



Sign up today for Pendleton's Country Market's CSA Program

Community Supported Agriculture consists of a community of individuals who pledge support to a farm operation, with the growers and consumers providing mutual support and sharing the risks and benefits of food production. (USDA)

Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) provides a great opportunity for you to establish a relationship with a local farmer by purchasing a subscription in advance and receiving a weekly bag of the best produce around during the spring, summer and fall.

It's about adding a real face and real lives to your daily meals. It's about keeping your food dollars in your own community, county and state. It's about money that multiplies through local stores, banks and schools.

When you become a CSA member, you are making a commitment to feeding yourself and your family better. You are making a commitment to paying a fair price for the labor of the farmers who feed you. Joining Pendleton's Country Market CSA is about making a choice to live better, healthier and more sustainably.

We offer two types of Subscriptions:

Option 1.

Subscribers receive a bag each week of seasonal produce that is hand harvested and fresh. The bag will typically contain 6 - 8 different items of a variety of vegetables, herbs, and sometimes small fruit, eggs, cheese or value added items. Bags will be picked up at the farm each Tuesday or Wednesday, or other designated day and location with at least 8 subscribers.

Option 2.

Subscribers receive a punch card that can be used at our farmstand or at the Saturday Lawrence Farmers Market. Each month's card is good for the entire month—spend as little or as much as you'd like each week. This option allows you to stock up on seasonal items that you may want enough of to can or freeze, and it allows you to be gone for a week, and not have to find someone to pick up your share.

2017 CSA LOCATIONS

Tuesdays

**Douglas County K-State*
Research and Extension**
2110 Harper Street

CA&L
1202 E 23rd Street

Douglas County Courthouse*
11th & Massachusetts

Lawrence Library
700 Vermont

Lawrence Housing Authority
1600 Haskell Ave

Pendleton's Country Market*
1446 E 1850 Road

Wednesdays

Princeton Child Care Center*
3340 Peterson Road

Free State Dental Office
3310 Mesa Way

Cottonwood, Inc.
2801 W 31st Street

Clinton Parkway Nursery*
4900 Clinton Parkway

Lawrence DG County Health Dept.
200 Maine St.

United Way of Douglas County
2518 Ridge Ct.

Pendleton's Country Market*
1446 E 1850 Road



**These locations are open to anyone in the community, to pick up their CSA bags, during business hours.*

If you are a business looking for an opportunity to bring a CSA to your workplace as part of a wellness program, please contact Karen Pendleton, at karenp@pendletons.com



2017 Community Supported Agriculture Contract

A completed and signed application form and payment is required no later than April 1, 2017 to reserve your space in the program.

Please let us know which pick up location would work best for you.
 *See attached page for current drop off locations. We will add new locations that have at least 8 CSA members.

NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

EMAIL _____

CSA SHARE SELECTION	Share Price	Qty.	Subtotal
OPTION 1. (Delivered) Produce bags delivered to location for 12 or 20 weeks beginning the week of May 10, 2017. Your first week's drop off will include an insulated reusable tote bag. You will also receive a 10% discount on all plant purchases at the farm during May and June. <i>(Please circle your choice of a 12 week CSA or a 20 week CSA.)</i>	\$180.00	12 weeks	
	\$300.00	20 weeks	
OPTION 2. (Use at Pendleton's Country Market or their Farmers Market Booths) Monthly Punch Cards worth \$60, that can be used at the Pendleton Farm or at their Farmers Market booths Each month's card is good for the whole month—spend as little or as much as you'd like each week. This option allows you to stock up on seasonal items to can or freeze, and it allows you to be gone for a week, and not have to find someone to pick up your share. Cards can be used to buy plants, foods, and other items found at Pendleton's Country Market. Members receive an insulated reusable tote bag, and receive 10% off all plant purchases during the month used. <i>(Please circle months wanted.)</i>	\$60.00 per month	May June July August Sept. Oct. Nov.	
FALL STORAGE SHARE One-time pick up, to be picked up at the farm or at the summer pick up locations on November 1st. You will receive a box that could include sweet potatoes, winter squash turnips, fresh greens and greens that will help feed your family through the holiday and the cold of winter.	\$60.00		
MEMBERSHIP FEE This membership fee covers the operating costs of the subscription service. If paying monthly, the first month is due with your membership fee.	\$12.00		\$12.00
FULL PAYMENT DISCOUNT If paying for the entire season, there is a \$6 discount.	Subtract \$6		—
	Total Due		

_____ One Payment Please enclose full payment with your application By making payment in full you save \$6. We accept cash, checks, VISA, MasterCard and Discover.

_____ Monthly Payments If paying by check, please enclose a check for each month, dated 2 months before your bag or punch card membership begins. We will not deposit checks until the date written. If payment by credit card, we will automatically bill your card 2 months before each month of your membership

PAYMENT _____ Enclosed is a check(s) payable to: Pendleton's Country Market
(Please select one) _____ Please bill my credit card below. Please make sure your credit card billing address is correct above.

Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____ Security Code (3 digits) _____

Be sure to sign the Terms of Agreement on Page 2 of this contract and return both pages with your payment to:
 Pendleton's Country Market, 1446 E. 1850 Rd., Lawrence, KS 66046

For office use only: _____ May _____ June _____ July _____ August _____ September _____ October _____ November

Terms of Agreement

I commit to membership in the Pendleton's Country Market Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) Program for the 2017 harvest season.

The Shares

As a member of the CSA, I will receive (1.) a weekly share of produce for 12 or 20 weeks, beginning the week of May 10th, 2017, or (2.) a punch card worth \$60, that can be used at the Pendleton farm or at the Saturday Lawrence Farmers Market. Each month's card is good for the entire month, and may be purchased for as many months (May - November) as wanted.

An insulated reusable tote bag will be given to each CSA member, and each member will receive a 10% discount on bedding plants from Pendleton's Country Market during the months of their membership.

Option 1. members will receive vegetables, with occasional small fruits, honey or other value added food items. Option 2. members may use their punch card on any product that Pendleton's Country Market offers. This could be produce, fresh cut flowers, bedding plants, pottery, garden decorations, or value added food items.

One aspect of CSAs 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 community group. On the whole, members will get a wide variety of vegetables in plentiful amounts. Pendleton's Country Market will act in good faith to provide fresh produce for the duration of the season, however, there is no guarantee of quantities or contents of weekly shares. **Members are welcome to split a share with someone. However, share-splitting is the responsibility of the member. Pendleton's Country Market does not manage the splitting of shares. Many members work out arrangements to share with their friends and neighbors, when they have to leave town during the growing season.**

Member Responsibilities

As a CSA member, I agree to pick up my share at my chosen pick-up site during the set time period. If I will be away or otherwise unable to pick up my share, I will make arrangements for someone else to pick it up for me. Any shares not claimed on the day of delivery will be donated to Just Foods.

I realize it is important to read the CSA Newsletter every week AND understand important news and information about my weekly CSA is shared through the online newsletter. I would like to be an active participant in the CSA program, and will contact my farmer if I have any questions or concerns.

Signed _____ Dated _____

PLEASE KEEP A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS.

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If you're curious about what to expect in the CSA, here's a list of what we hope to feature each month, as the season permits. The seeds are ordered, and your financial support will help us get it all planted in the ground.

May

Spinach, Asparagus, Green Onions, Lettuce, Bok Choy, Kale, Hydroponic Tomatoes, Radishes, Herbs, Rhubarb, Strawberries (and remember that CSA members received 10% off of bedding plants at the farm!)

June

Sugar Snap and Snow Peas, Onions, Chinese Cabbage, Herbs, New Potatoes, Hydroponic Tomatoes, Dill Weed, Kale, Asparagus, Blackberries, Shiitake Mushrooms, Sweet and Tart Cherries, Kohlrabi

July

New Potatoes, Summer Squash, Cabbage, Green Beans, Sweet Corn, Shallots, Garlic, Basil, Cucumbers, Kale Tomatoes, Peaches

August

Sweet peppers, Cucumbers, Cantaloupe, Summer Squash, Green Beans, Basil, Tomatoes, Onions, Potatoes, Okra, Watermelon, Eggplant

September

Cucumbers, Summer Squash, Green Beans, Sweet Peppers, Tomatoes, Onions, Sweet Potatoes, Okra, Eggplant, Salad Mix, Radishes, Winter Squash, Edamame, Hot Peppers, Apples