

Spending time at New Gokula

We request you to be mindful of a few expectations while visiting:

1. While on New Gokula premises visitors agree to observe and respect our rules of NOT:
 - a. consuming any intoxicants including alcohol, cigarettes, recreational drugs etc. Smoking also presents a major fire hazard especially during the hotter months.
 - b. engaging in gambling activities, and
 - c. eating any kind of meat, fish, eggs, mushrooms, onions or garlic.
2. Please maintain appropriate dress code by dressing modestly.
3. New Gokula accepts no responsibility for loss or damage of your personal property and vehicle(s). Please park your vehicles only in areas you are asked to or in the designated areas. Obey parking and all other signage throughout out the property and do not enter restricted areas.
4. We are dependent on rain for our water supply. We ask that you use water very sparingly.
5. Please respect our animals, fish and birds by NOT feeding them without prior permission from our office staff.
6. Please remember to shut any gates you open while on the farm. This helps stop our animals from wandering into our gardens. Never walk over the cattle grid...use the side gate provided.
7. Our gardens and the flowers, fruits, vegetables, nuts, herbs etc. that we grow are for the pleasure of Lord Krishna first and then our visitors. Please respect these by just viewing them and NOT plucking. Kindly also walk only on paved areas around the temple and avoid walking in garden beds.
8. The pure vegetarian food we serve is blessed and called prasadam. Please honour this and take only what is necessary to avoid wastage.
9. During meal times, please wait to be served by our volunteers. If no one is available, please wash your hands and serve yourself. Also while eating if you want more, please wash your hands before serving yourself again.
10. We serve breakfast at 9am, lunch at 1pm (weekdays) and 1:30pm (Sat and Sun) and dinner at 7:30pm. If you require to eat outside these times, please bring your own snacks, especially if you have young children with you.

By their very nature farms with animals can present a safety risk if due care is not taken so while visiting New Gokula farm always exercise due caution and care to avoid personal injury to yourself, family and friends and inform them of these terms and conditions of entry before or on entry.

Whilst visiting our farm you do so at your own risk and the management, staff and volunteers accept no responsibility for any injury, loss, claims, costs, expenses or damage which may be suffered or incurred whilst being at New Gokula farm.

Always exercise caution while feeding/approaching cows, bulls and other animals. Feeding and approaching the animals is strictly prohibited except under the direct supervision of an authorized farm representative. There are designated areas and times for feeding cows and bulls under such supervision, outside of which you approach the animals at your own risk. In the designated feeding area the cows and bulls must be fed over the fence or gate from a safe distance.

Whilst exercising due care and diligence around the animals please treat them with respect and do not chase, harass or harm them and be careful not to over feed them as they can get very sick or even die from over-eating “inappropriate” or excessive foodstuffs. We request that they are only fed mouth- sized pieces of fruit and vegetables.

Children must be carefully supervised at all times while in the vicinity of the animals to protect them from any harm.

Children remain the responsibility of the parents or guardians at all times whilst on the farm and must be supervised always and not allowed to “run around” independently on their own. The parents or guardians must be particularly careful that they don’t engage in any unsafe practises, which could result in injuries.

In conclusion, these terms and conditions are there to help facilitate you, your family and friends to have a happy, enjoyable but safe and healthy time with us at New Gokula farm

Hare Krishna.