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KingsBrook Farm: A Little Farm with Lots of Love

At the end of our street, there is a pretty little farm. The farm may not have large fields of crops, but it holds a lot of love. This farm is called KingsBrook Farm and is owned by a kind lady named Kristin and her family. Farming is important to our local community because it provides fresh food and jobs and gives life to the land. Farming also brings together family, friends, and neighbors. KingsBrook Farm is not like other farms, it is very unique.

This farm provides homes for horses and has sheep, chickens, cats, dogs, and bees. This farm has a six-stall barn that is rented out to horse owners. They have lots of horses and even have three mini horses. The mini horses are named Stella, Zane, and Bob. The barn has five working dogs. King, Brook, Farmer, and Fendi are Maremma sheepdogs. They also have a friendly dog named Jojo, a pit bull mix. The dogs help herd and guard the animals of the farm. They keep our neighborhood safe by alerting us of predators in the area with their barking. The farm has twenty-three Icelandic sheep. They are very woolly when they have their coats. We stay away from the rams because it could be very dangerous if you are stuck in a pen with them. There are ten barn cats on the farm. One cat is named Gus. He comes to our doorstep every now and then to say hello. There are also lots of chickens. The female chickens are friendly, but the rooster is a grump!

Although the farm doesn't have fruits and vegetables, it provides other goods such as honey, horse stalls, pastures for grazing, eggs, lambs, and wool from the sheep. Kristin tests the soil on the farm to make sure the land is safe for the animals to graze. Kristin says her favorite thing about the farm is how it brings her family together. She also loves that neighbors are always keeping watch over the animals. We feel so lucky to be neighbors of KingsBrook Farm!