gray.

After the tollbooth, turn right, toward Gray center.

Stay in the right lane. Go straight through the intersection onto Route 115 East; go 1.6 miles.

Turn left onto Depot Road; go 2.8 miles to a stop sign.

Turn left onto Intervale Road (Route 231).

Turn left onto the Pineland Farms campus (Morse Road).

Turn right onto Farm View Drive.

The Welcome Center is on the right.

15 Farm View Drive
New Gloucester, ME 04260

(207) 688-4539

www.PinelandFarms.org



Visitors Guide



Pineland Farms

Pineland Farms is a privately-owned working farm open to the public for exploration, recreation, and education.

While you're here, visit working dairy, horse, and poultry barns, and see cheese made in our own creamery. Or enjoy year-round recreation on wooded trails, fields, ponds, and tennis courts.

We also schedule educational and camp programs for children and events for family fun throughout the year, so please check our Web site or Welcome Center to find out what's coming up.

When you arrive, start at the Welcome Center—our staff is happy to help you find your way around and answer questions.

For information in advance about program days, times and fees, call 207-688-4539 or visit www.PinelandFarms.org.

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Explore the Fields and Trails

Enjoy a Walk, Run or Hike: Explore 25km of trails on your own, or schedule an organized outing. Borrow a daypack filled with binoculars, birdcalls and field guides at the Welcome Center.

Daily, 8am–dusk 🌱🌞🍂

Go Mountain Biking: Trails are open for mountain biking and offer lots of variety from easy family rides to challenging hilly rides. Get a trail pass and map at the Welcome Center.

Daily, 8am–dusk 💰🌱🌞🍂

XC Ski or Snowshoe: 25km of world-class trails are impeccably groomed for classic and skate skiing. Trail maps and day or season passes available at the Welcome Center or Ski Shop.

Daily, 8am–4pm 💰❄️

Learn Orienteering: Our 1,200-acre course is mapped with checkpoints to locate with a map and compass. Get a map at the Welcome Center and go out on your own, or ask about scheduled workshops and meets.

Daily, 8am–4pm; plus scheduled events 💰🌱🌞🍂

Recreation on the Main Campus

Play Tennis: Knock the ball around on one of three well-kept hard courts. First-come, first-served.

Daily, 8am–dusk 🌱🌞🍂

Fish: Cast a line into our stocked pond (license required).

Daily, dawn–dusk 🌱🌞🍂

Ice Skate: Two skating ponds are cleared when weather permits.

Daily, dawn–dusk ❄️

Go Sledding: Our sledding hill is groomed for a nice, long run.

Daily, dawn–dusk ❄️

Stroll the Garden

Our one-acre garden is one of the top-ten favorite public gardens in *People Places & Plants*. Stroll its brick walkways, take beautiful photos, or picnic on the lawn under the apple trees. Daily, dawn–dusk 🌱🌞🍂

Tour Valley Farm

Set Out on a Self-Guided Tour: Pick up a brochure and map at the Welcome Center. Mon.–Fri., 10am–4pm 💰🌱🌞🍂❄️

Schedule a Guided Farm Tour: A two-hour trolley ride visits the sheep barn, poultry barn, dairy barn, equestrian center, and the creamery.

Call to reserve a tour for your group 💰🌱🌞🍂❄️

See the Creamery: Observation windows let you watch our cheese-making operation.

Call to ask about our production schedule 🌱🌞🍂❄️

Check Out Our Programs and Events

Education Programs: Thousands of acres of forests, fields, and farmyards serve as an inspiring hands-on classroom where you can explore your connection to natural history and agriculture.

See Web site for dates and times 💰🌱🌞🍂❄️

Horseback-Riding Lessons and Clinics: Our Equestrian Centers offer lessons for children and adults. Horses available for all levels, or bring your own. Lessons are held in indoor and outdoor arenas.

Scheduling required 💰🌱🌞🍂❄️

Summer Day Camp: Experience real, hands-on fun at summer day camp!

See Web site to download this year's brochure 💰🌞

Open Farm Day: (annual July event) This free family event is part of Maine's Open Farm Day, coordinated by the Maine Department of Agriculture, when working farms statewide open to visitors. Attractions include barn tours, cow milking, cheese making, and refreshments!

See Web site for date and time 🌞

Winter Carnival: (annual winter event, weather permitting)

This free family day is full of races, games, and lessons on skis, snowshoes, and ice skates.

See Web site for date and time ❄️



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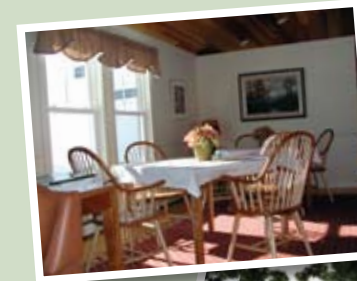
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Wilson House



Merrill Farmhouse



The Loft



GET AWAY, AND MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME—AT PINELAND FARMS

Rejuvenate with family, or treat your staff to an extended break at Pineland Farms, where our beautifully appointed and meticulously maintained guest houses are set against stunning vistas and peaceful surroundings.

Recreate on hundreds of acres of fields and trails, and explore the area, with only a 20-minute drive to Freeport and 30 minutes to Portland and Maine's Lakes Region.

Accommodating groups from as few as two to more than twenty, each guest house offers unique elegance, character, and comfort. Browse them at www.PinelandFarms.org, where you'll find more photos, descriptions, and rates.

Information and check-in at the Welcome Center.

