What is a “CSA”?
CSA stands for Community Supported Agriculture. Community Supported Agriculture programs enable community members to partner with a farm to “buy shares” of farm produce over a growing year, helping to ensure that the farm can remain operational. In a CSA program, the members receive a share of the farm’s produce, meat, eggs, herbs, etc. weekly depending on what is available.

While there are many benefits to joining a CSA, remember that they aren’t for everyone! We hope that this resource booklet can help you find the best CSA program for you so please contact us with feedback on how we can improve this guide to better assist you. 423-493-9155, x13 or info@crabtreefarms.org

BROWN DIRT FARM, Whitwell, TN
Brooke and Scott Brown, 423-313-3527
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browndirtfarm.com

This is our version of what many people call a CSA. By signing up for our e-mail list, you will have access to what produce we will have to offer during the season on a weekly basis. You simply pick the produce you desire from the list provided in your e-mail, the quantities you would like to have, and your pick-up location. This way, you get exactly what you want and don’t have to worry about excess food going to waste. Visit browndirtfarm.com to sign up for our e-mail list.

Cost varies
Growing Method Sustainable Growing Methods

CIRCLE S FARM, Rising Fawn GA
Curtis and Letty Smith, 706-398-7049
plainandsimple@tvn.net
circlesfarm.net

With a full share you will receive a bushel bucket of produce every week that includes 4-6 veggies, 1 fruit (when available) and 2 herb varieties when available. The half share is the same amount as a full share, only you receive it every other week.

Start Date Spring/Summer Session May 1, Fall/Winter Session October 1
Cost Spring/Summer Session $630 Full Share, $350 Half Share; Fall/Winter Session $480 Full Share, $290 Half Share; Add Eggs (summer session only) $108 Full Share, $57 Half Share; Add Flowers (summer session only) $125 Full Share, $72 Half Share; Add Beef $445/quarter; Add Chicken $5 deposit on each bird
Pickup Info Wednesday- Main Street Farmer’s Market 4-6p; Saturday- Brainerd Farmers Market 10a-12p, Trenton Farmers Market 9a-12p
Growing Method Certified Naturally Grown

Dairy Produce Fruit Meats Herbs Egg

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CRABTREE FARMS, Chattanooga TN
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The Crabtree Farms CSA Program makes it easy and more affordable to eat sustainably grown, local, healthy food. Our program supplies quality, fresh produce for your household each week.

Start Date: Annual CSA May 3, Holiday Farm Share CSA November
Cost: Annual CSA $725 Full Share, $375 Half Share; Holiday Farm Share CSA $100
Pickup Info: Wednesday-Main Street Farmers’ Market 4-6p, Saturday- Crabtree Farms 10a-3p
Growing Method: Sustainable Growing Methods

DAZI ACRES, Pikeville TN
David and Suzanne Eltz, 423-453-3294
daziacres.com

Meat & More CSA: get pastured beef, pork, chicken, eggs, turkey, and other offerings throughout the season without ever having to worry about us being sold out. Chicken & Egg CSA: receive 6 monthly deliveries from May-October of two fresh, pastured meat chickens and two dozen eggs, guaranteeing we’ll never be sold.

Start Date: Meat CSA March 4, Chicken CSA March 5
Cost: Meat CSA $900 , Chicken CSA $275
Pickup Info: We’ll meet you at a predetermined time and location.
Growing Method: Sustainable Growing Methods

DREY CREEK FARM, Sylvania AL
Eileen and Meindert Dijkhuis, 256-638-1842
drycreekfarm@farmerstel.com
Facebook: Dry Creek Farm

We are now offering CSA Shares for the 2014 growing season. The 26 week season is from May to October and can be customized by the size of your share and the addition of eggs and/or pastured chicken.

Start Date: May 3
Cost: $30 Full Share, $80 Half Share; Add Eggs $10 Full Share, $5 Half Share, Add Chicken $250 Full Share, $125 Half Share
Pickup Info: Saturday- Mentone Market 10a-1p,
Growing Methods: Sustainable Growing Methods

EVERETT HERITAGE FARM, Chickamauga GA
Stephanie Everett and Craig Savoie, 415-637-9870
everettheritagefarm@gmail.com
Facebook: Everett Heritage Farm

Everett Heritage Farm 2014 CSA delivers 26 weeks of farm fresh organic produce and herbs to shareholders. Our CSA growing seasons run from spring to fall and offer a wide range of produce each week delivered to the market or your door step. We offer both full share and half share options. We grow many traditional vegetables from organic and sustainably harvested seed and also feature many specialty heirloom varieties.

Start Date: May 11
Cost: $800 Full Share, Half Share $425
Pickup Info: Check our website for pickup locations
Growing Method: Sustainable Growing Methods

FRONTIER FAMILY FARM, Altamont TN
Michael Raines, 931-591-7545
michaelraines@me.com

We try to offer lettuce, spinach, apples, peaches, raspberries, eggs, tomatoes, strawberries, squash, okra, potatoes, and much, much more when items are in season.

Start Date: April 1
Cost: $25 Half Share, $100 Full Share
Pickup Info: Various farmers markets but other arrangements can be made
Growing Method: Other Methods of Farming

GIFFORD FARMS, Dunlap TN
Jim Gifford, Vernon Gifford, Katholina Alford
423-316-3489 or 423-443-9299
jimgiffordfarms@gmail.com
giffordfarms.com

Start Date: No subscription required
Cost: Varies. Orders placed week prior to pick up.
Pickup Info: Saturday- St. Alban’s Hixson Market 10a-1p
Growing Method: Sustainable Growing Methods

COLYCO FARM, Chickamauga GA
Steve and Deb Cooper, 423-413-1806
colycofarm@gmail.com
colycofarm.com

We offer full and half shares of our naturally grown produce. Full shares are weekly pickup and half shares are bi-weekly pickup. All shares require a deposit with application and full payment prior to first pick up. Summer CSA: June through September, Fall CSA: September through December.

Start Date: Summer CSA June 1, Fall CSA September Cost: Averages $25.00/week
Pickup Info: Check our website for pickup locations and times
Growing Method: Certified Naturally Grown
LEE AND GORDON GREENS, Chickamauga GA
Joan and Gib Jones, 423-316-4038
leeandgordongreens@yahoo.com
leeandgordongreens.com

Our Winter CSA runs from December to April. Each week you will receive 2 to 3 pounds of lettuces, herbs and, when available, micro greens.

**Start Date** Winter CSA December
**Cost** $320
**Pickup Info** Tuesday- Lee and Gordon Greens 4-6p, Finley Stadium 4:45-6:30p
**CSA Delivers** CSA Delivers
**Growing Method** Hydroponic

NEW DAWN FARM, Chickamauga GA
Alan and Carrie Chandler, 423-693-4889
newdawnfarm@gmail.com
newdawnfarmgeorgia.com

- **Start Date**: May 21
- **Cost**: $550 Full Share, $450 Partial Share
- **Pickup Info**: Wednesday- Battlefields Farmers Market 3-6p, Thursday- Signal Mountain Market 4-6p
- **Growing Method**: Sustainable Growing Methods

OWL HOLLOW FARM, McDonald TN
Lindo Swift, 423-478-2407
linda@owlhollowfarm.org
owlhollowfarm.org

What started as an informal arrangement with family and close friends is gradually expanding to include new members. Space is limited. A typical weekly share will be 1/4 bushel or more of at least 5 different varieties. Egg shares are optional. Work shares are encouraged. Delivery may be available in your area. E-mail for details.

- **Start Date**: April 1
- **Cost**: $260 Single Share, $455 Couple Share, $910 Family Share
- **Pickup Info**: Saturday- Owl Hollow Farm
- **CSA Delivers**: Free home delivery in the Cleveland, Ooltewah, and Collegedale areas
- **Growing Method**: Sustainable Growing Methods

POCKET FARM, Chickamauga GA
Jane Bullock and Bill Scarborough, 706-539-2635
jane@pocket-farm.com
pocket-farm.com

Pocket Farm’s CSA Program is currently accepting a limited number of applications for the 2014 season. If you are interested in supporting local farms; receiving a weekly share of our delicious, nutritious and organically grown produce; reducing your exposure to GMO’s, commercial pesticides and fertilizers, we welcome you to join our family farm. Optional egg share.

- **Start Date**: May 1
- **Cost**: $750 Full share, $520 Two-Thirds Share
- **Pickup Info**: Wednesday- Main Street Farmers’ Market 4-6p; Saturday- Brainerd Farmers Market 10a-12p
- **CSA Delivers**: Local deliveries can be arranged.
- **Growing Method**: Sustainable Growing Methods

POSSUM CREEK HERB FARM, Soddy Daisy TN
Michele Brown, 423-718-3533
herbfarmer@epbfi.com
possumcreekherb.com

- **Start Date**: April 16
- **Cost**: $200 Full Share
- **Pickup Info**: Thursday- Possum Creek Herb Farm 3-6p; Saturday- Possum Creek Herb Farm 12-5p; Sunday- Chattanooga Market 11a-4p
- **Growing Method**: Sustainable Growing Methods

RED CLAY FARM, Cleveland TN
Ron, Cynthia and Seth Shaffer, 423-596-1145
rshaffer1959@gmail.com
redclayfarm.com

Meet at a convenient location for delivery of produce. Unique CSA, the customer decides which week produce is to be delivered and what they would like to have in their box.

- **Start Date**: May 1
- **Cost**: $520 Weekly Share, $260 Biweekly Share
- **Pickup Info**: Tuesday- Village Market B15; Cleveland Bi-Lo 5:30p; Thursday- Whirlpool Time TBA; Sunday- Chattanooga Market 11a-2p
- **CSA Delivers**: CSA Delivers
- **Growing Method**: Certified Organic

RIVERVIEW FARMS, Ranger GA
The Swansons, 678-910-2831
wcswan@yahoo.com
grassfedcow.com

CSA participants subscribe and pay in advance for weekly deliveries that start in late May and continue every week, well into December. Each week, we pick your veggies, pack them, and deliver them the next day to the designated pick-up sites in the Atlanta area. We deliver on Wednesdays.

- **Start Date**: May
- **Cost**: Session 1 $300, Session 2 $300, Session 3 $275
- **Pickup Info**: Wednesday- Atlanta, Decatur, Norcross, Tucker GA
- **Growing Method**: Certified Organic
SIGNAL MOUNTAIN FARM, Hamilton County, TN
signalmountainfarm.com
signalmountainfarm@yahoo.com

150 member CSA. Our 24-week CSA begins mid-May and runs through October.

Start Date mid-May
Cost Full share $800, Half share $480
Pickup Info Wednesday- Main Street Farmers’ Market 4-6p, Crossfit Brigade Fitness Center 4-6p, Chattanooga Market 4-7p; Thursday-Signal Mountain Farmers’ Market 4-6p; Sunday-Chattanooga Market 12-4p
Growing Method Certified Organic

SOUTHLAND FARMS, Morrison TN
Chris Irons, 615-278-4555
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southlandfarmstn.com

Our 21 week CSA season is late April to early May through early October

Start Date Late April
Cost $735 Full Share, $395 Half Share
Pickup Info Saturday- Murfreesboro Main Street Market 8a-12p; Sunday- Chattanooga Market 11a-2p; Participating Crossfit Locations- dates and times TBA; Additional locations can be arranged
Growing Method Certified Naturally Grown

TANT HILL FARM, LaFayette GA
Mark and Gina Tant, 423-637-9793
mark@tanthillfarm.com
tanthillfarm.com

Members have the option of taking part in one or all three CSA sessions, totaling 30 weeks of fresh, local grown varieties of produce, flowers, and farm-prepared food items.

Start Date Summer Session May-July, Fall Session September-November
Cost Summer Session $400 Family Share, $320 Single Share; Fall Session $400 Family Share, Fall Session $320, $910; Deep Winter Share $190; Full Season Family Share $910, Single Share $770; Egg Share (12 weeks) Family Share $78, Single Share $40
Pickup Info Wednesday- Main Street Farmers’ Market 4-6p; other locations will be determined by the area of the majority of the shareholders
Growing Method Certified Naturally Grown

WHITE IVY FARM, Higdon AL
Shawn Schuster, 256-632-2881
info@whiteivyfarm.com
whiteivyfarm.com

Our CSA runs 15 weeks. A Single Share breaks down to $20 a week and a Half Share costs $13 a week.

Start Date June
Cost $300 Single Share, $200 Half Share
Pickup Info Wednesday- Main Street Farmers’ Market 4-6p EST, Thursday- 3-7p EST, Lookout Mountain Farmers Market, Saturday- Mentone Farmers Market 10a-1p CST
Growing Method Certified Naturally Grown