

## MILLETS FARM CENTRE PICK YOUR OWN TERMS AND CONDITIONS SUMMER 2022

Please see below PYO terms and conditions for the Summer of 2022 from 21st May onwards until further notice:

### BOOKING CONDITIONS:

- Entry will be granted to those with admission tickets. This includes all children 2 years or over, disabled visitors.
- Registered carers may enter the field free of charge with disabled visitors. Please show evidence of your carer status on entry.
- All children under 16 years old are required to be supervised fully during their visit by an adult over the age of 18 years.
- Toddlers and babies under 2 years old do not require an admission ticket and may enter with a full paying adult.
- The 15 minutes window shown on your tickets is your admission time. You are welcome to stay in the fields until you have finished picking your preferred amount of fruit. The fields will close for the day at 5.30pm.
- Your booking reference number will be required at the entrance kiosk to verify your tickets.
- Pre-booked admission tickets are non-refundable and are valid for the session they have been booked for only.
- If you let us know you are not able to attend your pre-booked session **before the start of that session**, we can transfer your booking to an alternative session subject to availability. Please email [bookings@milletsfarmcentre.com](mailto:bookings@milletsfarmcentre.com) **before the start of the session** with your booking reference, reason for amendment and the date you'd like the booking moved to in order for us to process this. Please allow up to 48 hours for any ticket amendments to be actioned. We will only be able to move your booking for you once. Unfortunately if we do not hear from you **before the start of the session** you were due to attend your ticket will not be moved or refunded as we will have been unable to sell your spaces to another customer.
- We are only able to make 1 change to pre booked tickets. Change of date requests must be confirmed within 2 weeks of a missed booking, or your booking will no longer be valid.
- Please be aware there are some circumstances beyond our control that might mean we have to close the PYO. In the event that we are unable to run a session due to inclement weather or a shortage of fruit we will contact all customers by email in advance of the session and arrange to move the booking to a different session or offer a full refund.

### ON ENTRY:

- Please come dressed appropriately for uneven ground and the weather of the day. Whilst the fruit is undercover, getting to and from the tunnels is outside. We cannot take any responsibility for damage to footwear or other personal effects.

- Follow the signs for the designated PYO car park (next to the Sprouts car park).
- Please arrive no sooner than 10 minutes before and no later than 10 minutes after the start of your session.
- Order of entry for your timed session will be on a first come first serve basis, but everyone with tickets booked for that session will be guaranteed entry.
- Please note there are no toilet facilities in the fields and the nearest toilets are at the side of the Farm Shop.
- Fruit must be purchased by container, on the day before entering the fields.
- A minimum of 1 punnet of fruit per 2 adults entering the fields must be purchased. Entry will not be permitted, and admission tickets refunded should a group decide they don't wish to purchase this level of fruit.
- You will be given the appropriate number of containers for the amount of fruit you have per purchased only. Picking into any other container is not permitted as we have no way of weighing and charging for the fruit on exiting the field.
- You must pick the correct fruit into the correct container and different types of fruit should not be mixed.
- You are able to bring previous Millets containers back on a later visit, providing the pre purchased fruit for that booking matches the container you are returning with.
- No oversized bags or rucksacks or food of any kind are permitted in the fields. This includes bags underneath pushchairs.
- Be aware of uneven ground and trip hazards – you will be in a field!
- No dogs, with the exception of service dogs, are allowed in the fields.

## CONDUCT IN THE FIELDS

- For your own health and safety **DO NOT** duck under or between rows in any of the polytunnels at any time – stay on the mown tracks between the rows of crops at all times.
- Keep moving through the tunnel to avoid a backlog of people building up - the best fruit is at the end of the tunnel anyway!
- Pick only from the open tunnels. Tunnels are marked as **CLOSED for your safety**. This fruit is not ready for eating. Even if you think it may look good!
- We strongly recommend you do not eat any fruit until you have been able to wash it at home.
- Once you have finished picking please leave the fields following the Exit signs.
- Please take any litter home with you.
- Entry to any of the crops or areas of the farm that are not signed as being open is strictly forbidden and anybody found doing so will be asked to leave the PYO fields immediately. No refund will be given.
- Anybody seen to deliberately ignore any of our Rules of Picking will be asked to leave the Farm with immediate effect.