

Farm Market Saturday is almost here! We've been harvesting lots of fresh, organic goodies for you this week. You'll find Figs, a plethora of Peppers, lots of Potatoes, Garlic, Eggplant and MORE! Hours are from 9-11 here at the Farm. Details below.



**Happy Friday, Farm Friends!**



A nice, bright sunny yellow flower with a promise of tasty treats. What am I?

I am a Snacking Cucumber flower! Our late summer planting of Cucumbers and Squash are really taking off. The cukes started flowering this week and Ray has already collected about 150 flowers. The good news is that once they start blooming, harvest is about 2 weeks away!



Not to be outdone, the Summer Squash are also doing incredibly well. We'll probably be eating this baby squash for dinner this weekend!

### **What a Spudtacular Celebration!**

Y'all really showed Potatoes some love last Saturday at Cobblestone Farmers Market! Potato Day was a festive and fun occasion where it seemed like EVERYONE was a Potato Fan! Let's let the pictures do the talking, shall we?









Thanks to Cobblestone Farmers Market for many of these pictures

### **Mark Your Calendar! Fall Plant Sale!**

We're just TWO weeks away from our big Fall Plant Sale! Our transplants are growing so well and we're getting additional items potted up, tagged and ready to put in the Pavilion.



Maggie and Suzi got all of the trays cut apart and we'll start tagging next week. Maggie has also been working on potting up **Everbearing Strawberry plants** -- this is the perfect time of year to plant them in your garden.

For more information about the Plant Sale, [please visit our website](#). This page also includes a list of all the plants that we'll have available.

### **And Now There Were Sixteen**

Last week we told you that we finally got the roll-up installed on our Tabby high tunnel. Well, I guess that activity spurred the action for ONE more roll-up. The Pavilion has lacked a roll-up side but now it has one! It will bring a literal breath of fresh air into that space for our plant sales and other events. So now, EVERY



greenhouse or high tunnel on the farm has TWO roll-up sides. Hooray!



### Colorful Farm Market Saturday!



Look at this a beautiful display of veggies from someone's box at last week's on-farm market. Sure makes me want to eat it!

We've planned another terrific **On-Farm Market** for this **Saturday (8/23) from 9-11**. We'll have FIGS along with Okra, and lots of Sweet Pepper options. Those sweet, crunchy **Red, Orange and Yellow Picnic Peppers** are pouring in and are ready for snacking.



Of course, the Potato Bar will be fully stocked with **LaRatte Fingerling potatoes** and **FOUR** other varieties (crowd-pleasing German Butterball, low-glycemic Nicola, red potatoes, and low-glycemic Plum Gold) plus Creamers. And we have tons

of delicious Organic Eggplant, Aji Dulce peppers, Garlic, Elephant Garlic, Shishitos, Serrano Peppers and MORE!

Our frozen **Fire Roasted Green Chile and Poblanos** will be stocked and we'll also have a few **Slicer Tomatoes** and tasty Fruit Boxes filled with delicious **Grape Tomatoes**.

For your planning purposes, we are planning on continuing these Saturday Markets at the farm through at least September. Stay posted so you'll be the first to know! We hope to see you here at the Farm soon.

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That's what we've got for you this week, friends. In case you are looking for something to do on Sunday afternoon (8/24), the Stokes County Arts Council will be hosting a reception for a new show. ["Dimensional Works and Paintings" by artist John Gibbs](#) opened last week in Apple Gallery. Mr. Gibbs will be attending Sunday's reception to discuss his amazing work that literally comes off the walls. The reception will be from 3:00-4:30 at The Arts Place in Danbury.



**Have a great weekend!**

**Until next week,  
Cheryl & Ray**

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