

2017 PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY POLICY

FEES

- 1 hour: \$50
- 2 hours: \$100
- 3 hours: \$125
- 4 hours: \$150
- 5 hours: \$175
- 6 hours & up*: \$200

*Please confirm arrival and departure time when booking sessions longer than 6 hours.

DEPOSIT

A **20% deposit** is required for all photography appointments and is due at time of [online booking](#). Remainder of balance is due upon arrival day of session.

RESCHEDULING/CANCELLATIONS

- Booked sessions must be rescheduled or cancelled online **AT LEAST 48 hours** in advance to receive a refund of initial 20% deposit.
- Cancellations made within 48 hours of booked session will forfeit the initial 20% deposit.
- No-shows on day of booked session will be charged **100% of the full session fee** for time booked.
- Should Spring Creek Growers staff need to cancel sessions due to inclement weather, emergency, etc. every effort will be made to reschedule those sessions. If another date is unable to be scheduled, all deposits will be refunded in full.

We provide:

- 30 total acres of scenic views
- 20 acres of gorgeous Christmas tree fields
- 2 lakeside settings
- Benches, picnic tables, and other seating for resting between or during sessions
- Rustic barns, tree house & other antique buildings for photo ops
- Handicap accessible, indoor restroom facilities & outdoor restroom facilities
- Ample parking space for you and your clients

2017 PHOTOGRAPHY AVAILABILITY

OCTOBER

- Fridays: Oct. 20th, 27th (1:00 PM - 7:00 PM)
- Saturday: Oct. 21st (9:00 AM - 7:00 PM)
- Sundays: Oct. 22nd, 29th (1:00 PM - 7:00 PM)

NOVEMBER

- Friday Nov. 3rd (1:00 PM - 7:00 PM)
- Sundays: Nov. 5th, 12th (1:00 PM - 6:00 PM)
- Sat. Nov. 18th (9:00 AM - 6:00 PM)
- Sun. Nov. 19th (10:00 AM - 6:00 PM)
- Mon. 20th, Tue. 21st, Wed. 22nd (1:00 PM - 6:00 PM)

(All dates listed in red take place during normal Christmas tree farm retail hours. Please be aware that other customers will be onsite.)

We recommend beginning your final client's photos no later than 1 hour before closing time. Please allow time for set-up and take-down when scheduling sessions/clients.

****NO professional photography is permitted after Thanksgiving Day.****

Thank you for choosing Spring Creek Growers for your photography session!

Please let us know if we can provide any assistance to make your experience special. We look forward to your visit!

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- All photography performed at Spring Creek Growers must have an advance and approved reservation prior to any photos being taken. Appointments must be booked through: <https://springcreekgrowers.acuityscheduling.com> By scheduling a session through our online booking system, you hereby agree to all terms and conditions listed within this policy.
- **All photographers must check in inside the farmhouse (straight ahead as you drive into the farm) prior to setting up. You will be issued a lanyard. Session time will begin upon check-in and end upon check-out. Please return lanyard upon departure.**
- Please ensure that clients have your direct contact information. The farm is 30 acres, so they'll need an easy way to find you when they arrive. Spring Creek Growers staff is not responsible for directing clients to your photoshoot location.
- Please be aware that multiple photographers and their clients will likely be onsite during your booked session. Please be professional and courteous. There are 30 acres of beautiful property to work with.
- Spring Creek Growers is a fully-operating farmstead. Please take into consideration weather and the natural environment as you and your clients prepare for your visit with us. Boots or close-toed shoes are highly recommended. Dress for the weather!
- Vehicles are not allowed in Christmas tree fields under any circumstances. All props, furniture, etc. must be carried to your photoshoot location. We recommend bringing a wagon to transport props or other items.
- Photography fees must be paid directly from the photographer to Spring Creek Growers. A 20% deposit is required, and the remainder balance must be paid upon arrival at the farm before photoshoot begins.
- The photographer and all photographer's clients will hold harmless Spring Creek Growers for any injuries sustained during photography sessions and is not responsible for injuries that may occur from poses or requests by photographer during sessions.
- Spring Creek Growers reserves the right to prohibit any business disruptions to daily operations or to regular customers due to photography sessions. If any fixed or temporary objects are moved or damaged during photography, the photographer will be held responsible for replacement and/or payment. Spring Creek Growers also reserves the right to prohibit inappropriate attire on premises at any time.
- Any props, clothing, furniture, ornaments or other objects used for a photo shoot must be removed at the end of the session. A \$15 clean-up fee will be charged if items remain.
- We ask that all children under 12 years of age be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- Use care and caution around animals, moving vehicles, and landscaping. Please adhere to all safety advisories surrounding animal pens and tractor lanes.
- Dogs are allowed on the farm, but must remain on a leash at all times. Waste must be removed and disposed of properly. Waste bags are provided at the greeting station for this purpose.
- No public area may be closed or blocked to customers during regular business hours during a session. Please do not block tractor lanes during normal business hours.
- Every possible effort will be made to accommodate re-scheduling due to a weather event. Only session dates listed are available for rescheduling. Please contact the office with any questions.