

CSA Stands for Commuity Supported Agriculture. In 1990, Jan developed a new CSA model that allowed our customers to get exactly what they wanted in return for supporting our farm through the expensive spring startup season. She coined the term "Free Choice CSA," and 35 years later it continues to serve our supporters.

When you invest in our farm at the start of the season, you receive a credit in the amount you paid PLUS a percentage bonus. Spend it at any of our five farmers' markets or our farm store for all 26 weeks of the season! Your balance must be used by November 1st and does not carry over.

Choose exactly what you want from everything we sell. At markets find all of our certified organic vegetables, flowers, strawberries, organic garden seedlings, and our wood-fired maple syrup. Find all that and more in the farm store: eggs, sourdough bread, ground beef, chicken pot pies, sausage, raw milk, cheese, yogurt, kraut and other ferments, jams and chutneys, hot sauce, honey, apples and cider, and blueberries, all produced here in midcoast Maine by friends at neighboring farms.

Enjoy peak flavor and abundance from May through October at up to a 10% discount when you sign up by May 1st. Bring a check to market or the farm stand, or mail it to us, and include the form on the back of this sheet. You'll get a card to use at market, and we can easily look you up if you forget it. Learn more and find answers to FAQs on our website, goransonfarm.me.

## Your investment supports:

- 10+ rural, year-round, full-time jobs with benefits, plus a dozen more seasonal and part-time jobs.
- Over 100 acres of organic land stewardship and environmental protection on the banks of Merrymeeting Bay.
- Food Access: We donate over 30,000 lbs of organic food every year, and are supporters of Maine Harvest Bucks and WIC.

## What's in it for you?

- Local, organic food! Fresh food grown in healthy soil makes for the best flavor and nutrition possible.
- Flexibility. Choose only what you want, when you want it, without losing any value in your share.
- Diversity! Find as many as 70 different items on our market tables. We pride ourselves on quality and abundance.
- A great fit for home gardeners. Choose from our organic herb, flower, and veggie starts in May and June.
- Beyond Vegetables: Our Free Choice CSA includes all of the farmraised meat, dairy, flowers, and other products we sell.
- A good deal! Every time you shop, you're getting it at a 7.5 10% discount, depending on which share you choose.

## WE WANT TO BE YOUR FARMERS!

Thank you for keeping us going for another season. -Jan, Rob, Carl, Göran, and the rest of the farm crew.

PRINT LEGIBLY and return this form with your check before 5/1

NAME:

TOWN:

EMAIL:

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Full Share: \$400 (you get \$440 credit)

Half Share: \$200 (you get \$215 credit)

Make Check Payable To: Goranson Farm 250 River Rd, Dresden, ME 04342 goransonfarm.me