



Stone Gardens Farm

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Hello Everyone,

It is hard to believe that this is the last official week of pick-ups. However, there will be a bonus week next week; bring back your boxes and egg cartons and get some winter squash and a few other veggies too. Thank you for being CSA members this season, we really enjoy growing for our CSA and hope you enjoyed this season too. If you would like to offer any suggestions for next season, or comments about this one please email them to us. We really appreciate your input; it is you who keep us farming.

This week everyone will be getting some butternut squash, leeks, green and color peppers, tomatoes, a bag of Asian mix salad greens, a bunch of Tuscan kale, and a dozen eggs. Full shares will also have turnips and turnip greens, radishes, and broccoli.

We still have turkeys left for Thanksgiving, so if you are interested please email. They are free of growth hormones, steroids, and antibiotics. They need to be ordered in advance and a dollar per pound deposit is required when you order. They are \$3.50/ lb up to 20lbs; and \$3.00 /lb for over 20 lbs. We have forms in the stand and at all markets for you to fill out.

We also have beef shares available that will be ready to be picked up within the next couple of months. The price is \$3.00/lb hanging weight for the meat, plus packaging and other fees paid to the butcher. If anyone is interested, please email.

Our chickens will be available to order year round, (order by Thursday, pick up on Saturdays). Right now they are approx. 5lbs and really tasty.

Lastly, we are now taking applications for our 2010 CSA. It will run from the first week in June to the last week in October, the same as this year. The application can be found on our website, www.stonegardensfarm.com/CSA . We are planning to expand for next year so please tell any of your friends who might be interested. We will still have the Tues/Fri pick up at the farm and there will be 3 delivery options next year; Westport and Fairfield on Thursday afternoons, and New Haven on Saturday mornings. We are still only able to deliver full shares. Half shares are only available at Farm pick up.

Thank you again for a wonderful season.

Enjoy,

Fred and Stacia Monahan

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Feel free to contact us with your questions at stonegds@comcast.net