



AGRITOURISM



Back Forty Beef Adventure Farm & Corn Maze (Pierpont) -

Get up close with farm animals, play games, jump into the corn pit, crawl through the hay tunnel, and dine at food trucks. Explore the 12-acre corn maze, visit checkpoints, and collect special offers from area businesses. After all the playing is done, stop by our farm shop to purchase some of our homegrown beef, as well as pumpkins and gourds from area growers, Stensland Ice-cream, and so much more from other local vendors.

Bear Butte Gardens (Sturgis) - Bear Butte Gardens is more than just a farm – it's a vibrant hub of community, education, and delicious homegrown goodies. This family-run farm offers a rich variety of experiences, including hands-on cooking classes, farm-to-table dinners featuring fresh, organic ingredients, and interactive gardening workshops. Visitors can also enjoy guided farm tours.

Belle Joli Winery (Sturgis) - At Belle Joli's Sparkling House, you'll find an awe-inspiring outdoor patio that overlooks a lush 5-acre vineyard, nestled against the majestic ponderosa pines of the rugged Black Hills of Sturgis. Stop by for daily tastings—no reservation needed—or indulge in our refreshing mimosa flights, available on weekends. For a more exclusive experience, book a Platinum Tasting, offered daily by reservation.



Big Stone Pumpkin Patch (Big Stone City) - Experience the best of fall at Big Stone Pumpkin Patch, open seasonally near Big Stone City. Pick your own pumpkin or choose from a variety of pre-picked pumpkins in all sizes, plus unique gourds, specialty pumpkins, Indian corn, straw bales, and corn shocks. Enjoy family-friendly activities like hayrides, a corn maze, a jumping pillow, a corn dig, climbing bales, and barrel train rides.

Dry Creek Farm & Ranch (Caputa) - Dry Creek Farm & Ranch is a first-generation operation specializing in pastured meats, soil health, and community education. Field trips and farm tours are welcome year-round.

Farm Life Creamery (Ethan) - At Farm Life Creamery, enjoy handcrafted small batch artisan cheese, on-farm, using Grade A milk from the family's Holstein herd. You can buy handcrafted cheese, gift boxes, and cheese trays on-site at the Farm Store, have a tour and learn more about cheesemaking and milk bottling, enjoy fresh rolled ice cream, made as you watch, and experience our friendly farm animals, petting zoo, and 18-hole miniature golf.

Fleurish Flower Farm (Elk Point) - This half-acre, picturesque flower farm grows more than 50 varieties of specialty flowers. During the flower season (mid-July to October), the farm is open for the ever popular You-Pick nights. Live music and local food vendors complete the delightful evenings, making Fleurish Flower Farm the perfect outing for dates, families, or girls' nights!

The Good Earth Farm (Lennox) - A working farm using sustainable practices to grow vegetables, care for animals, and create a true farm-to-table experience. Join The Good Earth Farm during the summer for events like pizza nights, sourcing all locally grown ingredients to create delicious wood-fired pizzas.



Mazing Acres Pumpkin Patch (Yankton) - Mazing Acres Pumpkin Patch is a vibrant destination offering more than 30 attractions, perfect for a day of family fun. Visitors can explore a challenging corn maze, pick their own pumpkins and flowers, enjoy seasonal treats, and visit the farm animals. Mazing Acres also offers unique activities like a jumping pillow, giant slides, pedal carts, a paintball gallery, and some of the best photo opportunities around! Seasonal events include festivals, live music, and themed weekends. It's an ideal fall destination for creating memorable experiences in the South Dakota countryside.



Sanderson Gardens (Aurora) - Sanderson Gardens, located north of Aurora and east of Brookings, offers "new food at used prices." The seasonal pick-your-own produce includes asparagus, strawberries, raspberries, aronia berries, horseradish, rhubarb, pumpkins and gourds.

Serendipity Farmstead (Hot Springs) - Serendipity Farmstead has transformed 27 acres of overgrazed grassland into a thriving, sustainable food oasis. Home to a diverse array of animals, including llamas, Tibetan yaks, goats, chickens, turkeys, pigs, sheep, and cattle, the farm operates with a deep commitment to regenerative agriculture. Their small orchard and extensive gardens provide a bounty of fresh produce, while a tropical greenhouse allows them to grow citrus and tropical fruits year-round. Visitors can explore the farm through a variety of tours, from hands-on animal encounters to educational experiences that showcase the inner workings of a self-sustaining homestead.

Stockyards Ag Experience (Sioux Falls) - The Stockyards Ag Experience tells the story of the impact of agriculture on South Dakota and the region. The exhibit takes the visitor on a journey through the history of the Sioux Falls Stockyards (1917-2009). It develops the connection between agriculture and daily life with learning experiences that highlight history, science, culture, and economic impact.



Valiant Vineyards Winery (Vermillion) - Visit South Dakota's oldest winery, located just minutes from downtown Vermillion. Stop in, and a wine expert will guide you through an original South Dakota wine experience. The spectacular setting overlooking the Missouri River valley offers a relaxing escape from the ordinary. While at the winery, enjoy the hospitality of the Buffalo Run Resort, where overnight guests experience a unique bed and breakfast.

With the Wind Vineyard & Winery (Rosholt) - Resting atop the rolling prairie in northeastern South Dakota, With the Wind Vineyard & Winery marries the panorama of the peaceful sunsets with each of their handcrafted wines. The Winery Tasting Room is open for walk-in guests on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays.



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