

## The Farm

**Owen Farm** is a 200-acre farm located in Hopkinton, N.H. The farm features 30 acres of pastureland, 70 acres of mixed forest and a vegetable garden of about an acre. Campers enjoy a year-round brook, lots of woods for hiking and a small swimmable pond. Farm animals include sheep, cattle, horses, pigs and many chickens.

## The Farmers

**Ruth and Derek Owen** have been running their diversified family farm since the early 1960's. The Owens are known for their generosity in sharing their skills in homesteading and small-scale sustainable agriculture.

## Special Guests

Local artisans and teachers drop by to share their skills. Some of our past guest counselors include **Todd Aubertin**, native American flutes; **Ruth Smith**, nature; **Karen Booker**, crafts; **Monique Lamore**, yoga; **Diane LaChance**, Zentangle art; **Penny Owen**, drama and horsemanship; **Joab Owen**, woodworking and animal care.

## Directions

Link to Google Map:

<http://goo.gl/maps/xXrse>



Lunchtime for a piglet.

**Owen Farm, LLC**  
*Preserving the Past, Protecting the Future*  
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# Come to Farm Camp!



**July 7-August 15**  
**(four sessions)**

**At**  
**Owen Farm**  
**Hopkinton, NH**



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## Farm Camp at Owen Farm



**Farm Camp at Owen Farm** is a special time for kids ages 6-12 to get outdoors, learn where food comes from, be active in nature and experience life on a farm.

Campers feed and care for animals, gather eggs, work in the garden, identify plants and track animals in the woods, play games and do arts & crafts.

Every day is different at Farm Camp, but one thing remains the same—campers learn



about life on a farm and have fun doing it. Campers participate in farm chores such as egg gathering, checking sheep (including young lambs), feeding the chickens, training a calf to be haltered (when calf is available).

**Activities** vary daily. Depending upon weather and group choice, campers might learn about felting, butter making, soap making, spinning, drawing, journal writing, tree identification, bird watching, gardening or yoga. Swimming, nature walks and special activities led by guests are popular with campers.



Cheese making at the farm.

## A Day at Farm Camp

### A typical day at Farm Camp

- 9:00 AM **Morning Greetings**
- 9:15 **Morning Activity**  
We split into two groups, which alternate daily. One group does horsemanship, the other farm chores.
- 10:30 **Snack Time**
- 10:45 **Craft, Garden or Nature Activity**
- 11:45 **Lunch**
- 12:30 **Afternoon Activity**  
Special Guest/Swimming or Quiet Time
- 1:30 **Free Time**  
Harvest from garden, as available.
- 3:30 **End of Day**



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## Registration

Choose one or more of our four sessions

I. July 7-11

III. July 28-August 1

II. July 21-25

IV. August 11-15

**Cost** is \$275 per camper per week; \$250 per camper for multiple sessions or more than one family member. Scholarships are available; Call Ruth (225-2252) to discuss your needs.

Space is limited to eight campers per session.

No electronic devices are permitted.

Campers bring their own lunch and snacks, bathing suits, towel and sturdy shoes for animal activities, riding helmet, long pants and shorts, a journal or sketch book and rain wear, as needed.

<b>Child 1</b>	<b>Session(s)</b>
<b>Child 2</b>	<b>Session(s)</b>
<b>Parent(s)</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
<b>Town, State, Zip Code</b>	
<b>Phone</b>	<b>E-Mail</b>



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