

## Regular Share (8-month CSA)

A Regular Share CSA consists of a weekly bag of seasonal vegetables and fruit intended to feed two adults. As a CSA member you are assured of having the best of what we grow over a 8-month period. (April-Nov.)

## Lite Share (8-month CSA)

A Lite Share is just a smaller version of the Regular Share, containing four basic items from the variety available each week. (April-Nov.)

## Egg CSA (quarterly)

We are proud to offer eggs produced by our pasture-grazed chickens. Our farm is Animal Welfare Approved so our chickens live under the highest and most humane standards. You can choose one, two, or one-half dozen each week of the session. See Payment and Pickup section for details. (quarterly)

## Fruit-Only CSA (in season)

This Fruit –Only CSA will provide strawberries, peaches, grapes, plums, summer melons, apples, pears, and crabapples. You will be notified by email when each fruit is “in season.” You will then pick up at the farm or a designated location each week until the particular fruit has stopped producing. Of course, all of these are weather permitting. (Please read and sign the disclosure.)



*Our produce must pass rigorous taste tests*

## Sign up for a Berry Creek Farm CSA and know your farmer!

Your food will travel about 30 miles from our farm to your home improving your health, reducing your carbon footprint, promoting sustainable agriculture, and keeping your dollars in the local economy.

To begin this journey, you will pay in advance for a 8-month CSA (April-Nov.), Egg CSA (quarterly), or Fruit-Only CSA. Then pick up weekly or in the case of the Fruit-Only CSA, pick up as the fruit is available throughout the year.



*Mid-season Regular Share CSA from 2013*

Complete the application form and send your deposit. The number of subscriptions is limited, so subscribe early!

## Berry Creek Farm 2014 Community Supported Agriculture Certified Organic

### What's it all about?

The original idea of CSA—to re-establish a sense of connection to the land for urban dwellers and to foster a sense of community—began in the late 1970's. Originally, the CSA member would spend time working at the farm in exchange for their 'share' of food. As noble as that may sound, today is different.



*Larry at Farmers' Market*

Today's Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) provides a great opportunity for you to establish a relationship with a local, certified organic farmer by purchasing a subscription (like a magazine subscription) in

advance and receiving a weekly bag of the best produce around during the spring, summer and fall. This relationship is reciprocal, Larry, your farmer, offers organic produce that excels in flavor and health benefits. Our produce is picked ripe and travels less than 30 miles to reach your home. You will once again enjoy the seasonal nature of food.

### Who Benefits?

Everyone involved!

#### The members:

- Receive fresh, organic produce
- Take pleasure in the fabulous flavor of real food
- Enjoy the health benefits of chemical-free food

#### The farmer:

- My expenses occur long before I put a seed in the ground and your support is invaluable
- My life is enriched by making new friends and building and maintaining friendships

## What to expect from the CSA

Early in the season, shares tend to be light containing mostly greens and salad fare, but don't be discouraged. In the summer the shares will contain more variety. Produce is harvested ripe and fresh, most less than 24 hours before a pick up. During the season, we expect to have plenty of asparagus, beans, beets onions, tomatoes, herbs, squash, and cucumbers, just to name a few. We would love to fill "special requests" from our CSA members. If it can be grown in Oklahoma, we will give it a whirl.

## What to expect from the Egg CSA

Each week you will receive the freshest, tastiest eggs in this area. We are Animal Welfare Approved (AWA), undergoing a yearly audit to maintain the highest and most humane standards for our pasture-grazed chickens.

## What to expect from the Fruit Only CSA

This unique option will give you fruit in season. It will begin approximately in April with strawberries and end with pumpkins in approximately November. You will receive an email when the fruit is ready for pick up. For example, the strawberries are available for about 4 weeks, the peaches for about 8 weeks, and the grapes for about 6 weeks. This is a new option this year and we are very excited about it. Please read and sign the disclosure on the application. In farming, production is always beholden to the weather.

**E-mail: [berrycreekfarm.ok@gmail.com](mailto:berrycreekfarm.ok@gmail.com)**  
or give us a call at 405-659-3879  
Send completed application with check or money order to:

### Larry and Jacque Hocking

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1021 S. Tyler Ave.  
Blanchard, OK 73010

## Payment and Pickup

### CSA or Lite CSA

A deposit of \$100 will hold your subscription and full payment is due Jan. 31, 2014.

### Egg CSA

Full-payment, for a session of the Egg CSA, is due on the first day of the month prior to the session beginning. The number of subscriptions is limited, so subscribe early!

Session	Quarter	Payment Due
1	Jan.–Mar.	December 1
2	Apr.–June	March 1
3	July–Sept.	June 1
4	Oct.–Dec.	September 1

One dozen..... \$ 78 per session  
Two dozen..... \$156 per session  
One-half dozen \$ 52 per session

### Fruit-Only CSA

A deposit of \$100 will hold your subscription and full payment is due Jan. 31, 2014.

Pick up is at the farm or at an alternate location, which will be chosen when we know what location would be beneficial to our 2014 members.

## Meet the Farmer and visit the farm

Come out and visit. See our operation. We won't put you to work unless you just want to work. Please call ahead to schedule a time!

For pictures of past CSA pickups and more information about Berry Creek Farm, visit <http://www.berrycreekfarm.us>



*Berry Creek Farm, LLC*  
Certified Organic

# 2014 Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) Application Form

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Name

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Mailing Address

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City, State and Zip

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Day Telephone

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E-mail Address

I am interested in the:

- Regular Share CSA (8 month) .....\$900.00  
 Lite Share CSA (8 month) .....\$550.00  
 Egg CSA One Dozen (weekly) ..\$78.00 per session  
 Egg CSA Two Dozen (weekly) \$156.00 per session  
 Egg CSA Two Dozen (weekly) ..\$52.00 per session  
 April–June Session  
 July–Sept Session  
 Oct–Dec Session  
 Fruit Only CSA (in season) .....\$500.00

### Disclosure

I understand that there is some risk involved in any farming endeavor, but I believe that Berry Creek Farm will do their best to provide all they have promised. I realize they have no control over bad weather, drought, pests, owls or chicken hawks.

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