



The Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) movement, with roots in Europe, came to life in the U.S. in 1985 and since then has grown to more than 2,000 farms—with at least a dozen or more in Whatcom County. Local farmer Gretchen Woody of Holistic Homestead says, “CSA is an old-time tradition. It provides consumers the opportunity to directly support a farmer early in the season, which helps the farmer plan for the growing season. In that way, a shareholder shares the gains and potential losses of crop production.” Purchasing a CSA share is a way to support local farms, local workers, and our local economy.

## F.A. Farm

### Walter Haugen and Toni Lyons

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F.A. Farm is a small five-acre farm using sustainable practices and specializing in fruit and vegetable production.

**20-week share \$500**  
**Discount for early payment—**  
**call for details**

Our motto is “Food with Full Attention—Fresh Absolutely!—Flexible Always.” We offer CSA shares and custom-harvesting to order. In addition to selling produce, we teach those involved with our farm sustainable farming practices using small-scale technology. Our desire is to utilize the calorie-efficient human brain and hand, rather than conventional petrol-intensive practices, and we are experimenting with low-impact efficiencies, such as sheet mulching and hay bale culture. Vacations are not a problem with our CSA program—we just extend your season. You may also prepay for vegetables with our Farm Bucks program and receive a 10 percent bonus. We welcome visitors seven days a week during the June-October main season. Call first to make sure Walter is available.

## Holistic Homestead

### Gretchen Woody

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Holistic Homestead is a certified organic farm serving Whatcom County since 2005. The farmer, Gretchen Woody, believes that “organic farming and gardening restores the health of the soil, and further sustains the health of plants, animals, and humans.” The Holistic approach to organic agriculture becomes a preventative method for all life. Certified organic by the WSDA, our produce is grown, harvested, packed and delivered fresh weekly to a drop site in downtown Bellingham or available for farm pick-up. We recommend our farm account to families or individuals who prefer to buy fresh from the farmer’s market. In return for supporting the farmer in the spring, you receive an additional 10 percent added to your farm account. **Use your farm account at both the Wednesday and Saturday Markets during the peak season ONLY from June 1–October 31.**

**20 weeks June 15–October 26**  
**CSA Box \$400**  
**Farm Account \$100–\$200**

## Rabbit Fields Farm

### Roslyn McNicholl

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Rabbit Fields is a small organic farm situated on the fertile soil of the Nooksack River. Driven by young enthusiastic energy and a passion for sustainable living practices, Rabbit Fields is dedicated to providing fresh, local, organic produce to Whatcom County while preserving and maintaining its farm land. CSA shareholders receive an abundant box of seasonal mixed vegetables each

**20 weeks early June to mid-October**  
**CSA share \$400**  
**Bunny Bucks Farm Account \$200+**

week. Monthly newsletters brief you on what is happening in the fields and keep you connected with the surrounding farm community. CSA shares are available for pick up at either the Wednesday or Saturday Farmers Markets. If a CSA share does not fit your family, try our farm account program, Bunny Bucks. This prepaid system gives customers 10 percent more purchasing power, and allows you to choose products off the market table Wednesday and Saturday from April to December. Visit our booth at the Farmers Market starting in April.

## Rosa Verde Farm

### Wiley and Amber O’Donnell

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360-383-0893  
www.rosaverdefarm.com

Rosa Verde Organic Farm is located six miles north of Bellingham in the Laurel area. This is their seventh season of-

**Main Season first week of June—**  
**second week of October**  
**Large Share 20 weeks \$400**  
**Medium Share 20 weeks \$300**

ffering premium quality produce through a CSA program. With our utilization of biodynamic gardening and season extension techniques, we fill our weekly boxes with a bounty of seasonal delicacies. We deliver to a north and southside location each week, and offer pick-up at the farm. Eat well and develop a connection this season. Work-trade opportunities are available. Fall/winter share sign-ups offered as well.

## WakeRobin Farm

### Brigget LeClair, farm mistress

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WakeRobin Farm is located outside of Ferndale due west. This farm has been doing CSAs for several years and has produced amazingly beautiful CSA baskets. Vegetables are extremely varied, including many heirloom and Asian varieties. Produce and fruits include lettuce, greens, kale, chard, peas, beans, corn, potatoes, onions, summer/winter squash, tomatoes, rhubarb, strawberries, garlic, flowers, herbs, carrots, apples, cabbage, cauliflower, and more. Fresh eggs are sold on the farm and also Icelandic Lamb. Orders for lamb should be made by May as it sells out quickly.

**18-20 weeks June—October**  
**or depending on the growing**  
**season, late May—September**  
**or October**  
**CSA shares \$400 full share per**  
**season**  
**Farm eggs \$5/dozen**  
**Icelandic Lamb, call for details**

## Double Rainbow Farms

### David Peterson

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Double Rainbow is offering CSA memberships again this year. Working memberships are available for as low as \$90. Delivery is available for small cost. Pick-up locations are in Ferndale and Bellingham. Please sign up ASAP for appropriate crop planning.

**Full memberships \$340**  
**Partial memberships (1 or 2**  
**people) \$180**

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**Bellingham Country Gardens**

**Sam Grubbs**

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www.bellinghamcountrygardens.com

Bellingham Country Gardens is a sustainable no-spray vegetable and strawberry farm. Deliveries arranged. More information is available on our website.

**15 weeks  
CSA \$250  
U-pick July 1–October 31,  
Wednesdays and Saturdays  
9–6**

**Galactic Organics**

**Mike Long**

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Farmer Mike Long offers salad greens, strawberries, beans, garlic, radishes, carrots, peas, heirloom tomatoes, blueberries and much more. I use the methods proposed by Rudolf Steiner's Agriculture Lectures to grow nutritious and delicious food from healthy, living soil. Located just five miles north of Bellingham, we are the closest certified organic CSA to Bellingham. Pick up is at the Saturday Bellingham Farmers Market or at the farm on Fridays. Shares provide a family with all their produce needs. Boxes get pretty hefty midseason, and splitting a share with a neighbor or roommate is recommended for couples and light eaters. We also offer worker shares to those who can volunteer on harvest days for a few hours. Contact your farmer, Michael Long. Let's build community with healthy food!

**20 week June—October  
CSA share \$400**

**Cedarville Farm**

**Mike and Kimberly Finger**

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Cedarville Farm, now in its 21st season of organic farming, is Whatcom County's oldest and largest CSA, serving more than 180 families this season. We distribute share boxes at four pick-up sites in Bellingham and at our farm stand. This year we are offering full and half shares in both the main and fall harvest season—a total of 30 weeks of locally grown food. Our shares vary according to the season, with each box comprised of a variety of freshly harvested vegetables, with culinary herbs, eggs, and flowers distributed occasionally. New in 2009, we are offering a Four-week Trial Share. The Farmers Market Share allows shareholders to select the produce they want at the Saturday Bellingham Farmers Market. Shares can be paid in full or by monthly installments.

**Main Season Share: Full \$360,  
Half \$175  
Fall Season Share: Full \$210,  
Half \$100  
Four-week Trial Share: \$85  
Farmers Market Share: \$75  
min. investment**

**Growing Whatcom CSA**

**Jay Dennison**

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Now in our third year, the Growing Whatcom CSA is more than just great food. It's families getting reconnected with local farms while reducing their impact on the environment. It's local farmers growing fresh, organic fruits, vegetables and herbs for the families in our community. It's a project that ties local farms together as one team to provide consumers with the best that Whatcom County has to offer. The Growing Whatcom CSA is a collaborative effort

**Season runs  
June 18—October 29  
Full Share \$450  
Half Share \$250**

of several farms throughout the county. Each farm adds in its own unique assortment of crops, making Growing Whatcom a diverse and delicious way to support your local growers. You're investing in a share of the harvests from not one, but more than a dozen small farms: Hopewell Farm, Rabbit Fields, Alm Hill, Nooksack Nine, Broadleaf Farm, Cooperativa Jacal, Bellewood Acres, F.A. Farms, K&M Red River Farm, Hauck's Orchards, Double Rainbow, or DEVine Gardens. Customers can count on absolutely fabulous food.

**Terra Verde Garden**

**Amy and Skuter Fontaine**

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At Terra Verde we believe that pleasures of the table begin in the garden where we lovingly tend to a wide variety of vegetables, berries, flowers, and herbs. Our farm lies on fertile soil in Everson, WA with a long history of organic farming—and we are pursuing our WSDA organic certification. We are committed to the tradition of small family farms feeding their local communities sustainably grown, seasonal produce. Your share is available for pick up at either the Wednesday or Saturday Bellingham Farmers Markets. We also offer a Market share so you can shop with us at our local farmers markets. We look forward to sharing our harvest and love of food and farming with you and your family.

**20 weeks June–October  
Main season CSA \$350  
Farmer Market Share \$50  
minimum (10 percent is added  
to your balance at each pay-  
ment and carried forward to  
the next season if necessary)**

**Moondance Farm**

**Billy and Nicole Tate**

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Moondance Farm is a sustainable family farm nestled in the foothills of Mount Baker. The farm's focus is to grow nutritious organic food in unison with family and community. Our vegetables, fruits, herbs, and flowers are grown organically and offered seasonally, including ethnic specialties and heirloom varieties. Our CSA program is an important link in our vision of connecting as farmers with our local community and cultivating relationships between the farm and the table. Our weekly boxes of organic produce vary with the growing season. Recipes and stories about our products will accompany each weekly delivery. Shares can be picked up in Bellingham or at the farm in Acme, and we can make delivery arrangements. Early in the season, we will speak with each member directly to discuss specialized needs, preferences, or smaller share sizes. Payment and a limited number of work-trade options are available.

**20 weeks June—October  
Full Season Share \$400**

**Uprising Organics Farm**

**Brian, Crystine, and Rowan**

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This is the third year of Uprising Organics CSA. We love what we do and we strongly believe that the best food can and should be accessible to all. We accept EBT (food stamps) for at least 75 percent of our shares. We look forward to getting to know each of you and think that you will be as excited to receive your food as we are to grow and harvest it. Garden seed packet options are available. Delivery season will begin first or second week of June (weather depending). Shares are picked up at our home in Bellingham. We have a limited number of shares available. Please reserve a space by the end of May.

**\$20/week (equal to approx  
\$400/season). Suitable for 4-6  
\$15/week (equal to about \$300/  
season). Suitable for 1-2**