



Unique Experience

Purina Farms celebrates the many ways that animals enrich our lives. Every person, young and old, can benefit from interacting with animals as they teach us compassion, responsibility, forgiveness and unconditional love. As part of one of the world's largest pet food manufacturers, Purina Farms promotes responsible pet care, humane education, community involvement, and the positive bond between people and their pets.

During your visit at Purina Farms, you will be able to get up close and personal with a variety of animals on a self-guided tour, making the experience a truly unforgettable one.



Individuals & Groups Welcome

Open mid-March through mid-November and closed all major holidays. Reservations encouraged. Call 314-982-3232 or 888-688-PETS (7387).

Hours:

Summer (Memorial Day to Labor Day)

Open Tuesday to Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., with reservations up to 3 p.m.

Spring and Fall

Open Wednesday to Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., with reservations up to 1 p.m., and Saturday & Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., with reservations up to 3 p.m.

Free admission and parking, except when noted for special events. Only dogs participating in shows or those invited as part of an event taking place on the property are permitted.

Directions:

Purina Farms is located just 10 minutes west of Six Flags on Interstate 44 and 45 minutes west of downtown St. Louis.

Take the Gray Summit exit off I-44 and go north two blocks on Highway 100. Turn left on County Road MM and proceed one mile to Purina Farms on the left at 200 Checkerboard Drive, Gray Summit, MO, 63039.

For more information, go to www.purinafarms.com, call 314-982-3232 or 888-688-PETS (7387), or e-mail purinafarms@purina.nestle.com.



PURINA FARMS™

Visit,
Explore
and Learn
How Animals
Connect
Us All



Your Pet, Our Passion.®

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Located on more than 300 acres of rolling hills, Purina Farms offers animal lovers of all ages an opportunity to meet and learn about barnyard animals and everyday pets.

Purina Farms welcomes thousands of families each

year at its **VISITOR'S CENTER** for an entertaining and educational experience complete with:

- Interactive exhibits
- Daily action-packed dog shows
- Hands-on kids activities that include pedal tractors and a small animal petting area
- Tractor-pulled wagon rides around the property

A friendly, knowledgeable staff greets visitors in the hospitality and concession areas while they enjoy a meal or a snack on the covered trellis patio, in the gift shop as they are browsing unique collectibles and clothing for purchase and in the 75-seat indoor theater, which on occasion serves as the backdrop for a live show featuring incredible dogs and cats!

At select times throughout the year, Purina Farms hosts holiday-themed special events:

- The Easter Village in the spring welcomes the arrival of all the barnyard babies
- The Haunted Hayloft in October features magic shows, face-painting, storytelling and pumpkins
- The Pet-acular Holiday Bazaar in December welcomes the whole family, including the dog, who can sit for a photo with Santa Claus, shop for special gifts or participate in several games

That's just the beginning when you *visit, explore* and *learn* at Purina Farms.





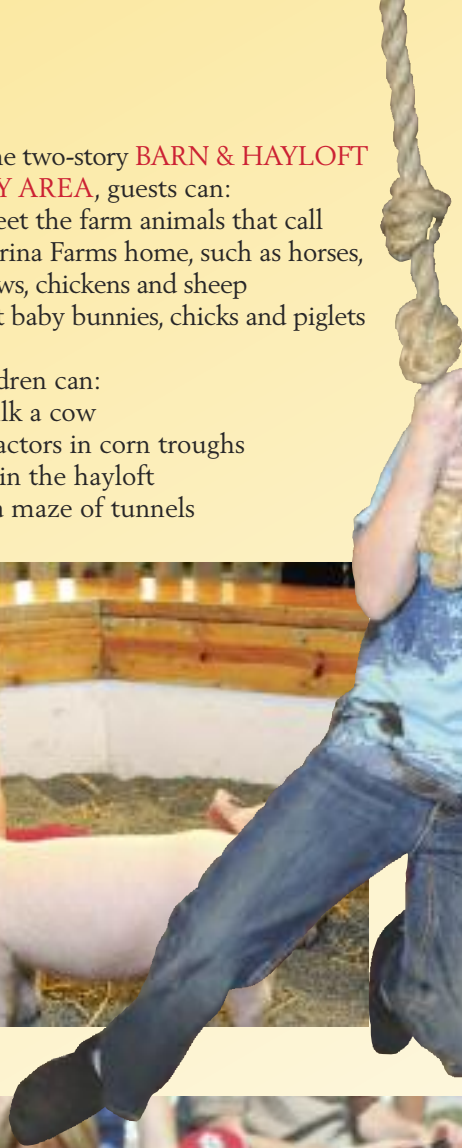
At the two-story **BARN & HAYLOFT PLAY AREA**, guests can:

- Meet the farm animals that call Purina Farms home, such as horses, cows, chickens and sheep
- Pet baby bunnies, chicks and piglets

Children can:

- Milk a cow

- Play with toy tractors in corn troughs
- Swing on ropes in the hayloft
- Crawl through a maze of tunnels



The **PRO PLAN PERFORMANCE TEAM** performs daily shows of freestyle flying disc, diving dog and agility in the Incredible Dog Arena. Amazingly talented dogs demonstrate their athletic skills by maneuvering through an obstacle course, snagging a flying disc in midair and diving the distance into the 50-foot-long heated pool. Each high-energy show is set to music and showcases a wide variety of breeds of dogs, many of them rescued, demonstrating that any dog has the potential to be incredible. In the off-season, the *Pro Plan* Performance Team visits schools around the

Greater St. Louis area as part of the Pets Go To School Program that includes lessons on responsible pet ownership and exciting, acrobatic dog and cat demonstrations.

While exploring the **PET CENTER**, home to several rescued dogs and cats, including the stars of the *Pro Plan* Performance Team, professional trainers provide grooming advice, answer pet care questions and allow visitors to pet the canine residents. A 20-foot-tall, multilevel Victorian-style cat house has windows and contains climbing ledges and scratching posts that create a stimulating environment.



Guests can see more canines in action at the state-of-the-art, 84,000-square-foot **PURINA EVENT CENTER** or at one of seven outdoor **CANINE COMPETITION VENUES** at Purina Farms. Visitors can enjoy watching regular events, including:

- Conformation shows
- Agility trials
- Lure coursing trials
- Earthdog trials
- Herding trials

The Purina Event Center is the latest example of Purina's commitment to supporting the unique needs of the dog and cat fancy, providing an optimal venue for competitions. Spectators can watch some of the most prestigious shows in the country year-round at this Best-in-Class facility.

Purina Farms is a must-visit destination for family outings, school field trips, community group events and individual animal lovers of all ages. See the calendar of events at Purina Farms' website, www.purinafarms.com, and begin to visit, explore and learn.

