

## Share Size and Cost

The harvest season starts in late June or early July and goes through October, generally around 10-15 weeks. Please remember this is always weather dependent.

We harvest whatever crops are available in the fields and divide them into equal bags. Once a week you will visit the farm and pick up your basket(s) of produce.

Our pickup days are Tuesday or Friday. Your basket will be available for you **after 4:00 P.M.** on your selected day. Or anytime at all the next few days.

**Half Share:** One harvest basket per week, which will normally feed 2 - 4 people. The 2014 cost for the half-share is \$300.00.

**Full Share:** Two harvest baskets per week, which will normally feed 4 - 6 people. The 2014 cost for the full-share is \$550.00.

You will really appreciate the variety and quality of the vegetables available from your local CSA garden. And we certainly appreciate your support!

Sincerely,  
Jen & Sandy



2013 Harvest Baskets

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## About Crazy Daisy

We are a family farm located in a quiet corner of the Twin Cities, about 8 miles straight west of 494 in Corcoran. We have grown using organic methods for over 30 years. Starting with my grandfather, who always believed that natural land was healthy land and good cultivation practices were the real answer to pest and disease problems.

We had a great harvest last season with incredible amounts of cucumbers, peppers, zucchini, beets, potatoes, and other goodies. This season we're introducing a few new types of tomatoes, cherry tomatoes and big sweet heirloom types. As well as some new types of melon, pepper, and zucchini. All yummy stuff to look forward to!

## About CSA

As a shareholder, you must be willing to accept the risk that part of the crops might not be available due to hail or other uncontrollable events. This is the same risk you would take growing your own garden. It is rare, but it can occur.

Most of the time there is an abundance of many types of vegetables. When this happens, the extra produce is available at **no extra charge** to our members.

## Is CSA for me?

The CSA arrangement is a wonderful way to support your local farmers and local eco-system.

But, it is not for everyone... IF

- You normally only eat a few types of vegetables, like carrots and peas or prefer veggies only as a side dish.
- You don't have time to try a new recipe every week or so.

Your refrigerator will quickly fill up with all kinds of veggies that you don't know how to prepare with more arriving! If this sounds like you, then your local Farmer's Market might better suit your needs.

On the other hand...IF

- You regularly eat many different kinds of vegetables or enjoy canning, freezing, or pickling veggies.
- You love to try new recipes and to experiment cooking with different kinds of veggies.
- If eating food that is locally grown in a sustainable way is important to you, then CSA is a great option!

## Why Select Crazy Daisy?

We think our **"extras"** set us apart.

A **weekly newsletter** is posted on our website with news from the farm, recipes, and information about the week's harvest.

All our **vegetables are thoroughly washed** before being packaged. This occurs no earlier than one day before your

scheduled pick-up. Picking up after 4:00 P.M. gives us the time to harvest and prepare in the morning. It is still a good idea to wash your veggies as you would from the grocery store, but you are guaranteed they are coming to you in the  **freshest possible condition.**

We have a fantastic **selection** of vegetables available. And years of **experience** in growing them.

We also offer **veggies for preserving at no extra cost.** Want to try your hand at canning tomatoes? Let us know and we'll get you extras when they become available.

We love to **customize your basket** with your favorites, so be sure to let us know what you like and what you don't, we'll get you extras of your favorites and leave out the stuff you don't like!

