

# 5 things to know about visiting Purina Farms

We are thrilled you've decided to visit one of St. Louis' favorite family-friendly destinations. Here are 5 things to know before you hit the highway and come see us.

## 1. Check our online calendar and plan your visit

Our website is [purinafarms.com](http://purinafarms.com) and our address is **500 William Danforth Way, Gray Summit, MO 63039.**

Take Highway 44 Exit 253. Go ¼ mile north on Highway 100. Make a left on Highway MM and proceed to the entrance of Purina Farms, which is less than a mile on the left.

## 2. Pack up your pooch for a doggone good time

Naturally, dogs are welcome at Purina Farms! You and your dog will love walking around the rolling hills of our beautiful property.

- We ask you that you abide by our Visiting Pet Guidelines. Request a copy at [purinafarms@purina.nestle.com](mailto:purinafarms@purina.nestle.com), or by calling 314-982-3232.
- For the safety and well-being of our resident animals, visiting dogs are not permitted in the Animal Barn or Pet Center.
- Visiting dogs are only allowed at the Purina Event Center during events designated as dog-friendly for the general public\*.

## 3. Enjoy our property ... all 300+ acres

Just let the security guard know your destination when you arrive, and you'll be directed to the right place.

- **Visitor Center** – educational and entertaining activities for pet lovers of all ages, especially young children (handicap accessible).
- **Purina Event Center** – dog and cat events, including conformation shows and performance trials open to spectators\* (handicap accessible).
- **Multiple outdoor event areas** where dog clubs and other organizations regularly host events open to spectators. Or, rent a pavilion/tent in one of these areas to have a picnic.

## 4. Experience something new at the Visitor Center

The Visitor Center operates Mid-March –end of October from 9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday.

### Visitor Center activities include:

- Cow-milking: 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. (Space is limited, so please arrive at the milking area about 15 minutes prior to get a good spot.)
- Wagon rides
- Animal petting arenas

*\*Only the dogs and cats entered in the sanctioned events taking place at the Purina Event Center may be in the facility. No pets allowed.*

## Visitor Center activities (cont'd):

- Hayloft play area
- Kids Creation Play Kitchen
- Concession stand
- Outdoor plaza perfect for enjoying a bite to eat from the concession stand
- Gift shop featuring a variety of collectibles and apparel, as well as pet food and toys
- Trainer Talk with Purina Farms trainers sharing training tips in a smaller group setting (1-2 times daily)
- Interactive exhibits showing why life is better with a pet, fostering a greater understanding of proper pet care and a desire to get more involved in the pet welfare cause

Reservations to the Visitor Center are only required for large groups, field trips or when noted for special events.

Admission and parking are free unless when noted for special events on our online event calendar or posted event flyers at [purinafarms.com](http://purinafarms.com)

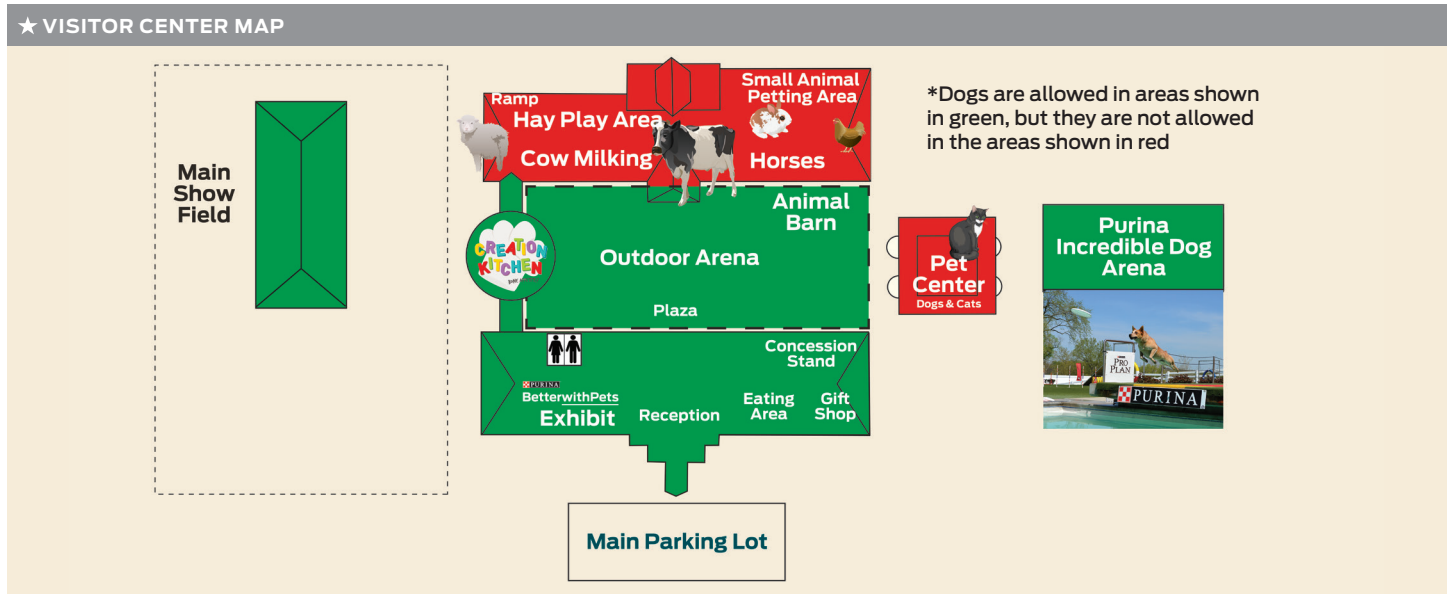
## 5. Catch some high-flying action at The Incredible Dog Arena

Adjacent to our Visitor Center, the Incredible Dog Arena features canine performances of diving dog, agility and flying disc.

- Performances are at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. each day the Visitor Center is open (weather permitting).
- Many of the dogs featured in the performances have been adopted from rescues and shelters around the country.

We know you'll have a blast at Purina Farms, making memories to last a lifetime.

*See you soon!*



## Daily Visitor Center Schedule

10:00 am **Cow-milking demonstration** in the Animal Barn

10:30 am **Purina Incredible Dog Show** at the Incredible Dog Arena

12:30 pm **Trainer Talk with a Purina Farms Dog Trainer** intended for pet lovers ages 10 and up in the Animal Barn Hayloft (2nd floor). Presentation followed by Q & A

1:00 pm **Cow-milking demonstration** in the Animal Barn

1:30 pm **Purina Incredible Dog Show** in the Incredible Dog Arena (In case of inclement weather, the show might be moved inside or cancelled)

2:30 pm **Trainer Challenge** at the Pet Center

### Ongoing activities:

- **Hayplay Area** - Animal Barn
- **Exhibits**
- **Petting Arena** - Animal Barn
- **Kids Creation Play Kitchen**
- **Wagon Rides** - Main Parking Lot  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

### Questions?

Call us Mon-Fri between 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at 314-982-3232 and press option 2.



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