

BONFARMHOUSE RULES AND REGULATION

1. Staying with a family

Please remember that you are living with a family, which means that there is certain social obligations involved vis-à-vis other family members. Be friendly and polite to everybody. Try to adapt as best as possible to new folkways and habits. And please remember: you have not booked a hotel, nor are you a simple renter. You are staying with a family and making a contribution in the family household. Please note that our business of homestay is only an alternate livelihood and not a full time.

2. Check in after 12 PM & Check out after Breakfast 9PM

As you check-in your homestay, join your hosts in checking your room, making sure that everything is in proper condition. Ask questions if you are uncertain about anything. This way, you can avoid problems or disagreements regarding anything missing or broken later on.

3. Meals and beverages

As you know we provide only room and breakfast, we don't not serve lunch (family members are involved in farm-work during the day). We provide dinner on advance request and any other meals and beverages apart from said is not provided by the family thus you are expected to take care for it yourself. Please discuss these matters with us and do not simply use our food and beverages without clearing things first.

4. Guide / Nature walk/ Bird-watching /Special interest /Vehicle hire/Sightseeing tours

Please do inform us if you need guide service for nature walk /trek/bird-watching /any other special interest/vehicle hire/sightseeing tours in the time of booking or in advance as we need prior notice for arrangements of these services. These services are chargeable and not included in the tariff.

5. **Internet**

The host-family is connected to the internet but you should expect to have to arrange your own surf-stick in order to have personal internet access. Should the host-family permit you to access the internet do note the following that should not be used for commercial purposes or in any way that infringes on state/federal/international laws regarding libel or copyright. In sum: any illegal internet activity at our home is thus explicitly and fully prohibited. You carry full legal liability with respect to any and all use of the internet via our homestay, including use by others who may join you during such use. Your homestay hosts assume no liability with regard to any damage or loss (e.g. due to a virus) resulting from use of their equipment. Use of the host-family's computer and/or wireless access is only possible if explicitly permitted by us, and is subject to our conditions.



6. Energy/Laundry

Energy is considerably expensive in Sikkim, so be prudent when using it. Please do not take unduly long showers (once a day) and switch off the geyser/lights once used and turn down the heating in your room when leaving the house. Laundry is chargeable.

7. Hygiene

Please do not leave the bathroom (toilet) in a messy condition. Remove hair etc. Clean up After using it. The same goes for your room. Make sure it is kept clean and tidy. House-keeping service provided only on request.

8. Communication regarding your presence and absence

On a regular basis, when you leave the farm, it is vital for the hosts to know when to expect your return. Inform them about your travel plans as well.

- 9. Room service is not available.
- 10. Luggage is not in our risk and please do take care of it and please make an effort to carry your own luggage to your room and vice versa
- 11. Loud music or noise in the guest rooms is prohibited as a mark of comfort of other guests.
- 12. There is no elevator.
- 13. Bonfarmhouse is a Smoke-free Property. Smoking is allowed outside the rooms only.
- 14. Rates are on per room basis, for 2 people maximum occupancy and include breakfast.
- 15. Only 1 extra bed is allowed per room on additional payment as per the rate in the website.
- 16. Items left behind: If items left behind require you to contact us for return will be chargeable as per the courier rate.
- 17. Guests are required to provide Passport/Visa /Voter ID details at the time of Check In & fill up registration form & guest register as required by the Law.
- 18. Please hand over the room keys each time you leave the room or in check -out
- 19. Drinking of Alcohol is not permitted.
- 20. If you are not comfortable with the rules and regulation you are free to check-out of the property with notice to us.

You have chosen to live in a family in a foreign culture: that takes some courage and motivation, so we congratulate you!

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