



A Day at the Farm

Group Picnics

Lambs

Farm... *the perfect setting for a true picnic.* There are many places that host picnics, however, none that can compare to a day at Lambs Farm. Lambs Farm is centrally located in Lake County just off of I-94 and available with full-service catering for all of your event needs. Whether your group is small or as large as 500 guests, Lambs Farm is the perfect place for your corporate event, picnic, family reunion, organization outing, wedding reception or other special event. We have spacious tree-shaded lawns and two covered pavilions available for your use. And, with our attentive staff and intimate country atmosphere, your group will feel like they have the place to themselves!

Guests will find enjoyable pastimes to engage in while waiting for a delicious picnic spread to be served. The shops of Lambs Farm have many wonders to explore. The Lambs Farm **Dogwood Garden & Pet Center**, housed in our turn-of-the-century barn, offers rescue puppies and kittens for adoption as well as pet supplies, plush and gift items. Browse through our **Cedar Chest Thrift Shop**... you never know what treasure is waiting for you at a bargain price! Satisfy your sweet tooth at the **Sugar Maple Country Store and Bakery** where our homemade fudge and chocolate will put a smile on your face. Treat everyone to a hand-dipped ice cream cone. Our **Magnolia Cafe & Bakery** also features goodies - delicious cookies, breads and more - baked right on the Farm.

Inside the **Farmyard**, follow paved walkways to view the domestic farm animals. Stop at the small animal area for an up-close look at a variety of animals such as potbelly pigs, ducks and chickens. Learn fun facts about animals inside the **Discovery Center** and step into the **Petting Area** and visit with goats and sheep. View our tortoises, lambs, and kids in our new outdoor play areas. Hay is available to purchase to feed the animals - especially the cows! Tee off on the 18-hole **Miniature Golf** course and enjoy our **Bounce House** and **Old World Carousel**. Adults and children alike will delight in a ride on our **Miniature Train** along Lambs Lake.

We can also plan other activities to enhance your event. Exciting additions such as **DJ's, balloonists, volleyball, face painting, inflatables and more** will make your event one to remember. Your guests will find your event at Lambs Farm to be the best outing they have ever had.

For more information on how we can help plan your group outing or customize a special event for you at Lambs Farm, please contact:

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MENU

The picnic packages described on page 4 are designed to serve as a guide for your menu planning. Our staff will be happy to create a menu to suit your particular needs. Please note that prices quoted do not include our **eighteen percent (18%) service charge** and **Illinois State Sales tax of seven percent (7%)**, which is applicable to all food, beverage and other miscellaneous charges. A complete estimate can be provided for your consideration.

BEVERAGE SERVICE

We offer a complete selection of beverages to compliment your picnic. Please note that the Illinois State Liquor Commission regulates alcoholic beverage sales and service. Lambs Farm, as a licensee, is responsible for administration of these regulations. Therefore, no liquor or wine may be brought into Lambs Farm from outside sources.

PRICES

All quoted prices are current and subject to change **thirty (30) days** prior to the confirmed date of your event in order to meet increased operational and/or market costs.

FOOD GUARANTEES

Final count is to be advised no later than **eight (8) days** prior to the event date. The guarantee is not subject to reduction after this deadline. Your final bill will reflect the guaranteed number. Should the amount of people served exceed the guaranteed count we will bill you for the additional amount.

DEPOSITS

All events require a **thirty-three percent (33%) deposit** upon booking in order to secure the function space on a definite basis. This deposit is credited to your account at the time of your event.

PAYMENT

The estimated balance of all events is to be **paid "in full" five (5) days prior to the event.** Payment by cash, credit card, cashiers or certified checks will be accepted. If credit has been established for corporate accounts, payments will be due no later than **thirty (30) days** from the date of invoice.

CANCELLATIONS

- Notice of cancellation **ninety (90) days** prior to the date of the event **fifty percent (50%)** of the deposit will be refunded.
- Between **thirty-one (31) days** and **ninety (90) days** prior to the date of the event, your deposit will not be refunded.
- Between **eight (8) and thirty (30) days** prior to the date of the event, you will be responsible for **fifty percent (50%)** of your total estimated bill.
- Within **seven (7) days** of your event date, you will be responsible for **seventy-five percent (75%)** of your total estimated bill.
- Any deposits for entertainment and/or equipment are non-refundable.



SITE FEES

There is a site fee of \$300 which may vary based upon individual group size and requirements. Please call for a quotation.

FUNCTION SPACE

A minimum of **one hundred (100) guests** is required to book the Lake Pavilion. If attendance increases or decreases dramatically, Lambs Farm reserves the right to change venues to accommodate such change.

TABLE SET-UPS

Adult picnic tables **seat eight (8) per table** and children's picnic tables **seat six (6) per table**. We have enough picnic table seating for **approximately five-hundred (500)**. Additional tables and chairs are available to rent.

PARKING

There is ample free parking available for groups large and small.

ENTERTAINMENT

Should you desire entertainment, we would be happy to assist you with any requests. You may contract your own musicians, however please advise them to contact the Lambs Farm Special Events Coordinator to coordinate performance and/or electrical requirements.

GIFTS/GIVEAWAYS

Lambs Farm homemade preserves, cookies, fudge, chocolates or catalog items make great party favors, door prizes or incentive gifts. Contact Lambs Farm Sales Manager for information.

PHOTOGRAPHY

You are free to use your own photographer or we will be happy to assist you in obtaining one for your needs.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

The staff will immediately stop food service in the event of visual lightning. Service will resume for the remainder of contracted time period once the threat of lightning has passed. The serving staff will wait a maximum of 1.5 hours for a lightning delay before the event is terminated.



PICNIC PACKAGES

These popular grilled on-site Picnic Packages are priced to provide our customers with delicious food at very affordable prices. You may add additional entrees, salads, fresh fruits or desserts to customize the package to suit your event.

Blue Ribbon Picnic

All Beef 1/3 lb. Hamburgers
Pure Beef Jumbo Hot Dogs
Boneless Chicken Breast
Veggie Burgers
American Potato Salad
Zesty Pasta Salad
Corn on the Cob *seasonal*
or Fire Roasted Corn & Black Bean Salad
Fresh Fruit Compote
Bagged Chips
Cookies
Rolls and Condiments
\$16.95 per guest

Smokey BBQ

Slow Roasted Beef Brisket or Pulled Pork
Boneless Chicken Breast
Pure Beef 1/3 lb. Hamburgers
Jumbo Hot Dog
American Potato Salad or Cole Slaw
Homemade Macaroni & Cheese or
Baked Beans
Fresh Fruit Compote
Bagged Chips
Cookies
Rolls and Condiments
\$19.95 per guest

The All-American Picnic

All Beef 1/3 lb. Hamburgers
Pure Beef Jumbo Hot Dogs
Veggie Burgers
American Potato Salad
Corn on the Cob *seasonal*
or Fire Roasted Corn & Black Bean Salad
Fresh Fruit Compote
Bagged Chips
Cookies
Rolls and Condiments
\$14.95 per guest

Condiments include:

mustard, ketchup, BBQ sauce, mayonnaise, relish, onion, tomato, pickle, and real American cheese.

Conditions for all picnic packages

- All packages are based on a 100 guest minimum, unless otherwise agreed upon by Lambs Farm.
- Discounts are available for events with over 300 guests. Call us for details.
- All packages are grilled on-site and include serving staff, chafing dishes, service dishes, serving tables and covers, utensils and condiments.
- All packages feature unlimited dining for up to two hours, one hour for picnics under 100.
- You may add additional entrees, salads, fresh fruits, or desserts to customize your package to suit your event, however substitutions cannot be made.



BEVERAGES

(Includes ice and plastic cups)

Unlimited Soda and Bottled Water*	\$5 per person
Iced Tea or Pink Lemonade (serves 50)	\$70
Coffee/Decaf (serves 50)	\$85
Fresh Squeezed Lemonade Cart (w/attendant, minimum 50 people)	\$5 per person

**Available beginning 1/2 hour before food service and continuing for 1/2 hour after food service.*

BAR PACKAGE

(Includes plastic cups)

Domestic Beer (1/4 Barrel)	\$175
Domestic Beer (1/2 Barrel)	\$225
Beer (cans)	\$4
Wine Coolers (bottles)	\$5

UNLIMITED BEVERAGE PACKAGE

(50 person minimum)

Unlimited soda, beer and wine*	\$18 per person
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SPECIAL TREATS

Ice Cream Novelties, assorted	\$2.50 each
Popcorn Machine (serves 150, no attendant)	\$300/4 hours
Snow Cone Machine (serves 150, no attendant)	\$300/4 hours

TENTS & OTHER EQUIPMENT

TENTS

10' x 10' EZ up Tent	\$200
Larger Tents	Call for quote
Stanchions (white plastic)	\$7.00 each
Chain (white plastic)	\$0.50/ft.

TABLES

8 ft Banquet (seats 10)	\$14 each
6 ft Banquet (seats 8)	\$12 each

CHAIRS

Folding, black Samsonite	\$3 each
Folding, white Samsonite	\$4 each



FARMYARD AND ATTRACTIONS

Make your picnic special by enjoying group rates for our many activities at the Farmyard of Lambs Farm. View our collection of domestic animals such as ponies, donkeys, chickens, pigs, llamas and a camel! Included inside the Farmyard is the Discovery Center with facts about our smaller, weather-sensitive animals. The petting area is a popular place for children and adults to interact with our goats and sheep. Complete your day of fun by sampling our other attractions. Tee off on the 18-hole miniature golf course. Children two to 12 years of age will enjoy a hearty round in the bounce house. Adults and children alike will enjoy our 12-minute long miniature train ride that takes a scenic route along Lambs Lake. Children aged one to 12 years will delight in the old world carousel.

DISCOUNT DAY PASS (Groups Only) \$5 per person

(no charge for children under two years of age)

Our Day Pass includes one day unlimited entrance to the Farmyard, Petting Area and Discovery Center, as well as unlimited rides on miniature train, carousel, and unlimited games of miniature golf. The bounce house, when available, is also offered in the day pass. Adults must accompany children under the age of 13 years at all times. All sales are final. Please note that all attractions, other than the Farmyard, close when lightning is present and reopen 20 minutes after the last witnessed lightning strike. When wind speeds are above 15 mph, the bounce house is inoperable. All attractions are subject to availability.

INDIVIDUAL ATTRACTIONS

Farmyard (2 years to adult, under 2 is free)	\$5
Miniature Train (2 years to adult, under 2 is free)	\$3
Carousel (1 to 12 years)	\$2
Bounce House (2 years to 12 years)	\$2
Miniature Golf (2 years to adult).....	\$4

SPORTS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT

Volleyball net, posts and ball	\$70
Bingo - complete set with cards and markers	\$100
Baggo Set.....	\$45



MORE OPTIONS FOR FUN

INTERACTIVE DJs

Nothing says it's a party more than lively music. Our professional DJs will work with you to tailor the tunes to your event. Will also assist with announcements **\$875/4 hours**

FACE PAINTING

Sure to put a smile or whiskers on happy faces. Artists will paint on arms, faces and hands. Washes off easily **\$425/2 hours**

AIR BRUSH TATTOOS

Using multiple colors of washable body paint, our airbrush artists can put a design on your hand, neck, arm, shoulder or leg that will last for days **\$400/2 hours**

SPIN ART CARDS

Colorful, creative and psychedelic. Two artists can spin at one time. Finished art is put into a cardboard frame. Includes attendant **\$800/4 hours**

BALLOONIST

Give your party some pop! Twisted creations of all shapes and themes.....**\$400/2 hours**

INFLATABLE 40' OBSTACLE COURSE

Two contestants race over walls, around barriers, through tunnels and down the slide to finish first and win! Entertainment for all. Includes attendant **\$800/4 hours**

INFLATABLE MOONWALKS

The popular moonwalks are well ventilated with open tops or heavy mesh sides and thick air cushioning. They hold up to 10 youngsters aged 1-12 at a time. Many designs to choose from. Loads of fun for 100 people hourly. Includes attendant **\$525/4 hours**

INFLATABLE 22' HIGH GIANT SLIDE

This glorious slide makes a grand appearance while keeping young and old happily sliding for hours. Entertains well over 100 people hourly. Includes attendant **\$1,200/4 hours**

INFLATABLE KIDDIEPILLAR

Designed exclusively for kids under 10 and under 4' tall, kids go in the front, climb, incline, and slide down into interesting pop-ups and barriers. Includes attendant **\$700/4 hours**

Have an idea of your own? Let us know and we'll do our best to make it happen!