

Goats in Brooklyn



Ya herd?

Everyone's favorite grassmunching goats are coming to Prospect Park next month.

The small herd, which was brought to the park last year to help clear vegetation near the green space's famous Vale of Cashmere, has returned for another summer.

Last year, the six-goat crew was so good at their gig that they ate themselves out of a job and had to return to their upstate New York home. But they came back in August for a second round, as well as to provide nature-starved New Yorkers a great excuse to visit the park.

The Prospect Park Alliance is hosting a special "Fun on the Farm" day to welcome the goats back to the park on May 21. Attendees can take a tour of the goats' work area in the park's woodlands, learn how sheep's fleece is turned into wool at the Lefferts History House, and see a sheepshearing demonstration at the Prospect Park Zoo.

The event is free and open to the public.

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