

Maple Bottom Farm Photography Policy- 2023

All professional or amateur photographers and videographers and their clients must understand and adhere to the following policies and rules, which have been established to allow an enjoyable experience for all our guests. Photographers and clients must observe all posted farm rules. Maple Bottom Farm, it's owners and staff are not responsible for any loss, injury or damage while visiting.

Our business continues to grow. Space and times are first come first served within normal business hours. All photographers' clients pay the daily admission fee/person. Photographers can purchase a seasonal pass for \$75 or pay per session booked. Our regular days will be Thursday, Friday, Sunday 12:00-8:00, Saturday 10-8. Season pass holders can book extended golden hours and private appointments on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday. Email requests to maplebottomfarm1@gmail.com Respect the work and space of other photographers who may be around the farm. Those not following this policy may be asked to put away their equipment or leave the farm. If you bring clients when we are closed, we ask that you kindly have your customers make payment at The Red Shed with cash, Paypal or Venmo.

Pets: We recognize that furry friends are a part of the family, but we cannot accept them every day. Our pet day will be every Thursday. If you have a client who wants to include pets, please book a private session or schedule them for Thursday, or on one of our days when we are not "open" to the public.

Make sure your clients know where to meet and/or contact you. We recommend the main parking area.

Photo shoots must not block any farm activities such as paths, trails, equipment, buildings, etc. We ask that you only utilize the designated fields for pictures. It is a safety concern to use other parts of the farm, including the barn, farm equipment and other fields. Visitors are not permitted in buildings due to insurance reasons. If you would like to photograph inside the barns, with a tractor, cow, etc., please contact us. We will be happy to assist you.

Props: We will have a variety of props set in the fields throughout the season. Chairs, wagons, benches, picture frames, etc. Please do not bring anything bigger than a kitchen size chair into the maze for props. It can damage the paths and interfere with other maze attendees.

Respect and be aware of other maze attendees and what is going on around you. This is a working farm so there are often tractors, machinery and other work happening. Be aware of your surroundings.

Do not disturb the flowers. Do not go off the path. Do not leave any personal items unattended. We are not responsible for anything lost, broken, stolen or left behind.

We appreciate the talents of the photographers that use our farm and encourage you to share your best photos with us for us to use for promotional purposes and on social media. Please tag us on Facebook and Instagram! We utilize the hashtag #maplebottomfarm We will reserve the right to use any photographs that we are tagged for promotional purposes and will do our best to share your work on our pages.

We cannot control the weather or growing conditions. Please check Facebook for updates on operating hours and admission information. No refunds will be given.

We hope you have a great and fun photo shoot! Thanks for supporting and enjoying the farm!

Our anticipated bloom schedule:

End of July – sunflowers, zinnias, cosmos, wildflowers. We will not open to the public until at least August 4, but there is a chance we will have some blooms at the end of the month for our Season Pass holders.

August – sunflowers, zinnias, cosmos. Target close date for full/regular yellow sunflowers is end of August. We will have 5 acres blooming in mid August.

By signing this form, you agree to adhere to the above policies and rules.

Photographers Name (Printed): _____

Business Name: _____ Include your business on our partner page:(circle)Y/N

Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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We look forward to you photographing your clients at the farm.

This waiver is valid for the 2022 flower season.

“AGREEMENT AND WARNING: I understand and acknowledge that, except for limited circumstances listed below, an agritourism activity provider is not liable for any injury to or death of a participant resulting from an agritourism activity. I understand that I have accepted all risk of injury, death, property damage and other loss that may result from an agritourism activity. I understand that an agritourism activity provider is not protected from liability if the provider: (1) Performs an act in a grossly negligent manner and causes injury or damages to a participant. (2) Purposefully causes a participant’s injury. (3) Acts or fails to act in a way that constitutes criminal conduct. (4) Recklessly fails to warn or guard against a dangerous condition that causes injury or damages to a participant. A dangerous condition is a condition that creates an imminent and substantial risk of injury or damages to a participant.”

Group /Business Name: _____

Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____