



# ST. LEONARD'S FARM PARK NEWSLETTER



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## FARMER JAMES DIARY



**Hello everyone!** I've been very busy over the cold winter months making some changes to the farm and adding some exciting new things . . . see if you can notice what they are as you walk round the farm. One of the hardest jobs has been planting lots of new hedges for insects and birds to live in. This is called Countryside Stewardship and it means that we are

putting new life into the ground. While I was planting the hedges, a little robin kept me company, so I hung a teapot in the hedge upside down to help make the perfect home for him - you could do this in your garden. I've also been building some new sand pits for some "mini diggers" which I've bought for smaller children to play on, check them

out on your next visit!  
This Easter there should be lots of new born animals for you to see, including goats, piglets, chickens and rabbits. We'll also be doing an Easter Egg Hunt and quiz around the farm with some great prizes so . . . Make sure you come and see us during the Easter holidays!

*Farmer James*

### SPECIAL EVENTS BOOKINGS

**P**lease note the dates of this year's special events on our Opening Times calendar in this newsletter. Last year's events were an overwhelming success and all were fully booked, which was really pleasing since it was the first year we tried them . . . we'll be making one or two changes to the format of each event this year taking account of all the great feedback we had from visitors. **PLEASE BOOK EARLY FOR THESE EVENTS TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!**



### JOIN OUR MEMBERSHIP SCHEME TODAY!

**T**his year, to celebrate 10 years at the farm and our recent success in winning the prestigious "National Farm Attraction of the Year Award", we are relaunching our Membership Scheme at reduced rates, with an additional benefits package to help say thank you to our regular visitors and friends. The Scheme benefits include:

- Unlimited entry for 12 months (£15 adults, £12 children)
- Discounted Family Membership (£50, 2 adults, 2 children)
- A 10% discount for all SLF special events, including our Halloween Bonfire, Christmas Nativity and Medieval Banquet Knights events
- Birthday card and animal adoption

certificates for all member children

- Access to "members only" area of our website to download free t-shirt artwork



**FILL IN A REGISTRATION FORM AT THE SHOP TODAY! or contact us for details on 01274 598795**

#### OPENING TIMES 2006

**Late February to start of Easter Holidays** - Weekends only 10am to 4pm  
**Easter Holidays to end of Summer Hols** - Tuesday to Sunday 10am to 5pm  
**Early Sept. to start of October half term** - Weekends only 10am to 4pm  
**October half term** - Tuesday to Sunday 10am to 4pm (Open Bank Holiday Mondays and every Monday during Summer Hols).

#### PRICES

Adults	£3.75
Children	£3.25
Under 2s	FREE
Seniors & Concessions	£3.25
Family Ticket (2 adults, 2 children)	£12

#### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

(includes many extra benefits & discounts on special events)

Adults	£15
Children and concessions	£12
Family of four	£50

#### BIRTHDAY PARTIES

£8.95 per child (min 10 children)

#### GROUP TRIPS

£3.25 per child

#### EASTER EGG HUNT

Easter Bank Holiday, Monday 17th April

#### SUMMER SCHOOL

Monday to Friday, 31st July to 25th August  
10am to 2pm weekdays  
1 day - £18, 3 days - £45, 5 days - £75

#### MEDIEVAL BANQUET

Friday 22 September, 7 for 7.30pm  
Includes live entertainment by world famous triple harpist Fiona-Katie Roberts  
£27.50

#### HALLOWEEN BONFIRE EXTRAVAGANZA

Tuesday 31st October 6pm onwards  
£7.95 per person

#### CHRISTMAS NATIVITY / SANTA'S GROTTO

Saturday & Sunday 2nd/3rd December noon til 4pm  
£7.95 per person

**CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE FOR LATEST NEWS AND SPECIAL EVENTS**