Myuna Farms Mobile Ark

Risk Assessment

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| Activity | Hazard Identification | Likelihood | Severity | Priority | Control Measures | Who |
| Feeding the animals | Bites from animals | 3 | 4 | 5 | Children instructed to feed the animals from the cups. Signage also instructing this. | Myuna Farm Ark Staff |
|  | Allergic reaction to food | 3 | 3 | 1 | Make allergies known to Myuna Farm Staff, food will not be distributed. | Event staff |
| Holding the animals | Scratches or bites from animals | 2 | 4 | 6 | Children instructed on how to hold the animals, parental supervision requested in some situations, visual signs | Myuna Farm Ark Staff  Guardians |
|  | Allergic reaction to animal | 3 | 3 | 1 | Children allergic to animals are discouraged from entering the pen. Allergies need to be made known to farmer. Eggs are removed from pen asap, if allergy is known. | Guardians Myuna Farm Staff |
|  | Germs from touching animals | 1 | 4 | 2 | Antibacterial hand gel provided | Myuna Farm Ark Staff |
| Set up Pack down of pen | Injury from moving equipment | 4 | 4 | 3 | Children to stay away from Myuna Farm Mobile Ark during set up and Pack down. If help requested farmers will give clear instructions on what is required | Myuna Farm Ark staff |
| Myuna Farm Mobile Ark General Visit | Exposure to outdoor weather conditions | 3 | 4 | 2 | Children encouraged to wear hats and sunscreen if pen is exposed to elements | Teachers Guardians |
|  | Potential exposure to Flies and insects | 4 | 4 | 6 | Pen is kept tidy as possible, animals confined. | Myuna Farm Staff |
| Entering exiting pen | Potential risk of animal escaping | 2 | 0 | 3 | Farmer is present to open close door and assist patrons, patron discouraged from using door themselves.  Farmer will catch escapee. | Myuna Farm Staff |
|  | Risk of child jamming finger | 4 | 4 | 5 | Farmer, present to open close door. | Myuna Farm Staff |
| Running children | Slipping, tripping, falling | 3 | 6 | 2 | Children must be adequately supervised and instructed not to run in the mobile farm area | Myuna Farm Staff  Guardians |

RISK ASSESMENT MATRIX

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| Likelihood | Severity | Priority |
| 1 = Very likely, could happen at any time | 1 = Death or cause permanent disability | 1,2,3 = Top Priority, take action immediately |
| 2 = Likely to happen, could happen | 2 = Long term illness or serious injury | 4 = Moderate priority |
| 3 = Unlikely, could happen, but very rarely | 3 = Medical attention and or time off work | 5,6 = Low , take action where possible |
| 4 = Very unlikely, could happen but probably never will | 4 = First aid attention required |  |

Our Responsibilities:

* Carefully transport animals following Industry Guidelines
* Arrive 30 Minutes Prior to booked time to setup for the event.
* Make sure area selected is suitable for mobile farm display (\*see website for guidelines regarding site requirements)
* Provide animals with Fresh water. (\*Please advise if water is not available onsite)
* Provide appropriate Shading/Cover for animals.
* To secure shade covers to pen and not to erect in days of high wind.
* Setup and Pack down enclosure
* Carry a basic first aid kit as part of the Mobile Farm
* Supervise and instruct patrons with regards to animal welfare in the pen to the best of our ability
* Any animals that show signs of aggression will be immediately removed

**\*responsibility of event staff**

