Farm Sitter Checklist

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Farm: _____ Dates: _____ to _____

☎️ Who to call

Owner	*name · phone · best time to reach*
Backup person	*someone nearby who knows the farm*
Large animal vet	*clinic · after-hours line*
Small animal vet	
Farrier / shearer	
Neighbour	*for loose stock or a second pair of hands*
Plumber / electrician	

📍 The property

Civic address for 911	*exactly as emergency services would need it*
Directions / landmarks	*which driveway, which gate*
Gates & locks	*which stay shut, which stay open (write codes in pencil)*
No-go areas	*wells, old dumps, soft ground, the bull pen*

🏠 The house

Keys / how to get in	
Main water shut-off	*where and which way to turn*
Breaker panel	*and which breakers run the waterers / heat lamps*
Heat	*thermostat · wood stove · furnace filter*
Sump pump / well pump	*what's normal, what to do if it stops*
Wifi	*network · password*
Garbage & recycling	*which day, where it goes*

🚜 Vehicles, fuel & supplies

Vehicles / tractor / ATV	*which can be used, where the keys are*
Fuel	*gas / diesel location · which machine takes which*
Feed & bedding storage	*and where the extra is if it runs out*
First aid (people & animals)	*kit locations · meds in the fridge?*
Fence repair	*tools, wire, insulators, energizer location*

Animals & daily chores

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Tick each day as it's done.

🐴 Animals

Name / group	Where they live	Feed & exact amount	Meds / watch for

🌅 Morning

Where	What & how much	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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🌇 Evening

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🚨 If something goes wrong

Animal down, colic, bloat	*call the vet first, then the owner*
Animals out	*where they usually go · who can help*
Power out	*which waterers / heaters stop · generator?*
Water frozen or no water	*backup water source*
Predator sign	*which animals to lock in early*

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