



2012 CSA Program

Blue Moon Community Farm
Stoughton, WI

Membership Details

A CSA Share at Blue Moon offers great variety and quality from field to table. We grow about 95% of what we distribute, with the balance grown by our friends at West Star Farm in Cottage Grove, WI.

A **Standard Share** is a portion of each week's harvest over the course of our 20-week distribution season. It consists of 8-12 items per week depending on what is ready for picking. This share type works well for couples and families who cook at home most days and use (or strive to use!) vegetables quite regularly. **Cost: \$590**

An **Every-Other-Week (EOW) Share** is just that—these members receive 10 weeks of vegetables, with a pick-up every other week. The weekly share size is the same as a Standard Share, and EOW members receive full benefits of membership, including U-pick items (even on their "off" weeks if they choose), weekly recipes, and farm events. This share type works well for single-member households, couples/families who travel and eat out more often, or families who like to supplement their share with farmers market shopping, gardening, etc. **Cost: \$350**

A **Late Fall Share** gives members the option of extending their season with 2 or 4 more weeks of fall veggies. You can expect to see plenty of favorites from the field and hoopouse, as well as more recipes and storage tips. **Cost: Full share (4 weeks) \$150; Every-other-week (2 weeks) \$80**

Distribution

CSA pick-up is every Wednesday from 3-7pm at Blue Moon Community Farm (3856 Schneider Drive, Stoughton). We are located roughly 5 miles from the communities of Stoughton, Oregon, and McFarland. We do not host any off-farm pick-up sites. Our Regular Season runs from June 6 to October 17. If you are an Every-Other-Week (EOW) member, you will be assigned your first pickup day, either June 6 or June 13. Late Fall Share pick-ups are on Wednesdays from 4-6pm from October 24 to November 14.

Our farm pick-up is run in a "market" style in which members pack their own shares from the produce displayed for them. This eliminates the need for boxes, introduces you to each vegetable first-hand, and sometimes offers you choices about what goes into your bag.

Expected Harvest

In your share, you will see three staples most weeks: Salad fixings (head lettuce, salad mix, spinach, etc), an onion family item (scallions, onions, leeks, garlic), and an herb. Other items vary throughout the season, totaling 8-12 items each week. Check out our CSA newsletters from 2011 to see what you can expect at different times of the season on our website www.bluemooncommunityfarm.com.

Other Benefits

U-Pick: While in season, you will have the opportunity to pick flowers, cherry tomatoes and herbs each week at no additional cost. We also offer bulk and U-pick sauce tomatoes, tomatillos, and pickling cucumbers for a modest per-pound charge to members.

Farm News and Recipes: Each week you will receive news from the farm and seasonal recipes to make good use of your share. Newsletters and recipes are archived on our website.

Pastured meat: We raise turkeys and pigs on pasture. In addition to providing a source for healthy, humanely raised meats, the animals are great hosts for your weekly visits to the farm! You will receive an order form at the start of the CSA season for our fall meat offerings. *(No pastured chickens in 2012)*

Events: We host several get-togethers, starting with a **Spring Open House on Sunday, May 20** to kick off the season!

Payment Assistance

Payment Plan: Members have the option of paying for their share in 3 installments. See the registration form for more details.

HMO Rebate Programs: Several insurance companies offer rebates for CSA shares as part of their wellness programs! Visit www.macsac.org/rebates.html to learn important details about requesting your rebate before sending your form to the farm.

Partner Shares Program and EBT: The Partner Shares Program, a project of MACSAC, provides matching funds toward the cost of CSA shares for households on a low income. For more information contact MACSAC at 608-226-0300 or visit www.csacoalition.org. MACSAC can also process EBT payments toward your CSA share!

Assistance Fund: Consider making a donation to Partner Shares and support CSA families at Blue Moon! There is room on the Membership Form for your contribution.

Worker Shares: Each year we have several openings for members who would like to work on the farm in exchange for their weekly share. If you are interested in this option, please see our Worker Share guidelines and application on our website.

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2012 Blue Moon CSA Membership Form

Shareholder Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Sharing? Please fill in Partner Info

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Select your share:

Standard Share	\$590	\$ _____
Every-Other-Week (EOW) Share	\$350	\$ _____
Late Fall Share	\$150	\$ _____
Late Fall EOW Share	\$80	\$ _____
Additional Options:		
Donate to our low-income assistance fund!		\$ _____
Asparagus to Zucchini Cookbook <small>A project of the CSA Coalition, it offers seasonal recipes and storage tips, and raises funds for CSA</small>	\$15	\$ _____
Blue Moon Canvas Grocery Tote <small>large-capacity, embroidered tote for your weekly trips to the farm</small>	\$16	\$ _____
Blue Moon Organic Baseball Cap		
Blue with white logo	\$12	\$ _____
Brown with lt. blue logo	\$12	\$ _____

You will receive an email confirmation and receipt within 2 weeks. Please add bluemooncommunityfarm@yahoo.com to your "safe" list

Keep a copy of this form if you are planning to request a rebate from your HMO.

Please make checks payable to:

Blue Moon Community Farm

Send form and payment to:

**Blue Moon Community Farm
 3856 Schneider Drive
 Stoughton WI 53589**

Total Due _____

Payment Options:

- 1. Enclose full payment with registration**
- 2. Divide your total into 3. Enclose 3 checks: One with the current date, one dated June 1, and one dated September 1. Send all 3 checks with your registration.**