



Queens Farm Birthday Party FAQ 2017

How many kids and adults can the parties accommodate? Is there a maximum number of adults?

The maximum is 40 people, which includes both adults and children. We cannot accommodate more people than that.

What is the sequence of activities?

- Arrivals/meet and greet
- Hayride
- Pizza
- Barnyard tour and animal feeding
- Cake, mingle, birthday gift
- Wrap-up: Party ends at 1:00pm or 4:30pm sharp.

What time can we arrive? Can we bring our own decorations?

You may arrive up to 30 minutes before the party starts to bring in decorations and set up. Please do not arrive prior to that. You are welcome to bring your own decorations, as the Farm only provides farm-themed tablecloths and paper goods.

Can we park on Farm property?

The party host is allowed to park on farm property, next to our Education Building. Street parking is available for all other guests. Typically, there is ample parking along Little Neck Parkway.

Can we provide our own food and not have pizza?

You are welcome to provide your own food, but the Farm party package price will not change.

Can we bring our own cake?

Yes. If you do not have our cake, we will deduct \$25.00 from the total cost of the party.

Can we order extra pizza for the adult guests? Can we bring food for the adults?

You are welcome to provide food for the adults. We will provide you with the pizza restaurant information so you can order the extra pizza, but we order for the children only. When bringing food for the adults, you must supply the paper goods, utensils, and beverages. To coordinate delivery times, the kids' pizza arrives at 11:30am for a 10:00am party, and 2:30pm for a 2:00pm party.

What type of cake is included? Is it fresh?

The cake is vanilla with vanilla custard layers and vanilla frosting. It is freshly made by a local bakery, customized with your child's name, and delivered fresh the day of the party! Other flavors may be available upon request.

What drinks are provided for the kids?

100% fruit juice (Apple & Eve, Juicy Juice, etc.) and water.

What if it rains on the day of the party?

If rain is forecast, have kids be rain-ready. We find that kids don't typically mind the rain; they want to be outside and jump in puddles with their boots! Kids can still feed the animals and have a tour, but we don't do hayrides in the rain. Our hostesses are also prepared with rainy day activities, like coloring in our homemade Queens Farm books and playing farm-themed interactive games.

If kids don't do the hayride, are there alternate activities for them?

The hostess that stays behind will be busy, so will not be available to offer activities for the kids. Please take this into consideration if you choose to supply an alternate activity.

How many people fit on the hayride? Can adults go?

Approximately 35 people fit on the hayride. If you have more guests than that, the hayride will go again to accommodate all guests. Adults are welcome to participate.

How do the party hostesses operate in terms of the activities and party space?

One hostess will go out with the kids for each outdoor activity, and one hostess will stay behind. There is always at least one hostess in the party space.

How many invitations will the farm provide?

We are happy to provide the number of invitations that you'll need for all child guests.

What is the birthday gift that the farm provides for the birthday child?

A Queens Farm T-shirt.

If the party is for twins/siblings, is there an extra charge?

No. There is an additional \$25.00 fee only if you want to get a larger cake or a second cake.

Do you have ice? A refrigerator?

We do not have either. The nearest supplier for ice would be the Glen Oaks Deli on the corner of Union Turnpike and Little Neck Parkway. If you need a fridge, we recommend bringing a cooler.

Can we extend the party hours by adding on extra time?

No. Birthday parties are 2 ½ hours only and cannot be extended under any circumstance.