

# September 14<sup>th</sup> & 15th 2006 Newsletter

## *Berries on Bryan Station Farm*

### *“Better Food for a Healthier You”*

Welcome to your eighteenth basket pickup. We are thankful for another bountiful week. Here is what we have for you this week:

#### **Raspberries**

We have had a number of members enjoy picking lots of berries. Please stop by whenever your schedule permits. You may want to call ahead to confirm when you are coming. Feel free to bring a friend to help! The new veggies include:

#### **Sweet Potatoes**

#### **Yukon Gold Potatoes**

#### **Pumpkins**

#### **Ornamental gourds**

#### **Ornamental Corn**

#### **Sunflower Head for Birds**

#### **Butternut Squash**

#### **Shallots and Onions**

#### **Tomatoes**

#### **Green and Yellow Beans**

#### **Corn Stalks**

I will have precut corn stalks ready so that you can arrange attractive Fall decorations.

#### **Choice Table**

The choices this week include Eggplant, Okra and Cabbage. I am trying hard to keep up with the okra so that it is picked while it is small and tender.

#### **Peppers**

#### **Herbs**

I will have a prepicked assortment for you to choose from.

#### **Cut Flowers**

Baby's Breath, Gloriosa daisies and colorful zinnias will be cheering up your home this week.

#### **Leaf Lettuces**

The cool weather has benefited some late summer plantings of lettuce.

#### **Picnic**

Please remember that our picnic is on Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m. We'll have yard games set up. Please pack swim gear and towels for family members who would like to swim in the small pool and play in the hot tub. Please also bring a dish to share and a beverage. We will provide grilled hamburgers, chicken breasts, hot dogs, buns, lemonade, plates, and plastic cutlery. Please RSVP so that we can plan for the quantity of meat to purchase.

The last pickup days will likely be September 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for your support.

See you next week,

Erik Walles & Family (Gayle, Brett & Grant)

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## Questionnaire

1. How do you rate your overall experience?
2. What did you like best?
3. What did you like least?
4. What can we do better next year?
5. What would you like to see more of?
6. To what extent would you like to see us apply for organic certification? Costs include about \$400 per year to apply plus a lot of paperwork and inspections.
7. Next year would you be interested in separately buying fruit pies, eggs, and jam?
8. Would you like to join our CSA next year?
9. Would you prefer a different day of the week and time for pickup next year?
10. Did you like the newsletter?
11. Would you like to see more photos or more recipes?

12. Name(Optional)

13. For the following veggies and berries, please circle your favorites and cross out your least favorites. (No limit on the number circled or crossed out).

Lettuce  
Spinach  
Onions  
Garlic  
Shallots  
Arugula  
Strawberries  
Blueberries  
Blackberries  
Raspberries  
Peppers  
Zucchini  
Summer Squash  
Sweet Corn  
Tomatoes  
Cabbage  
Beets  
Radishes  
Broccoli  
Okra  
Rhubarb  
Eggplant  
Peanuts  
Potatoes  
Watermelon  
Cantaloupe  
Pumpkins  
Ornamental Corn  
Decorative Gourds  
Herbs  
Flowers  
Sweet Potatoes  
Carrots  
Green Beans  
Yellow Beans  
Peas  
Acorn squash  
Cucumbers