

MIKKOLA FARM (GROUP 4)

THIS PROJECT AIMS TO DEVELOP MIKKOLA FARM AS A SMALL SCALE AGROFORESTRY BASED RURAL LANDSCAPE THAT COMBINES TRESS , BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION AND AGRICULTURE.

PROJECT TIMELINE

Year 1- 2 Project planning

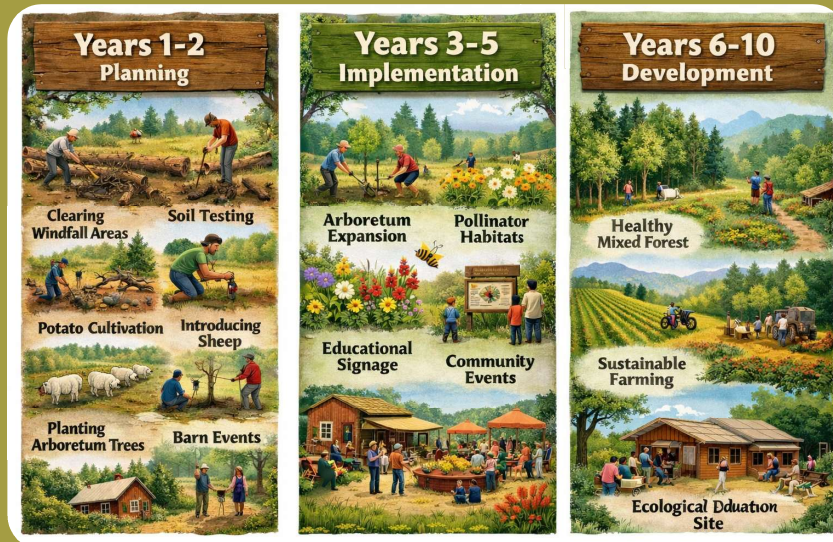
Clean unsafe windfall areas, test the soil to select suitable trees, and begin small-scale potato cultivation while introducing seasonal sheep grazing. Plant the first arboretum trees, organize small barn events, and establish a nature trail for visitors

Year 3 - 5 implementation

- Expand arboretum (15 - 20 species)
- Add biodiversity measures (pollinator strips, bird boxes)
- Develop educational signage
- Expand community events

Year 6 - 10 development

- Maintain mixed forest structure
- Stabilize low input agriculture
- Establish annual cultural and nature events
- Develop long term identity as an ecological educational site



PROJECT ACTIVITIESS

- Soil testing and site assessment
- Arboretum tree planting
- Low-input potato cultivation
- Pollinator strips and bird nesting boxes
- Seasonal sheep grazing

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- Improved biodiversity
- Healthy arboretum development
- Improved soil health
- Sustainable agriculture
- Increased environmental awareness

