2016 Member Sign-up

On Farm & Milwaukee Summer and Fall shares

Certified Organic

*A variety of fresh vegetables and herbs delivered weekly, with newsletter*

*& recipes, with on-farm events throughout the season.*

*Beginning early June to mid-October..*

Read and sign the CSA commitment; complete this form;

mail with payment or deposit and post-dated checks to:

Tony & Dela Ends, 910 Scotch Hill Road, Brodhead, WI 53520

 *Make check(s) payable to Scotch Hill Farm*



 *Our 22nd Season*

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 (*please print very clearly) Returning Member \_\_\_\_\_ New Member \_\_\_\_\_*

*Splitting share with* (maximum 2 households per subscription and add $5 to total):

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* *For information about our farm, see* [*www.scotchhillfarm.com*](http://www.scotchhillfarm.com) *or ask for a printed brochure*

 *“ Like” Scotch Hill Farm on Facebook for share photos and farm happenings*

* *Email question at* *scotchhillfarmer@gmail.com* *or call 608-897-4288*

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| *Circle Your Share & Payment Choices* | 20-Week Season (starts early June) | Fall Share (two double sized deliveries in November) |
| Regular Share | $525  | $145 |
| Splitting a Regular Share with another family (*$5 for extra bookkeeping*) | $540 |  |
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| Flower Share Add-on (minimum of *10 weeks throughout season*) | $100 |  |
| \*\*Donate to farm low income assistance fund (optional) |  |  |
| $15 for Asparagus to Zucchini Cookbook (25% off retail price)$20 for Farm Fresh & Fast Cookbook NEW!! ($5 discount)EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT$25 off if paid by Mar. 6 |  |  |
| *Total Due* |  |

Payment Options *(check one)*

\_\_\_\_ Payment in-full, check enclosed

\_\_\_\_ Payment in-full, by credit card Please add $10 processing fee

 Card Number\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Security Code (on back of card)\_\_\_\_\_\_Exp. Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Zip code­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Staggered payment for Regular Share: $135 Deposit (dated today) & three $130 post-dated checks for

following three months.

Check delivery point

 Milwaukee carpool deliveries are on Thursdays

Farm pick up on Wednesdays

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What *my* subscription to Scotch Hill CSA means

“CSA consists of a community of individuals who pledge support to a farm operation so the farmland becomes, either legally or spiritually, the community’s farm, with the growers and consumers providing mutual support and sharing the risks and benefits of food production. Members or shareholders of the farm or garden pledge in advance to cover anticipated costs of the farm operation and farmer’s salary. In return, they receive shares in the farm’s bounty throughout the growing season, as well as satisfaction gained from reconnecting to the land. Members also share in risks, including poor harvest due to unfavorable weather or pests.” –*United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) definition*

 *www.nal.usda.gov/afsic/csa/csadef.htm*

For Scotch Hill Farm, *“Community”* and *“Supported”* are as important to CSA farming as the certified organic food we raise. In buying our fresh vegetables, we ask you to subscribe to the following:

*Community* cannot successfully thrive without the personal relationship, understanding and commitment of each subscriber to the CSA group of consumers, delivery site hosts (restaurants, shops, congregations and residences), the farm, and all life on the farm. Subscribers need to:

* Read, reflect and act on our weekly, quarterly and seasonal newsletters;
* Respect and support those who host delivery sites;
* Participate as much as possible in Scotch Hill Farm’s community activities;
* Value what the CSA model promotes – local economies, local food systems, reduced carbon emissions, farmland protection, certified organic farming practices, organic and heirloom seed use.
* Realize all of this is what they’re purchasing, in addition to weekly delivery or pick-up of certified organic food from our farm;
* Realize all CSA farms – like diverse peoples and cultures – are different (different resources, staff, soil composition, years experience, climate, practices, finances) and that for Scotch Hill Farm to meet your personal expectations requires your personal involvement in its life, operation, planning and improvement;
* Understand that grassroots CSA resources simply do not compare to mass produced, corporate. heavily subsidized industrial farm and food systems;
* Accept that food from non-GMO, chemical-free, family-operated, organic CSA production looks and tastes different from mass-produced, conventional agricultural practices.

*Supporting* this type of community and agriculture requires re-thinking food and farming. It requires commitment to more than a business transaction for food from a local farm.

* For those physically able, this means volunteering *when possible* (even if only a few hours, 1 day in a year) in farm production (weeding, harvesting, weighing, sorting, washing, bagging, boxing fresh vegetables, etc.); or with gardens, fields, farm buildings or equipment work.
* For those with no transportation or physical ability to volunteer on-farm, this means *when possible* (even if only a few hours, 1 day in a year) supporting us where you live (endorsing us to friends, showing a CSA PowerPoint to small groups, handing out literature about the farm, contributing individual skills or professional abilities – anything from computer programming, to marketing, to helping at delivery points, to knowledge about electricity) to help Scotch Hill become more efficient and educate the public about nutrition and food security.
* For everyone, it means honest emotional and spiritual support, open communication *always* to help sustain Community Supported Agriculture at Scotch Hill Farm.

In subscribing to receive food from Scotch Hill Farm, I’ve read and support this description of Community Supported Agriculture.

Signed Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_