Hello Share Members

Thank-you so much for supporting us in the 2018 season! As usual, we are always looking ahead to the future season while in the midst of the current season. As such, below is an outline of our plans for 2019 as well as the early sign-up form.

The sign-up for 2019 is open to <u>current share members only</u> from now until January 13. On January 14, any remaining spots are open to the general public. To reserve your share, you need to pay in full by January 13 OR pay a \$100 deposit and commit to the payment plan. Those that pay in full by January 13 will receive \$10 off the share price. Everyone that reserves by January 13 receives a free 500g honey at the first pickup.

EARLY SIGN UP FORM: https://goo.gl/forms/ovggsl2LlWwzhRg92

What's Staying the Same:

- selection of vegetables
- price (add-ons decrease in price due to being offered for fewer weeks)
- pickup locations/time
- 2 weeks vacation for members
- trade in bin
- bonus bunched herbs

What's Changing:

- length of season
- fall pickup schedule
- no fall box add-on (but bulk purchases of items like garlic, onions, etc. will still be available)

The changes we are making are based on a combination of my desire to have more time on the farm in the fall season and share members' desire to have a season that starts a little earlier and includes more spinach:)

As such, we will be starting the season earlier in June, taking a couple weeks off during the growing season, and then following a bi-weekly delivery during the fall. The fall bi-weekly deliveries will be roughly the equivalent to a double share, since the produce at this time stores well and requires minimal refrigeration. In total, we will be doing 15 deliveries over the whole season, but this will be equivalent to 18 weeks of vegetables because the fall deliveries are double quantities.

Here is what the season will look like:

Weeks Of	Potential Share Contents
June 10 to July 1 (4 weeks)	Spinach, Arugula, Salad Mix, Mustard Greens, Green Onions, Garlic Scapes, Radish, Kohlrabi, Turnip, Rhubarb, Kale, Peas, Pea Shoots, Pak Choy and more.
July 8	OFF
July 15 to August 5 (4 weeks)	Lettuce, Onions, Cucumber, Zucchini, Beans, Cabbage, Tomatoes, Peppers, New Potatoes, Eggplant, Melons, Chard, Kale, Broccoli, Carrots, Beets, Collards, and more.
August 12	OFF
August 19 to September 9 (4 weeks)	Lettuce, Onions, Cucumber, Zucchini, Beans, Cabbage, Tomatoes, Peppers, New Potatoes, Eggplant, Melons, Chard, Kale, Broccoli, Carrots, Beets, Collards, and more.
September 16	OFF
September 23 (1 week)	Winter Squash, Carrots, Beets, Parsnip, Onions, Rhutabaga, Garlic, Potatoes, Cabbage, Brussel Sprouts, Winter Radish, Kohlrabi, Kale, Spinach, Arugula, Mustard Greens, and more.
September 30	OFF
October 7 (1 week)	Winter Squash, Carrots, Beets, Parsnip, Onions, Rhutabaga, Garlic, Potatoes, Cabbage, Brussel Sprouts, Winter Radish, Kohlrabi, Kale, Spinach, Arugula, Mustard Greens, and more.
October 14	OFF
October 21 (1 week)	Winter Squash, Carrots, Beets, Parsnip, Onions, Rhutabaga, Garlic, Potatoes, Cabbage, Brussel Sprouts, Winter Radish, Kohlrabi, Kale, Spinach, Arugula, Mustard Greens, and more.

The prices are as follows:

Small Share \$425

Large \$600

Pea Shoot Add-On (8 weeks) \$24

Potato Add-On (3 weeks) \$12

Carrot Add-On (6 weeks) \$24

Lettuce Add-On (8 weeks) \$24

Greens Add-On (8 weeks) \$24

Payment can be made via cash, cheque, credit card, or PayPal. Once you fill out the reservation form you have until January 13 to pay in full or make a \$100 deposit. Of course, you are also welcome to wait until after January 13 to reserve a first-come, first-serve spot once we open registration to the general public.

I hope this makes sense! Please chat with me at the pickup or email me if you need further clarification. I anticipate this schedule will go smoothly as long as I send reminders to everyone prior to each week off.