

Reindeer & Alpaca Hire

Our small herd of Reindeer and Alpacas interact with our visitors to Cob House every day and love the attention! Reindeer love nothing more than to be stroked on the noses and fed a little food, Alpacas are a little more aloof! Reindeer hire is around Christmas time due to their antlers being soft in the summer whilst their new set forms, this is hardened by October and they are then suitable to transport.

Our animals together with their handlers can come along to your venue to offer that unique magical experience to make your event memorable. Reindeer, as you know from Santa's sleigh, do not like to operate alone so we will always bring them in pairs, as we do with the Alpacas. The handlers are on hand to ensure that the welfare of the animals and customer safety is priority but also to answer those little questions that inquisitive minds have. The boys have large majestic antlers usually in velvet (can't guarantee!) whilst the girls are smaller and slightly more dainty without the velvet at Christmas time. Alpacas are really fluffy and are generally sheared around July time.

Our herd of Reindeer & Alpacas continually expands and you can come along and see some of them any day at Cob House completely free of charge. We also have little Dasher born on the 28th April 2014 who is the first Reindeer born in Worcester!

What do we provide?

We will provide 2 Reindeer or Alpacas for up to 3 hours
A 12 x 12ft enclosure for them
Straw bedding, (if required a waterproof ground sheet can also be provided).
Hand sanitisation
Trained handlers
Generic Risk Assessment can be provided if requested but we always advise you to carry out your own assessment.
Fully insured to the amount of £5m
All relevant licenses
Food for your guests/visitors to feed the Reindeer & Alpacas (until they are full!)
Information board

2015 season prices

Monday to Friday up to 19th December for up to 3 hours

Standard Charge	£350.00 plus VAT
Each additional hour	£75.00 plus VAT

Saturday, Sunday and weekday evenings for up to 3 hours

Standard Charge	£500.00 plus VAT
Each additional hour	£100.00 plus VAT
20 th – 24 th & 27 th – 30 th Dec (up to 5pm on 24 th)	£750.00 plus VAT
25 & 26th December (within 10 mile radius of Worcester)	£2,000.00 plus VAT

Transport to and from the venue will be charged at £1 per mile plus VAT from WR6 6YE

Reindeer & Alpacas do not like the rain or hot sunshine too much, so a sheltered area is the best place to position them. If this is not possible, please speak to us about supplying a shelter.