

FALL 2022
"TIGGES FARM" PUMPKIN PATCH FIELD TRIPS



Dear Teacher, Daycare Director, Church or Youth or Church Group Leader.

We are super glad to say the Pumpkin Patch is back! We also have a new Scavenger Hunt, a Rocking Horse Corral and some Rotary Dial Telephones (*what's that?*) on display on the red airplane wing. Of course the red airplane is there, but located in the big white building. The little prairie wagon is still in front of the half circle building.

The price of the school pumpkins will be \$2.25 Regular price is \$3.00. Parents may purchase for siblings for the same school price during field trip.

Field trips can be scheduled ONLY Thursday and Friday, beginning September 30th, 2022. Our time slots will fill up quickly, so scheduling as early as possible is recommended. Call 970-686-7225 10am - 6pm Thurs, Fri, Sat, Sun only to schedule by phone call. You can text other times of the day to schedule at 970-576-8970, **but be sure you get a confirmation if you text or if you leave a message at either number.**

We have room for groups of 20 to sit inside the half circle (Quonset) building facing the grandstands, 4 under the south shelter and 30 inside the white building if you are planning a snack or lunch for your kids. *Please check which building to use to eat or snack as we will try to not overlap groups in the grandstand with groups snacking.*

Have the following information ready when you schedule (by calling or texting) and save time bringing this info with you:

Name of Group _____
Address of Group _____
Town _____ Zip _____
School/Center/Group Phone number: _____
Contact Person Name (first and last): _____
Cell Phone Number: _____ (so we can text a confirmation)
Are you a ___ child care, ___ school group ___ youth group ___ church group?
Average age or grade in school of group? ___ Estimated number in your group? ___

We will ask you to fill out a card with this same information, or you can bring this letter filled to give to us along with payment. If there are several teachers paying for each class separately, copy this letter and each fill this letter out or fill out separate cards after you arrive. **We need this information to accompany payment.**

Contact person will be responsible for collecting from groups larger than 10 and pay for everyone at once. Smaller groups can come to the cash register and identify the group they are with and individually pay.

The field trip will be the same as past years. A story will be read. Contact person should let farm hostess know if your group wants any farm history or how to grow pumpkins on a farm added after the story is read, otherwise farm hostess will proceed on with instructions on finding a pumpkin, picking up and returning baskets, using wagons and where the restroom is.

Goggle "Tigges Farm" to reach the website via the right hand side information that comes up. On the Field Trip tab, you can download this year's **Flamingo Scavenger Hunt**. Included in this letter is the answer sheet you can duplicate for your group leaders. After the 2020, 2021 years, we felt Flamingo's being such happy creatures, we should just share their happiness, even if not a "farm animal." Have fun flamingo hunting. They are in the gift shop and the white building. Nothing in the chile roasting area or the half circle building, but you might spot some in the pumpkin patch. Leave them there for others to find.

Park in most available space in the parking lot (buses, vans, cars).

Sincerely,

Ken Tigges, Kathy Rickart & Gale Loeffler

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Flamingo Scavenger Hunt & Fun Fact Sheet

Correct Answers

1. Gray, White
2. 50 years
3. SCHNOZZOLA
4. All three are correct
5. Fire
6. All four are correct or All of the Above
7. Yes, they do migrate "season change" & "at night"
8. & 9. Yellow-Orange; 4 ft; Yellow-orange with a black tip
10. Yellow to orange to pink-red and webbed feet with 3 toes
11. A flamboyance
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