

I would like to become a member of the 2024 West Belmar, NJ Organic CSA

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

If splitting a share please provide name and email/phone # of person sharing with you

Share Options (Please check one):

_____ **Premium Full share-** \$1040 +\$15 member fee Pick up every Friday for 24 weeks. Will contain, on average, 10-12 items and a larger quantity of most of the items in the basic share. Will also include various less common vegetables not found in the Basic or Medium shares such as escarole, radicchio, fennel and frissee over the course of the season.

_____ **Basic Full share-** \$860 +\$15 member fee Pick up every Friday for 24 weeks. Will contain, on average, 9-10 items, approximately 75% of the Premium share.

_____ **Pre-bagged Medium share-** \$690 + \$15 member fee Pick up every Friday for 24 weeks. Will contain, on average 9-10 items, half the quantity of many of the items in the premium share. Includes the cost of bagging.

_____ **Boxing charge-** prepackaged Basic and Premium shares will incur a boxing charge of \$75 per season. Most of this charge is necessary to cover the cost of the boxes, many of which in the past have not been returned for reuse.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

1. Mail two checks and this form to: Jill Tralka 1006 5th Ave. Wall, NJ 07719

- Endorse the CSA SHARE check to Circle Brook Farm
- Endorse the member fee check of \$15 to Jill Tralka

Or

2. Pay by credit card

Call Farmer John at 973.332.6935

There will be an up-charge of approx. 3% (\$15 Medium, \$20 Basic, \$25 Premium)
Please indicate that you have paid Farmer John by credit card with confirmation on your application.

The \$15 member fee can be paid by check, endorse and mail to Jill Tralka or pay by Venmo: @Jill-Tralka

Or

3. Venmo*

CSA Farm Share cost: @John-Krueger-19
Membership

The \$15 member fee: @Jill-Tralka

***If you choose to pay by Venmo it is imperative that you note WEST BELMAR CSA,
And share size***

*For your CSA order to be complete you will need to email a screenshot of your Venmo payment to - JTralkaRN@aol.com

Please read and sign below

I commit to membership in the West Belmar CSA for the 2024 season which is planned to run for 24 weeks starting early June and ending mid November. As a member of the CSA, I will receive a weekly share of produce. The shares will vary by size and weight depending on the harvest and the season.

One aspect of CSA is that members support their farmer by sharing in the inherent risks of agriculture (poor weather, drought, disease, early frost, crop failure and so on) and rewards (the bounty from a good season.) CSA farmers purposely plan for such contingencies and use growing techniques that protect the harvest, minimize risk to members and optimize the rewards: growing a wide variety of crops that thrive in different types of conditions, cover cropping, crop rotation, and irrigation. Moreover, the CSA builds relationships of trust between the farmer and the community group. On the whole, members should get a wide variety of vegetables in generous amounts. Therefore, I agree that while John Krueger will act in good faith to provide fresh organic produce for the duration of the season, there is no guarantee of quantities or contents of weekly shares.

I am fully aware that it is necessary to inspect and wash all produce thoroughly before consuming. John Krueger, his workers, his farm, all CSA members and administrators, Jill Tralka, and the settings we use to pick up our shares and their administrators and employees have no liability in terms of the safety of the food or on the premises.

I am also fully aware that when driving, parking, and picking up my CSA share at 1006 5th Ave. West Belmar (Wall) I do so willingly and the homeowners have no liability.

Date: _____

Name: _____

Signature: _____