

Yew Tree News

The nights are drawing in and Winter is nearly upon us. Our alpacas are starting to look cuddly as we look forward to our Christmas Fair season with anticipation. Take time to review our Summer news and be sure to note our extended range of dates for our [Yew Tree Christmas Shop](#). We exhibited at the [Country Living Christmas fair in London](#), this year for the first time! Details of our other upcoming fairs are listed on page 2.



Three Brown Girls

Four baby alpaca were born at Yew Tree this year. The first Xander, was born premature approx 6 weeks early and very sadly didn't make it. On X Ray at 10 days old the vet found his internal organs had not developed properly. The other three, all girls, are doing really well. Annie, Queena and Rollo, all are brown in colour.

One of the mums is Enya our grey girl. We were hoping to breed a grey cria, so mated her with Boris our white stud. It's difficult to breed greys and so it proved, she produced brown baby Annie!



All Mobilities Welcome

We were thrilled to welcome residents from our local Buntingford care home Layston Grove, and also Jubilee House in Welwyn this Summer. Our visitors had a range of disability levels including many in wheelchairs. All enjoyed seeing the Yew Tree alpaca fleeces and yarns and most of all our alpacas. The visit also included feeding our girls carrots and seeing the new baby cria. Planning a special event for 2020 why not celebrate with our alpacas contact us [01763 848257](tel:01763848257) or email info@yewtreealpacas.co.uk.



World Cup Winners!

At the end of May, just before the Fifa Womens world cup, we were delighted to welcome the world cup winners, the US women's soccer team. Twenty seven of the 60 strong squad visited Yew Tree Alpacas for an alpaca walk and cakes prior to travelling to France for the World Cup. We were their chosen leisure visit to help throw off jet lag! Unfortunately the weather didn't play ball! However the girls enjoyed their walk and it was our fastest Alpaca walk ever. Little did we know at the time they are superstars in the USA!

DON'T MISS.....

Yew Tree Christmas Shop

All week.....Monday 2nd – Saturday 7th December

Selected days...

Friday 13th & Saturday 14th December, Friday 20th & Saturday 21st December

OPEN EACH DAY 10.30am - 4.30pm

This is the only time in the year when you can just turn up at Yew Tree!

Yew Tree Christmas Shop

Our Christmas fair season this year has covered London, Suffolk, and Hertfordshire. Although it's now completed there's still chances to buy at our Christmas shop. Not only a wide range of alpaca gift ideas but also Leiselle's luxurious chocolates, Christmas candles and artisan preserves from Cornwall. Of course you'll also see our girls grazing in the fields and babies Annie, Queena & Rollo.

Dates	Time	Location Details
Mon 2 nd - Sat 7th December Fri 13 th & Sat 14 th December Fri 20 th & Sat 21 st December	10.30-4.30pm each day	Yew Tree Cottage, Anstey, Near Buntingford, Hertfordshire, SG9 0DA.

January Walks available to book

We'd like to thank all of you who have put reviews on Facebook, Trip advisor or Google all of which show you had a really enjoyable time with us. Your taking the time to do this is really appreciated.

We will be increasing the number of walks for 2020. Our [January walks](#) are now nearly fully booked but for Wed Jan 15th there's still places available. There's not long to wait until our main season dates, these will be live on the website from **December 1st**.

For 2020 we will be adding additional cream tea walks on Wednesday afternoons these were so popular this year. Those of you looking to celebrate your special occasion with us, keep a look out for selected 'sparkling' cream tea dates. The walks fill up fast so to book go online to www.yewtreealpacas.co.uk/shop/alpaca-activities or call us for details on 01763 848257



Your Loyalty Rewarded! 15% OFF

We welcomed many returners this year coming back for a second visit either another walk or following an adventure visit. Our boys and girls are thrilled you come to visit them again!

As a thank you for visiting a second time we will give you a voucher for 15% off any future visits. Make sure you tell us when you arrive on the day! We'll give you a paper voucher with discount code to take away.



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