

Who Are Our Farmers?

...You May Already Know Us!

Because we want your customers to know where their food comes from, we code each box of fresh produce (or when appropriate, each item) **with the source farm code. Each farmer's code will remain the same every year.** You or your customers can easily look up which farm grew each item!

Visit www.GarrettFarms.org/GarrettGrowers.htm

Our 2013 Growers:

AL02 Allen Lilly, Ryan's Glade Farm & Garden

ES03 Evan Schrock

CD04 Charles DeBerry, DeBerry Farm Fresh Produce

KT06 Kathy & Tom Tucker, Meadow Cross Farm

AL07 Aaron & Levi Lantz, A.L.L. Boer Goats & Produce

HS08 Harry Swartz, Five Aces

NM09 Naaman Miller

LK10 Lester Kauffman, Whispering Pines Family Farm

FP11 Fred Petersheim

IY12 Irene & Dan Yoder

GC13 Gary Coene, Fawn Valley Farm

JM14 Jay Maust

What is a Co-op?

We're legally incorporated as a producer's cooperative (Co-op), which means that the business is owned by the farmers it serves. We're democratically controlled 100% by farmers; we have officers and a Board of Directors who are farmers. Co-op operating expenses are paid out of regular commissions on sales, and any profits at the end of the year are distributed according to the growers' wishes. The economic goal of the Co-op is service at cost to growers.



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Want Fresh, Local Produce?

...We've Got It!

Are your customers asking for fresher, better tasting, longer lasting produce grown locally? Then we can help you give them what they want! Our farmers work together to plan what items to grow, when to have them ripen, and how to deliver them to restaurants, grocery stores, and other retailers. Let us know what you want, and we'll work to give it to you! At right are some of the offerings in 2012.

What Do Garrett Growers Offer?

We have a wide variety of fresh produce items, available throughout the normal Garrett County growing season. In addition, our growers are using season-extension techniques to allow you to offer local fresh produce from early spring through late fall!

Who are Garrett Growers?

We're a small group of area farmers who formed an agricultural cooperative in 2011. We work together to plan and market our fresh produce to new outlets. We educate our members on food safety, post harvest handling, and other topics of value to our customers.

What Can Be Grown Here?

...We Have Lots of Options!

In addition to the items in the chart, our farmers grow: Cauliflower, Potatoes (Red,

White, Blue), Herbs (Cilantro, Thyme, Oregano, Purple Basil), Winter Squash (Delicata, Buttercup), Pumpkins, Celery, Garlic, Kale, Collards, Spinach, Sugar Snap Peas, Parsnips, Turnips, Sweet Corn, Melons, Kohlrabi, Dry Beans, Asparagus, and more!

Items Sold in 2012	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
Tomatoes (Slicing, Roma, Grape)						
Lettuce (Romaine, Leaf)						
Bell Peppers (Green)						
Bell Peppers (Red, Yellow, Orange)						
Hot Peppers						
Broccoli						
Green Onions						
Red/White Onions						
Strawberries						
Radishes						
Raspberries						
Cucumbers						
Cabbage						
Summer Squash (Yellow, Zucchini)						
Green Beans						
Beets						
Eggplant						
Basil						
Winter Squash (Butternut, Acorn)						

Key:

 Items were actually sold during these months in 2012.

 Items may be available during these months in 2013.

Help us Plan for 2014!

Our farmers are making their product plans now and will soon be ordering seeds, plants, and greenhouse supplies!

Let us know what items you would like (even if not on this list!), when you would like it, and how much you hope to get. We'll work to give you what you need!