

Daigle Farm CSA Program 2023 Season

Daigle Farm is offering another year of our fresh eats CSA program. CSA stands for Community Supported Agriculture and is a fun and creative way to get fresh food to the consumer. In your basic CSA program, you pay an upfront fee to receive a box of veggies on a weekly basis for about 8 weeks. This year Daigle Farm is doing something a little bit different. We are offering both a spring and a late summer/fall CSA program. Both run for a total of 8 weeks and will include crops that are customary to the season. For example, our Spring CSA share will likely come with a root crop (Radish/Turnip/Carrot/Beet), some leafy greens (Romaine, Spinach, Harvest Blend), and a micro green, sprout, or a combination of the two. You may also get more than one root crop or more than one leafy green. The Summer/Fall CSA share will likely come with fruiting crops (Tomatoes/ Cucumbers/ Beans/ Corn/Eggplant/ Summer Squash) some leafy crops (Romaine, Swiss Chard, Spinach), and some form of root crop (Carrot, Turnips, Beets). We know that not everyone wants Radishes or not everyone will want Tomatoes on a weekly basis. Our goal with this new split CSA model is to appeal to more folks and their diets.

Cost Breakdown:

Cost for the CSA is as follows: (runs for 8 weeks; includes 4 - 6 different types of veggies.

Delivered each week = **\$300.00**

Pick-up on farm each week = **\$180.00**

This equates to a cost of \$22.50 per box (pick-up) or \$37.50 (delivered)

How it works:

Payments for your CSA share must be in by the first week in March of 2023. You will have the option to pick up your CSA box or get it delivered. If you opt for delivery, there is a slight price differential, which goes to both the gas tank and our employee(s) who will be delivering it. The first delivery day will be either that same Friday (May 19th 2023) or that Thursday (May 18th 2023) depending on your location. Pick-up day will start Friday (May 19th 2023) on the farm at our on site Farm Stand. This is located at our new barn right next to the edge of the driveway. Pick-up times will be from 3:00 pm to 5:00pm, however if you need extra time or need to pick up beforehand we may be able to arrange something.

Other Info :

Daigle Farm offers a wide range of items. Most of which are produced or grown here on the farm. We do work with other farms to bring you what we call 'local gold' which are items such as Fresh Beef, Pub Cheeses/Ricotta, and Fruits. You may get Fruits in the Summer/Fall CSA share. If you ever want to add anything to your CSA share (delivery also) we can put it in your bag and send you a separate invoice.

2023 CSA weekly Pick-up/Delivery dates as follows: (Fridays)

Spring CSA Program Pick-up Dates:

5/19, 5/26, 6/2, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30, 7/7

Spring CSA Program Delivered Dates:

5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8, 6/15, 6/29, 7/6

~Again Location will determine delivery day.

Spring CSA Program Veggies to expect :

Radish, Sweet Turnip, Beets, Carrots, Microgreens, Harvest Blend, Romaine, Kale, Spinach, Arugula, Broccoli, Swiss Chard, Snap Peas, Kohlrabi.

Summer/Fall CSA Program Pick-up Dates:

9/1, 9/8, 9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20

Summer/Fall CSA Program Delivered Dates:

8/31, 9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19

~Again Location will decide delivery day.

Summer/Fall CSA Program Veggies to expect :

Onions, Garlic, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Beans, Eggplant, Summer Squash, Winter Squash, Harvest Blend, Carrots, Beets, Peppers, Pumpkins.

There may be a crop or two that we've forgotten to mention, but we strive to bring you a wide selection of only the freshest veggies with both conventional garden crops and some varieties and cultivars you get to try for the first time with us. Our crops never see chemicals ever because we believe in Simply Growing Food, and that is our mission. Join us for another awesome season full of the freshest food and full of growth.

This program is a first come, first serve with limited spaces. Payment plans are also available, so please do not hesitate to ask questions. If you have any food allergies or strong preferences, please let us know. It's your continued support that keeps us Simply Growing Food! We appreciate your referrals and are looking forward to another awesome season with you here at Daigle Farm. If you have any more questions or would like to sign up you can email me at simplygrowingfood@gmail.com, call (860) 961-1640 or visit our website at

www.simplygrowingfood.com

