



**DIARY DATE: 8th June - Discover the Roots of Your Food This Open Farm Sunday!**

Open Farm Sunday returns for its 19th year on **Sunday 8th June 2025**, offering everyone a unique opportunity to explore the world of farming and the vital role it plays in our everyday lives.

Managed nationally by LEAF (Linking Environment And Farming), this much-loved national initiative connects farmers and the public in a unique celebration of food, farming and nature. By welcoming the public onto farms and showcasing the journey of food from farm to table, Open Farm Sunday helps consumers to build a deeper appreciation for where their food comes from, and importantly the farmers who produce it.

As well as being a brilliant family day out, events offer a great opportunity to see how farmers are farming with nature; and gives everyone the chance to meet their local farmer, hear their stories, and see first-hand what they are doing for the climate, nature and sustainable food production – fostering connections that are both educational and fun.

Each participating farm offers something different - from tractor and trailer rides and animal encounters to guided tours of fields buzzing with wildlife. Open Farm Sunday is open to all types of farms, some of those participating will be LEAF Marque certified, demonstrating their commitment to farming practices that support nature and the environment while producing food responsibly. Here you can learn more about the LEAF Marque, which you'll find on pack instore, and what this means for how your food is grown in harmony with nature, while creating a positive impact on the planet.

Whether you're a first-time visitor or a seasoned supporter, Open Farm Sunday promises to be a day to remember. Explore a local farm, enjoy time outdoors with your family, and discover how farmers are working to create a more sustainable future.

Find your nearest farm and start planning your visit at [www.farmsunday.org](http://www.farmsunday.org).

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- Website: [www.farmsunday.org](http://www.farmsunday.org)
- Facebook: @LEAFOpenFarmSunday
- Twitter: @OpenFarmSunday
- Instagram: @OpenFarmSunday
- Open Farm Sunday is managed by LEAF (Linking Environment And Farming) – the charity that promotes and supports more sustainable farming to create a resilient food and farming system for future generations. LEAF is a registered charity no: 1045781 <https://leaf.eco/>
- Open Farm Sunday is the farming industry's annual open day, now in its 19<sup>th</sup> year. Our vision is to connect farmers with their communities by inspiring public appreciation for sustainable farming practices that nurture nature, produce food you can trust, whilst protecting and enhancing the environment. Since the first Open Farm Sunday in 2006, over 3.25 million people have visited OFS on-farm events.
- With special thanks to our Open Farm Sunday principal sponsors: AHDB, Arla Foods, BASF, Coop, Defra, Frontier Agriculture, John Deere, LEAF Marque, M&S, McDonald's, NFU, Sainsbury's, Tesco, and Waitrose.
- Open Farm Sunday 2025 will take place on 8th June. Farmers are asked to register to host an event at [www.farmsunday.org](http://www.farmsunday.org). Nearer the time, visitors will be able to search for a farm to visit at [www.farmsunday.org](http://www.farmsunday.org).
- To contact the Open Farm Sunday team directly, email: [OpenFarmSunday@leaf.eco](mailto:OpenFarmSunday@leaf.eco) or call 07912463151