

What is a CSA?

Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) programs unite farmers and families around fresh local food. Farmers grow a variety of vegetables in a natural, sustainable way and pick them at the peak of flavor and nutrition. The community supports their local farmers by purchasing shares of the harvest and picking them up each week during the growing season. Together the farmers and CSA members share in the rewards and risks of farming.



What is unique about this CSA?

Located in the beautiful Cuyahoga Valley National Park, the Greenfield Berry Farm aims to provide fresh, local, and naturally grown produce to our CSA members. Unlike a traditional single-farm CSA, we can provide consistent quality, quantity, and a wider variety of produce by working with other local farmers who share our passion for small-scale farming. Most of the produce will be from our farm, but we can get items from other local farms when we have a slow week or when they have something special that we don't. Summer CSA members also receive a \$20 voucher for pick-your-own berries from our farm.

What types of shares are available?

- Spring share (4 weeks; Friday pickup on 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, and 6/7)
- Summer share (14 weeks; Friday pickup on 6/14, 6/21, 6/28, 7/5, 7/26, 8/2, 8/9, 8/16, 8/23, 8/30, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, and 10/4)
Please note that there's a two-week break in July and a one-week break in September.
- Fall share (4 weeks; Friday pickup on 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, and 11/1)

Note: These dates reflect the likely schedule but could change based on growing conditions.

What can I expect in my share?

Each week you can expect to receive a variety of fresh local vegetables, which will vary with the season. Part of the fun of belonging to a CSA is in learning how the tapestry of produce changes with the time of year and local conditions. Our goal is to provide enough produce for a family of four each week to the best of our ability.

When and where do I pick up my share?

You will pick up your share on Fridays between 5 and 7 pm at the farm (2485 Major Road, Peninsula).

Shareholder Information/Agreement Form

I understand and agree to the terms of the Greenfield Berry Farm CSA and am making a commitment to the 2024 growing season.

I recognize that there is no guarantee on the amount of produce in a week's share.

I understand that I am responsible for cleaning and proper handling after pickup.

I understand and agree to pick up my share on the specified day and during scheduled hours. (If you are unable to pick up your share, we can hold it for one day. Otherwise, please make arrangements to have a friend or neighbor pick it up for you.)

Finally, I understand that farming comes with many risks, such as drought, floods, insect damage, etc. I am willing to share in both the risks and rewards along with the farmers and other CSA members.



Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Please check all that apply:

___ Spring share (4 weeks) - \$150

___ Summer share (14 weeks for returning members) - \$475

___ Summer share (14 weeks for new members) - \$500

___ Fall share (4 weeks) - \$150

Total: \$ _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Please send a \$100 deposit to secure your CSA share.

Full payment is due by May 1 for spring shares, June 1 for summer shares, and October 1 for fall shares.

Please sign and return to:
Greenfield Berry Farm 2485 Major Road Peninsula, Ohio 44264