SURPRISE! We'll be at Cobblestone Farmers Market TOMORROW -- Saturday (7/1)! We've got tons of TOMATOES, POTATOES and lots more Organic farmfresh goodies. See the full list below.

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Happy Friday, Farm Friends!



Cook's Wall has been shrouded in a smoky haze this week from the wildfires in Canada. Has it been smoky in your neighborhood, too? It's amazing how the smoke can travel so far and impact so many people. Although the smoke has made our voices a bit scratchy, it's nothing like what folks further north are experiencing. Our Instagram feed has been full of farmers wearing N95 masks as they work. Thank goodness we've been spared that.

#### SPUDVILLE!

Yesterday was a big day for potatoes around here. And what a day it was! Team Plum Granny hauled out quite a load of wonderful spuds. How

## many you may ask?



Yep -- that's one thousand five hundred and two pounds of potatoes in one day. Woo hoo!







#### **TOMATO TOWN**

Not to be outdone, the tomatoes let us know that they were big producers, too. Although not quite as many tomatoes as potatoes (they <u>are</u> lighter, you know!), we still got a pretty big haul on Tuesday -- 302 pounds from our little high tunnel!





**Shear Terror?**Oh no! What happened here?!?



Crime scene? Predator attack? Thankfully, it is much less grim. Although

Tony and BB might object to calling the experience pleasant, the results were definitely refreshing! The Spring shear had been a bit delayed this year -- but we finally got it done before the temps really started heating up!





**Cobblestone Market Update!** 

We're BACK! Yes, we'll be at <u>Cobblestone Farmers Market</u> this **Saturday**, **July 1 from 8:30-noon!** 

With a bumper crop of **Potatoes** and **Tomatoes**, we wanted to make sure that we could share these goodies with you! You'll find lots of great items for your 4th of July picnics and gatherings.

Folks really enjoyed our **Potato Bar** last week! It will be fully stocked with <u>FIVE</u> varieties of freshly dug potatoes for your dining pleasure. We'll have everyone's favorite **LaRatte Fingerlings**, the low-glycemic **Nicola**, a new favorite **Norwiss**, the beautiful purple **Harvest Moon** and another new variety, **Strawberry Paw.** Picnic potato salad, anyone?



Tomatoes will also be well represented, for sure! "Mater sammies on the 4th?



And don't forget our Fireworks on a Stick Elephant Garlic Flowers! Safe pyrotechnics for your table and a pop of flavor for your tastebuds!



We sold out of **Fresh Garlic** last week -- but don't worry! Chesnok and Lorz Italian will be on the table tomorrow!



We'll also have beautiful Fennel, Frisse, Italian Flat-Leaf Parsley, and more!

You'll find us under the Purple tent along the fence on the Old Salem Road side of the market. The Market is located at 1007 South Marshall Street (at the intersection of Salem Avenue). There is ample parking at The Enrichment Center and other lots just across Marshall Street and as well as parking along the street. Just remember to ONLY park in designated, paved spots...avoiding grass and landscaped or blocked areas.



We look forward to seeing you tomorrow!

### Breaking News! Blackberry Pick-Your-Own on July 4th!



We're keeping our tradition going! Please join us on **Tuesday**, **July 4th from 7:30-10:30 for our annual Blackberry PYO**. Get up and out early to beat the heat and snag some delicious Organic, No-Spray blackberries! What a great way to kick off your Independence Day celebration.

That's all we've got for this week, friends! Stay cool and hydrated as we move into July and the heat of Summer.

# Until next week, Cheryl & Ray







