

BLOOMING HILL FARM - RAMSEY TRADITIONAL CSA

We would like to thank Elaine for her three bountiful years as the Ramsey CSA host, and welcome Bill & Nicole, who will be hosting this year's CSA!

**PICKUP ON WEDNESDAYS from June - November
3:00pm - 6:00pm
25 South Central Ave, Ramsey**

The CSA runs from June 1 through November 23, for a total of 26 weeks. Members may select all weeks or choose their own delivery weeks - minimum of 10 weeks. Members pick up the Blooming Hill Farm organically grown produce on Wednesdays from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm at **25 South Central Ave in Ramsey (one block south of Main St, on the corner of Pulis Lane - back driveway on Pulis Lane).**

WHAT IS THE CSA?

Community-Supported Agriculture (CSA) is a mutually beneficial partnership where consumers receive fresh produce while helping to sustain the livelihoods and stewardship of farmers. The farmer pre-sells "shares" of his or her farm's upcoming harvest.

CSA SHAREHOLDER REGISTRATION

As a member of the CSA, I will receive a weekly share of in-season organically grown produce. The shares will vary in size and weight depending on the time of the season and will also include herbs and seasonal fruits. One aspect of a CSA is that members support their farmer by sharing in the inherent risks of agriculture (poor weather, drought, disease, early frost, crop failure, etc.) and rewards (the bounty of a good season). CSA farmers purposely plan for such contingencies and use growing techniques that protect the harvest, minimize risk to members, and optimize the rewards by growing a wide variety of crops that thrive in different types of conditions, cover cropping, crop rotation and irrigation. Therefore, I understand there is no guarantee of the exact amount or type of produce I will receive in my share. By participating in this CSA, I am supporting the local farmer as well as a more equitable food distribution system, and I am helping to create a more environmentally just, economically fair, and healthy society.

I commit to picking up my weekly delivery in Ramsey between 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm on **Wednesdays**. I may split my share with other people, but I must provide the shareholder's name listed on this form at pick up. I may make special arrangements for my share to be picked up by someone else in my absence. I understand that if I do not pick up my share, it may be donated to the Center For Food Action or another worthy cause.

For more information and produce photos, visit Blooming Hill Farm's website at <https://www.bloominghill.farm/csa/ramsey>, email ramsey-csa@bloominghill.farm or check out the CSA-Ramsey Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/bloominghillcsaramsey/> or call/text **Bill (201-923-3960) or Nicole (551-999-1386).**

Shareholder Information:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

NAME _____

Cell Phone (required) to check in with you in case you're running late

Email - (required) to provide you with a weekly produce update

Payment: *Check or Cash only.* We cannot accept credit cards. Checks must be made payable to **Blooming Hill Farm.** Please write **CSA-RAMSEY** on your check's subject line.

Members must submit the signed CSA Membership Registration form *and payment* to

Nicole Abbate & Bill Ogg
25 South Central Ave
Ramsey, NJ 07446

Please circle the weeks you want CSA delivery. If you are buying a full share for all 26 weeks, please circle every week.

Pricing:

- \$715 for full share = 26 weeks
- \$27.50 week = minimum 10 weeks

Take a photo or make a copy of this form for your own records!

June	1	8	15	22	29
July	6	13	20	27	
August	3	10	17	24	31
September	7	14	21	28	
October	5	12	19	26	
November	2	9	16	23	

TOTAL WEEKS @ \$27.50 = \$_____ (or all 26 weeks for \$715)

Shareholder Signature _____ Date _____

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