

Photography Policy

Our beautiful farm and fields of colourful pumpkins, maize and sunflowers are perfect for photography. We welcome our PYO Pumpkin guests during our open times in October however we do have some guidelines for you to follow.

General Photography Guidelines

- Please be respectful and aware of other people whilst taking photos.
- Whilst taking photographs please try to not include other families closeup especially children.
- We allow a camera only. No lighting, ladders, props, drones etc
- You are welcome to walk and photograph anywhere within the perimeter of the pumpkin fields.
- The perimeter is marked by straw bales, maize, sunflowers, orange fencing or occasionally a ditch. Please do not leave the pumpkin fields and wander into other crops however pretty they are.
- You must not climb on any structure to get a height advantage this includes wheelbarrows, trees, pylons and straw bales
- We expect all visitors to be respectful of our farm and fields.
- We work really hard to make our fields look beautiful so that you can enjoy them. Please ensure all rubbish is disposed of in the bins provided.
- If you 'like' or 'follow' PYO Pumpkins on social media then you can tag Beluncle Farm or PYO Pumpkin
- Anyone not abiding by any portion of this policy will be asked to leave the field and farm immediately.

Our policies are subject to change without notice.

Professional Photography Guidelines

Our pumpkin fields are beautiful and love to be photographed. We strive to make them look their best. All visitors are welcome to the farm to enjoy the scenery and take photographs or videos, however we do require a site fee for professional photo shoots, videos or anything for monetary gain. These include photoshoots, engagement, wedding, family and senior portraits etc.

- You will need to pay a site fee in advance for you and your clients to enter the field as a professional photographer.
- It is your (the professional photographers) responsibility to email PYO Pumpkins to discuss the visit, site fee and obtain an agreement.
- Photo shoots or video shoots are available during normal opening hours 10am to 4pm (10am to 1pm at certain times) unless by prior arrangement and outside of these times additional costs will be incurred to cover staffing and sole use.
- Photography/ Video agreements should be bought with you on the day(s) and are subject to checking as requested.
- Any professional photographers who do not have an agreement will be asked to leave.
- Site fees are non-refundable, valid for 1 day as detailed on the agreement and need to be made in advance. Additional days may be purchased at a reduced amount.
- The site fee is £25 with additional days being £10 each.
- We will use our discretion to limit the number of professional photographers in the field on a particular day if necessary.
- We ask that photoshoot groups of people be limited to 10 people at a time and please describe how you intend to liaise with your clients
- Please ensure your clients know how and where to meet you as we will be unable to provide assistance during the day.
- Even with the site fee paid you are not allowed sole use of an area. You may not block or close any area off from other visitors.
- **Absolutely no drones** are allowed in the pumpkin field, car park, farm buildings or over other farm land farmed by Riverside farmers.
- Your photography, equipment and clients may not impact our business in anyway.
- When choosing a location for your photoshoot it must not be near one of our photo opportunities or hinder /obstruct the flow of people on our farm.

- If using Video, you must ensure that only your clients are recognisable in your videos and if on editing you find any other visitors you must not use their pictures.
- We allow cameras, video equipment, lenses and bags only. No lighting, ladders, props, drones etc
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- We expect all visitors to be respectful of our farm and fields.
- As a professional photographer it is advised that you hold your own public libility insurance whilst at PYO Pumpkins.
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Professional Photography Interest Form

<u>Name</u>
Business Name
Phone number
Email address
Brief Description of proposed photoshoot
(please include days, dates, numbers of people, what you propose doing and any other information you think needs to be given)
I have read the professional photography guidelines and agree to abide by them.
SignatureDate
Please await confirmation from PYO Pumpkins before organising clients and paying the site fee. Additional days can be added once initial permission has been given.
Bank Details for site fee Riverside Farmers, HSBC, 40-43-44, 81302043, Reference your name.
Email this form back to pyopumpkins@btinternet.com