



CSA Deliveries September 28

Berry Patch:

-done for the season

Iowa Fresh:

-Shares done for the season

Onion Creek:

-No delivery this week

Small Potatoes:

- Red Pontiac Potatoes
- Sweet potatoes
- Garlic
- Eggplant
- Summer squash
- Cucumbers
- Peppers
- Leeks
- Melons
- Winter squash

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Onion Creek Farm

Chris and Kim are getting married this weekend and will be away on honeymoon for a week. Look for another Onion Creek veggie share delivery on October 5.

Brian's Corner of Small Potatoes Farm

It rained this week, several days of it, although I was all prepared for a chilly day on Monday, with wool cap and everything, and then it was mighty warm and sunny. This week is a crazy one, it being the last full share week of the season. We have sweet potatoes! for the last boxes, as well as 'Red Pontiac' potatoes, garlic, some eggplant and summer squash and cucumbers, peppers, leeks, some melons, and beautiful winter squash to finish it up.

The cooler weather, coupled with the harvesting of winter squash and no tomatoes and more jackets and layers means the end of the season, but it all seems so sudden. It's like we missed some months or something.

Thanks for letting me help grow some food for you. See you around.

Brian

Paul's Grains

Paul's Grains will make a delivery to Ames on Sept 28. Please pre-order. <http://www.paulsgrains.com>

News from the coordinator

The main season is winding down quickly. It seems like it has gone by so fast! The good news is that we'll still have some wonderful local foods for you through the fall and even winter since some of the growers are using high tunnels and greenhouses to extend the season. We'll continue to send out the weekly updates with a link to the *a la carte* order form. Dairy will continue to be available all year round. Here's a calendar of the remaining share deliveries:

September 28: Last delivery of Small Potatoes regular veggie share, No Onion Creek share delivery

October 5: Begin Small Potatoes Extended veggie share and last delivery of Onion Creek veggie shares

October 5: Final dairy share delivery for this session and final delivery of the Small Potatoes egg share

October 12: Begin new 10 week dairy share and final delivery of Prairie Sky egg share

Bread: Our baker, Tomoko is taking a break from weekly offerings, but will be baking again for the holidays and we're in contact with another baker who we hope will soon be offering breads and scones on a weekly basis. And the Homestead is planning to deliver their baked goods once a month, probably on the fourth Tuesday.

Survey: In the near future we'll be sending members a link to a year end survey. Please take time to fill out the survey to help us in our plans for next season. We love to hear what you like about F2F, but we *need* to hear your ideas to help us make things better!

Save the date: We're making plans for the Farmer Appreciation Potluck to be held again at Berry Patch Farm near Nevada on Sunday Oct 18. If anyone would like to help with planning, let us know.