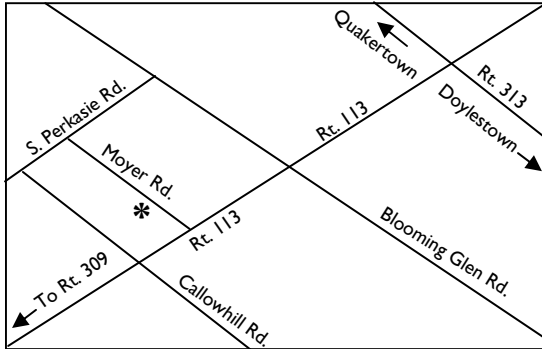


Directions to Blooming Glen Farm:

From 309– Exit 113/Souderton. Proceed 4.5 miles north on 113. Turn left onto Moyer Rd. The farm is on your left.

From 313– Proceed 2.3 miles south on 113. Turn right onto Moyer Rd. Farm is on left.



Fill out the 2008 registration form and mail it in with your payment. You can download one from our website, or call or email us if you need one mailed to you. Space is limited so register early to reserve your spot as a member of the Blooming Glen Farm CSA for the 2008 season.

For more information

Phone: 215-257-2566

Website: www.bloomingglenfarm.com

Email: info@bloomingglenfarm.com

*“We do not inherit the earth
from our ancestors,
we borrow it from our children”*

-Ancient Native American Proverb

Harvest Expectations

Late Spring/ Early Summer

Arugula, asian greens (bok choy, red mustard, mizuna) basil, beets, broccoli raab, cabbage, carrots, collards, cucumbers, endive/escarole, fennel, garlic scapes, herbs, kale, kohlrabi, lettuce, radishes, scallions, spinach, spring onions, spring peas, strawberries, swiss chard, turnips

Mid- Summer

Basil, beans, beets, carrots, cherry tomatoes, cilantro, cucumbers, dill, eggplant, garlic, hot peppers, lettuce, melons (cantaloupe and watermelon), okra, peppers, potatoes, summer squash, sweet corn, sweet onions, swiss chard, tomatoes, heirloom tomatoes, herbs and flowers

Late Summer/ Fall

Arugula, basil, beets, broccoli, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, celeriac, cilantro, collards, dill, eggplant, endive/escarole, garlic, hot peppers, kale, leeks, lettuce, melons, onions, parsnips, peppers, potatoes, radicchio, shallots, spinach, strawberries, summer squash, sweet potatoes, swiss chard, tomatoes, heirloom tomatoes, turnips, winter radish, winter squash, herbs and flowers

** This list gives you an idea of the crops we grow and when. Because the farm is a living system, sustained by the sun and earth, there are no guarantees to the exact types and quantities of produce you will receive. See our website for more information.*

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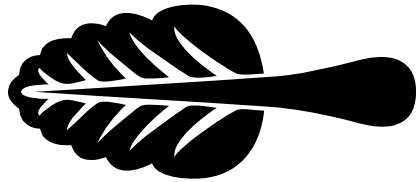
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What is Community Supported Agriculture?

Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) is a mutually beneficial relationship between a local farm and the community of people who receive the food the farm produces. Members purchase a share of the harvest in the spring and in return receive a weekly supply of fresh seasonal vegetables. The members agree to share the inherent benefits and risks of the agricultural season.



Why CSA?

People are increasingly separated from the source of their food. Community Supported Agriculture is a creative response to this crisis. It is a model that emphasizes locally grown, which promotes a local economy, and a safe food system. Participation in a CSA leads to a deeper understanding of our interdependence on one another and the land. The farm supplies not only fresh, nutritious food, but an opportunity for a community to come together to develop a sense of place, to reconnect with one another and the rhythms of the seasons, and to preserve open space as working farms.



What is a share and how does it work?

As a member of Blooming Glen Farm CSA you will receive an assortment of vegetables from late May to early-November. Our farm share consists of seasonal, freshly harvested vegetables, including familiar as well as more unusual heirloom varieties. Your share will also include special pick-your-own crops as available: herbs, flowers, green beans, peas, strawberries and cherry tomatoes. You will pick up your vegetables once a week, either on a Tuesday or Friday from 2 to 8 pm. In anticipation of the harvest, we ask that you choose a designated pick up day for the duration of the season.

Shares may be split between people but the logistics are up to the sharer. We do ask that the entire share is picked up at one time, and we strongly suggest that split partners alternate pick-up weeks. It is important that everyone who will be regularly picking up at the farm be registered and receive our newsletter. This is essential for us to be able to communicate necessary information.

What does a share cost?

The cost of a 2008 share is \$780. If you have found a split partner, it is \$400 each. In addition, we ask that each full share contributes 4 hours of work for the farm in a season (or 2 hours per split share). The contributions and creativity of the members is essential to the health and sustainability of our farm community.

The share price reflects the real costs of growing high quality vegetables. By eliminating the costs of packaging, shipping and marketing, the farmer receives a fair share of the profit. The average produce at the supermarket travels 1500 miles. Comparatively, we can offer you delicious flavor, picked at the peak of ripeness, as well as varieties rarely found at the store. You will have the benefit of personally knowing the farmers who grow your food and the land it comes from. We believe this adds up to a better value for your food dollar.

Join now and
share the harvest!



Who are the farmers?

Tom Murtha and Tricia Borneman have been farming together for eight years. We have one young daughter, Dakota. We have worked on organic farms in Connecticut, Oregon, New Jersey and Pennsylvania and have been involved in all matters of diverse vegetable production and marketing. We returned to Bucks County where Tricia grew up because we are committed to preserving and encouraging the rich agricultural heritage of this region. We have partnered with Henry and Charlotte Rosenberger who own the land that is Blooming Glen Farm. They share our vision for encouraging sustainable agriculture in Bucks County. The Rosenbergers also currently own and operate Tussock Sedge Farm, offering grass fed, grain finished, hormone and antibiotic free, beef.

What is our vision?

We strive to be good stewards of the land through sustainable farming practices. Our crops are grown without synthetic fertilizers, pesticides, herbicides or genetically modified organisms. We use compost, cover crops, mulching and crop rotation to encourage healthy soil and plants and to build long term fertility. We believe a healthy body is inseparable from a healthy soil. Through the CSA experience we hope to encourage a sense of place by reconnecting people with the land that sustains them.