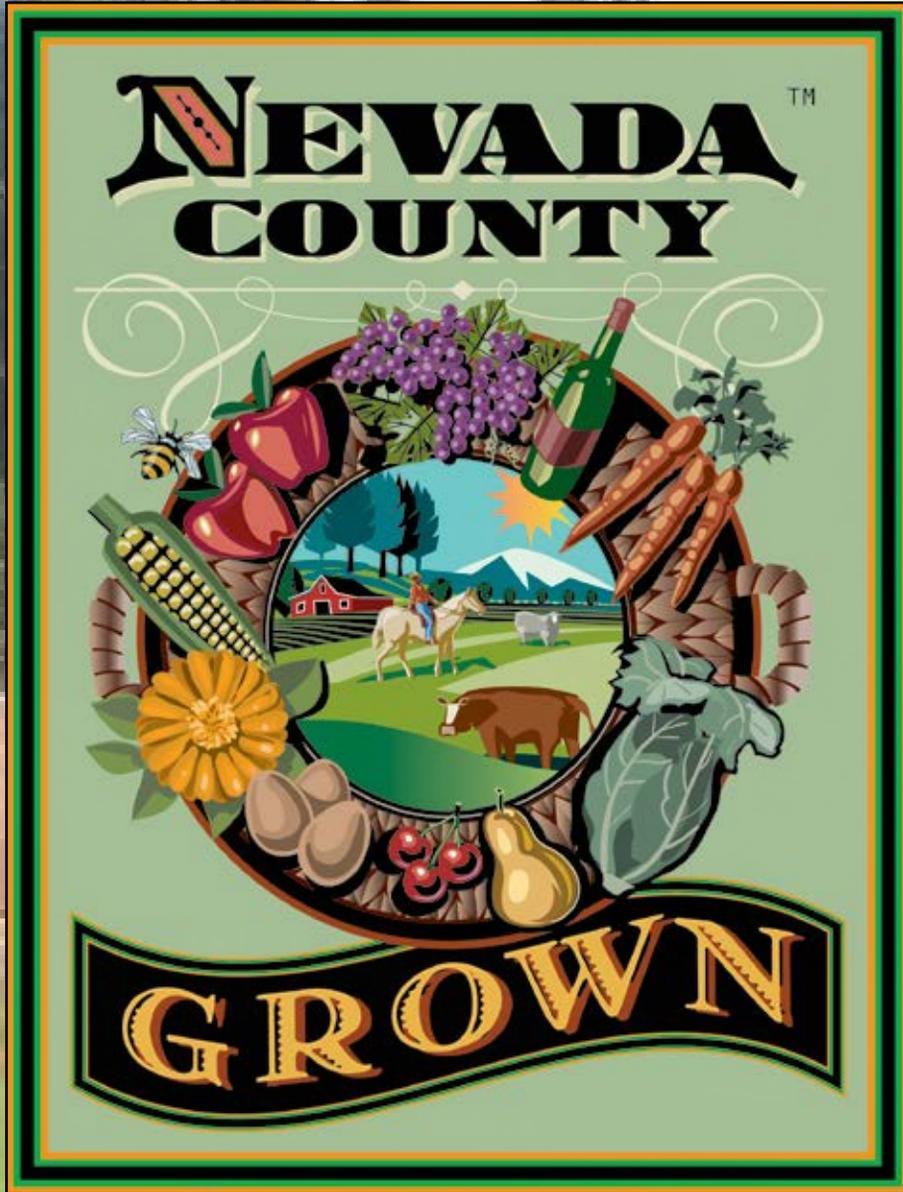


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## President's Message

This 11th edition of the Farm Guide continues as a handy guide on the local food and agriculture scene and adds more information on shopping, events and resources for beginning farmers.

The importance our community places on local food grows stronger. From 2014 to 2015, the value of local produce from our farms nearly doubled. Nevada County Grown is working hard to support more growth with initiatives that increase demand.

At our annual Bounty of the County we featured a Farm to Table competition for local chefs and farms and ranches. Wow, what great food was enjoyed by over 200 attendees! See who won inside!

The Food Hub launched a pilot to better connect small farms, local restaurants, schools and grocers. This year the Hub is in full swing. We want shoppers to get the same great food they purchase at local growers markets on their plates when they dine away from home.

So, please enjoy our updated Farm Guide. Check out the restaurants, grocers, and caterers and businesses that support local food, and visit the wonderful farms and ranches that bring so much beauty and abundance to Nevada County.

*~Debbie Gibbs, President*

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The Nevada County Food Hub endeavors to provide excellent food to buyers: Grocers, Restaurants, and Caterers.

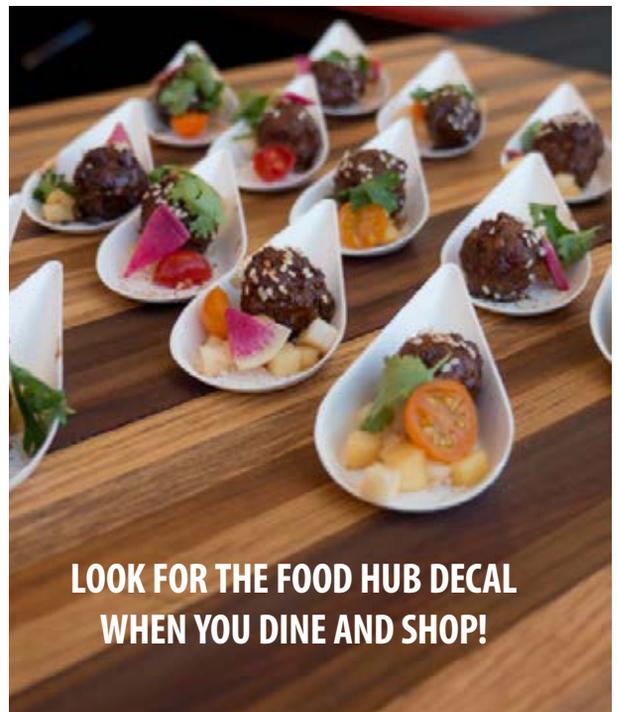
- Nevada County Grown is excited to provide this important link in the food distribution infrastructure.
- Products are sourced from our local farms and ranches that tend to their fields and pastures with care.
- All Buyers and Suppliers in this guide will display this decal next to their listing.

*I'm looking forward to working with everyone this season. I'm already feeling energized by your interest and commitment to growing our local food system!*

*Please feel free to contact me with your ideas, comments and suggestions.*



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**LOOK FOR THE FOOD HUB DECAL  
WHEN YOU DINE AND SHOP!**



# NEVADA COUNTY GROWN IS PROUD TO INTRODUCE **THE HUB** TO THE COMMUNITY



**START IN 2016**

The **2016** Soft Launch on-line market successfully connected the following farms and buyers:



**GROW IN 2017**

We are now growing another step by adding more farms and restaurants! Look for the Nevada County Food Hub 2017 logo to find those restaurants, caterers and grocers that buy a significant amount of local food from the Hub.

## NEVADA COUNTY GROWN FARMS



## BUYERS

- |                       |                              |                             |                   |                   |                |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Bitney Springs Farm   | Starbright Acres Family Farm | Indian Springs Organic Farm | Calmil Teoyotica  | Early Bird Farm   | Johansen Ranch |
| Super Tuber Farm      | Riverhill Farm               | Mountain Bounty Farm        | Meadow Orchard    | Fog Dog Farm      | Woolman Farm   |
| Son of Something Farm | Bakbraken Acres              | Family Friendly Farms       | Dawnridge         | James Ranch       | AM Ranch       |
| Cosmic Roots Ranch    | Laughing Oak Farm            | Grass Valley Grains         | McClaughery Farms | Calolea Olive Oil |                |

- |                              |                      |                                     |                          |
|------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
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| SPD Market - NC              | Matteo's Public      | Summer Thymes                       | Twelve 28 Kitchen        |
| Three Forks Bakery & Brewery | The Stonehouse       | Valentina's Organic Bistro & Bakery | Nevada City Classic Cafe |
| Emily's Catering & Cakes     | Antonio's Catering   | Spring Street Market & Deli         |                          |

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# Nevada County Farmers Markets



## Tuesday Morning

### **Truckee Certified Farmers Market**

8am-1pm, May 16–October 16  
Truckee River Regional Park  
10500 Brockway Rd, Truckee

### **Nevada County Certified Growers Market**

9am-1pm, May 2–November 21  
Nevada County Horsemen  
10600 Bubbling Wells Rd, Grass Valley

## Tuesday Afternoon

### **Jardin del Rio**

3pm-6pm, June -September  
Combie Plaza, 10556 Combie Rd, Auburn

## Thursday Morning

### **Nevada County Certified Growers Market**

9am-1pm, May 4–November 16  
Western Gateway Park  
18560 Penn Valley Dr, Penn Valley

## Thursday Afternoon

### **Grass Valley Downtown Association Thursday Night Market**

5:30pm-9pm, June 29–August 3  
Mill St, downtown Grass Valley

### **Jardin del Rio**

3pm-6pm, July 7–September 29  
Combie Plaza, 10556 Combie Road, Auburn

## Saturday Morning

### **Nevada City Farmers Market**

8:30am–1pm, June 3–November 18  
Union Street, downtown Nevada City

### **Nevada County Certified Growers Market**

8am–12:30 pm, April 15–November 18  
North Star House, Old Auburn Road, Grass Valley

## Sunday Morning

### **Slow Food Lake Tahoe**

10am-2pm, June 7–October 29  
12047 Donner Pass Rd, Truckee

## Farmers Markets Contact Information

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### Nevada City Farmers Market

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### Nevada County Certified Growers Market

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Pollinators are under attack. This includes honey bees, bumble bees, mason bees, and butterflies, to name a few. This is due to the use of pesticides and herbicides that we, over time, have come to use in our yards and in the farming industry. With the use of these chemicals the honey bee numbers are declining at an alarming rate. Honey bees are responsible for pollinating one-third the food that we eat. So, with no honey bees or pollinators, you might start to get a little hungry.

In Nevada County, there is a movement afoot to do something about the declining Honey bee population. In this community, we have a great resource with local stores, like A to Z Supply, that are bringing the beginning beekeeping population back on track. With beginning beekeeping classes in January, February and March, along with a class taught by Randy Oliver in April, and the most active Nevada County Beekeepers association, you can't go wrong with becoming a beekeeper.



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The biggest honey producing states are Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Florida. Only 10% of the honey that is consumed comes from the United States. All other honey is imported from other countries and we don't know if it is truly honey. So, when you buy honey, know your beekeeper.

The Nevada County Beekeepers association meets the first Monday of every month at the Vet's Hall in Grass Valley on South Auburn Street. A to Z Supply carries a full line of beekeeping equipment year-round and they also help new beekeepers get bees for their hives every Spring. So, stop by and talk to the Beekeepers at A to Z and get to know your local beezzzzz.



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One of the newest farms in western Nevada County, 2nd Chance Ranch will first be producing melons (cantaloupe and watermelon) for sale at the North Star Farmers Market. Later we will be adding table grapes, apples, and other fruits and berries.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at the North Star House on Old Auburn Road.

## AM Ranch



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Penn Valley

amranchciara@gmail.com

AM Ranch is a family owned and operated ranch. At AM Ranch we believe in using our animals and land together to create a sustainable and thriving environment. We raise beef, pork, lamb, and eggs. Our beef and lamb is grass fed and grass finished. All of our pigs and chickens are out on pasture and supplemented with a non-GMO feed.

**DIRECT SALES:** By Appointment only

**LOCATION:** 12990 Spenceville Road, Penn Valley

**CSA SUBSCRIPTIONS:** Winter ranch CSA.

**FARMERS MARKET:** Saturday morning in Nevada City.

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub

## Atirb Acres

530-346-8663

South County

lee@atirbacres.com

We have a small flock of White Dorper sheep. We sell weanling lambs as well as breeding stock. They are hair sheep which never need shearing. We also have a flock of free range chickens which provide eggs for our local neighbors.

**DIRECT SALES:** From the farm, call for information.

## Back to Basics Farm

530-477-9349

Grass Valley

bielen6@att.net

We are a small family farm supplying a variety of proteins to Nevada County. We raise chickens, eggs, turkeys and rabbit year round.

**DIRECT SALES:** Call farm for appointment or pick up can be arranged.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, Natural Selection.

**RESTAURANTS:** New Moon Cafe, Ike's Quarter Cafe, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Diego's, Summer Thyme's Bakery & Deli.

**OTHER:** Swan Levine House Bed & Breakfast

## Bakbraken Acres



530-263-3607

Chicago Park

joygirl9@sbcglobal.net

Growing organically in Nevada County for over 45 years, Bakbraken Acres is a leader in the production of extreme quality, specialty vegetables, including onions, tomatoes, peppers, potatoes, melons, berries, flowers, green beans, hops, and more. Situated on 40 acres at 2400' elevation on the western slope of the Sierra Nevada. Cultural practices include cover cropping, crop rotation, companion planting, compost, and buffer areas. Registered organic.

**FARM STAND:** Open Mondays and Thursdays 10 am–2 pm, July–October.

**LOCATION:** 14283 Judy Lane at Highway 174 and Powerline Rd., Chicago Park.

**GROCERY STORES:** Natural Selection.

**RESTAURANTS:** New Moon Cafe, Emily's Catering & Cakes.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub, special order and pick-up.

## Bakwrđ CP Mtn. Raised Poultry

530-346-8646

South County

ccbell813@gmail.com

Hello. We're Bakwrđ CP, a small family farm located in the Alta Sierra area. We are Cdfa approved and specialize in poultry, fresh eggs, and egg yolk products, along with rare breed chicks, Callducks, Bantams, and Serama.

**DIRECT SALES:** Produced/Hatched/Raised/Sold/Picked up onsite.

**FARM STAND:** Open every day. Call before pickup.

**LOCATION:** 19302 Tiger Tail Rd., Grass Valley.

**GROCERY STORES:** Natural Selection.

**RESTAURANTS:** New Moon Cafe, Emily's Catering & Cakes.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub, special order and pick-up.

## Barhydt Ranch

530-268-2060

South County

Lbarhydt@yahoo.com

We raise happy, healthy beef cattle on our ranch in South County. We sell weaned calves raised on pasture and without antibiotics or hormones. Our cattle are Angus crossbreds. We also sell a few steers finished each year.

**DIRECT SALES:** By appointment.

**LOCATION:** 23029 Meyer Ravine Road, Grass Valley.



## Bierwagen's Donner Trail Fruit

530-477-5992

Chicago Park

Farm Market 530-273-4005

[www.bierwagensfarm.com](http://www.bierwagensfarm.com)

[bierwagenfarm@gmail.com](mailto:bierwagenfarm@gmail.com)

A family-owned and operated farm since 1902. We grow and produce the very best Nevada County fruits and vegetables. Our promise to you is that we won't sell you anything we wouldn't love ourselves.

**DIRECT SALES:** See website for updates on current u-pick availability on berries, apples, and peaches.

**FARM STAND:** Open beginning Sept 19 for fall decorations, fresh pressed apple cider, apples, u-pick pumpkins; daily in October. Hours Monday-Friday 12-5pm; Saturday-Sunday 10-5pm, with additional activities on weekends. November hours Thursday-Saturday 12-4pm for seasonal produce and apple cider. Choose and cut Christmas trees available starting November 25, Friday-Saturday 10-4pm and Sunday 12-4pm through December 17. Other times by appointment only.

**LOCATION:** 17473 Lower Colfax Road, Chicago Park.

**RANCH STORE:** Bierwagen's Farm Market. Produce market open June 1 through mid-September Monday-Saturday, 11-4pm. Seasonal vegetables, fruit, eggs, flowers, jams, preserves & more. Raised by us or foraged as local as possible.

**LOCATION:** 18532 Colfax Hwy, Chicago Park.

**RESTAURANTS:** Happy Apple Kitchen.

## Bitney Springs Farm

530-432-3214

Newtown/Bitney Springs

[www.bitneyspringsfarm.com](http://www.bitneyspringsfarm.com)

[bitneyspringsfarm@gmail.com](mailto:bitneyspringsfarm@gmail.com)

We are a small family farm dedicated to growing wholesome foods for a healthier planet. Everything is grown using sustainable practices. Vegetables, fruits and flowers are available throughout the growing season with pumpkins closing out the season on Halloween. We also raise Katahdin sheep for meat or breeding, pasture raised pork and free range broilers. All our animals are out on pasture and are supplemented with non-soy, non-GMO feed.

**FARM STAND:** Check website for hours.

**LOCATION:** 16152 Bitney Springs Rd, Nevada City.

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., South Pine Cafe, Twelve 28 Kitchen.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub. Our beautiful farm is also available for tours and events.



## Blue Oaks Ranch

530-273-4699

South County

[www.blueoaksranch.org](http://www.blueoaksranch.org)

[info@blueoaksranch.net](mailto:info@blueoaksranch.net)

Blue Oaks Ranch sells top-quality breeding stock and advocate for small acreage farmers who wish to raise their own food; Lowline Cattle, Katahdin Sheep, Nubian Dairy Goats, and Friesian Dairy Sheep.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

## BrightSide Farm

530-488-1019

Newtown/Bitney Springs

[www.brightsidefarm.biz](http://www.brightsidefarm.biz)

[brightsidefarm@mail.com](mailto:brightsidefarm@mail.com)

We are a brand new family farm on 5 acres growing vegetables and berries using sustainable methods. For this year, we are healing parts of our new farm using cover-cropping, and look forward to expanding our operation next spring. This year we will be featuring a spectrum of early, mid, and late season vegetables and blackberries.

**DIRECT SALES:** By appointment. Check website/Facebook for information.

**FARM STAND:** Our self-serve farm stand will be open in late summer. Please check our website/Facebook for days and times.

**LOCATION:** 13440 Jones Bar Road, Nevada City.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub, Tahoe Food Hub.

## Broadfork Farm

530-272-9141

Cedar Ridge

[nancycrws@yahoo.com](mailto:nancycrws@yahoo.com)

Broadfork Farm is a family run microfarm on 1-1/2 acres. We grow healthy food at fair prices using natural inputs and sustainable practices. We specialize in heirloom varieties and plant starts. Come let us feed you!

**FARM STAND:** The on-site farm stand is open from 7am to 7pm daily from May to October.

**LOCATION:** 13624 N. Meadow View Dr, Grass Valley.

## Calmil Teoyotica

530-318-6165

Nevada City

[calmilteoyotica@gmail.com](mailto:calmilteoyotica@gmail.com)

Calmil Teoyotica is the Sacred House surrounded by flowers. Our job is to build a relationship with Earth, Wind, Fire, Water, Flora and Fauna to create loving food medicine sustaining our healthiest relationship with all of creation.

**DIRECT SALES:** To herbal retailers and restaurants.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

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### Calolea Olive Oil

530-749-1240

Neighbor/Loma Rica

[www.calolea.com](http://www.calolea.com)

[info@calolea.com](mailto:info@calolea.com)

Calolea's hand crafted olive oil has been certified "extra virgin" by the California Olive Oil Council and has an acidity level of 0.13%. The olives on the Keller's 100 year old Mission, Manzanillo and newly planted Tuscan olive trees are hand picked, custom milled and cold pressed within 24 hours to create the highest quality olive oil possible. Calolea uses organic growing methods only and have grass and olive fed cattle that graze and sustain their orchards.

**DIRECT SALES:** Tasting room by appointment only.

**LOCATION:** 68 Tennessee Lane, Marysville.

**FARMERS MARKET:** Over fifteen locations.

**GROCERY STORES:** SPD Market GV, SPD Market NC, BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Trattoria Milano.

**OTHER:** Tahoe Food Hub, Nevada County Food Hub.

### Citheria Farm

916-539-1388

South County

[rskillmandvm@gmail.com](mailto:rskillmandvm@gmail.com)

Ranch raised grass fed and grain finished beef and chevon. Registered dairy goats and Boer goats available. Mobile veterinary service available for food and fiber producing animals.

**DIRECT SALES:** By appointment only.

**LOCATION:** 22900 Perimeter Rd., Grass Valley.

**OTHER:** Escalon livestock market.

### Cone & Hill Christmas Tree Farm

530-559-2356

South County

[pugtastic2@gmail.com](mailto:pugtastic2@gmail.com)

Our Tree farm is family owned since 1985. Our field trees are hand pruned, Our precuts are in water to keep them fresh and we make our own wreaths from fresh material. We work hard to make your tree cutting experience a happy, family adventure.

**U-PICK:** Day after Thanksgiving-December 20, Friday 2-5pm, Saturday,-Sunday 10-5pm, or by appointment.

**LOCATION:** 21001 Cone and Hill Dr, Grass Valley. From Hwy 49, turn on Wolf Rd, go 2 1/2 miles on Wolf, turn right on Cone and Hill Dr, go 1/4 mile to farm parking lot.

### Cosmic Roots Ranch

530-913-5401

Grass Valley

[www.cosmicrootsranch.com](http://www.cosmicrootsranch.com)

[cosmicrootsranch@gmail.com](mailto:cosmicrootsranch@gmail.com)

We are a small family owned farm primarily raising heritage Mangalista pork. We also offer CA certified eggs. We pasture raise all our animals. We love sharing our passion for good wholesome farm fresh products.

**DIRECT SALES:** Can arrange for local pickup.

**LOCATION:** 16284 Indian Springs Ranch Rd., Grass Valley.

**RESTAURANTS:** Twelve 28 Kitchen.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

### Crest Point Farm

650-776-8840

Grass Valley

[www.squareup.com/store/crestpointfarms](http://www.squareup.com/store/crestpointfarms)

[bob@advantagebiz.com](mailto:bob@advantagebiz.com)

100% grass fed, 100% grass finished Dexter cattle. No GMO, no pour-on poisons, no antibiotics. We feed Grass Valley grass, apple cider vinegar, and mineral blocks. Our beef is very seasonal yielding optimum taste, fullness of flavor, and sweetness of beef. All steers are processed between July 15th and August 15th. This beef is from pure bred registered Dexter cattle, an ancient heritage breed dating back to the Roman Empire.

**OTHER:** Purchase from our web site.

### Dawnridge Farm

530-652-4038

South County

[www.dawnridgefarm.com](http://www.dawnridgefarm.com)

[info@dawnridgefarm.com](mailto:info@dawnridgefarm.com)

At Dawnridge Farm we specialize in Standard Bred Delaware Chickens and Bronze Turkeys. These are SLOW growing, naturally reproducing birds. We selectively breed, striving to improve our birds to be as close as possible to the American Poultry Association's "Standard of Perfection". Our chickens and turkeys are free range and hormone and antibiotic free. We sell day old chicks, poults, pullets and eggs.

**DIRECT SALES:** Young chicks available at the farm, by appointment. Pullets available.

**LOCATION:** 20548 Dawnridge Dr, Grass Valley.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

Ideas & Inspiration

## Ben Franklin

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[www.benfranklin-crafts.com](http://www.benfranklin-crafts.com)



598 Sutton Way  
Grass Valley  
(530)273-1348

Store Hours  
Mon-Fri 9am-8pm  
Sat 9am-6pm  
Sun 10am-6pm

## Dinner Bell Farm

530-272-2843

Chicago Park

www.dinnerbellfarm.com  
molly@dinnerbellfarm.com

At Dinner Bell Farm we grow pigs and flowers! In our unique system, our happy, heritage-breed hogs live under the shade of peach tree orchards and graze on annual forage. Yummy for them and yummy for you! Talk to us about buying cuts or whole animals right off the farm. And our flowers ...WOW - gorgeous! We love growing and arranging them for your wedding or event! Find us at the farmers market or come on out to the farm.

**DIRECT SALES:** Make an appointment to buy directly from the farm.

**LOCATION:** 14119 Judy Lane, Grass Valley.

**FARMERS MARKET:** Tahoe City Farmers' Market, Thursday mornings, June through September.

**RESTAURANTS:** Ike's Quarter Cafe, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co.

## Dipper Valley Ranch

530-265-8828

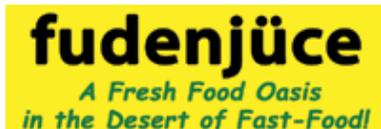
Nevada City

dippervalleyranch@sbcglobal.net

The Dipper Valley Ranch was established in 1863 by Jacob Peter Arbogast. It has always been a diverse operation from mining, timber, alpacas, dairy, various fruit trees, chestnuts and vegetable gardens. Today we have a natural beef operation, firewood and chestnuts production by pre orders only. We are a small operation continuing a few of the Arbogast Davies family traditions.

**DIRECT SALES:** By appointment via phone or email as products are seasonal.

**LOCATION:** 18109 Rock Creek Road, Nevada City.



815 Zion St., Nevada City

530-265-5282

Mon-Fri 8am-7pm

Sat 10am-7pm, Sun 10am-5pm

Full menu at fudenjuce.com



## Double Oak Vineyards & Winery

530-292-3235

San Juan Ridge

www.doubleoakwinery.com  
info@doubleoakwinery.com

We are a family farm and artisan winery dedicated to sustainable, nature-friendly practices from the vineyard to the winery. Growing winegrapes since 1982 on 9 acres of beautiful Sierra ridge-top vineyards. Producing fine wines displaying the intensity of mountain grown fruit, full-bodied, well-balanced & complex: Chardonnay, Dry Rosé, Zinfandel, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Late Harvest Zinfandel, & Red Table Wine. Check our website for more information.

**TASTING ROOM:** We welcome visitors for wine tasting, picnicking, winery and vineyard tours, events and sales. We also have fine art and photography by local artists and wine-related merchandise. Open Saturdays 11-5 pm, February-December, and by appointment.

**LOCATION:** 14510 Blind Shady Road. Check website for map. Take Hwy 49 north from Nevada City 10 miles; turn right onto Tyler Foote Rd; go 3.5 miles to crossroads; turn right onto Purdon Road; go 1.5 miles; turn left onto Blind Shady Road.

**GROCERY STORES:** Bigley's Market, BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, Mother Truckers, Rainbow Market, Sierra Market, Sierra Super Stop, SPD Market NC, SPD Market GV, Spring St. Market

**RESTAURANTS:** Double Oak fine wine is available in several local restaurants in Nevada City and Grass Valley.

**DIRECT SALES:** From the tasting room, website, email or phone. Check our website or call for information.

**OTHER:** Double Oak Wine Club: Members get assertive discounts on wine selections (including reserve & new release) and for events & wine merchandise. We are also dog friendly.

## Early Bird Farm



530-913-8461

Newtown/Bitney Springs

earlybirdfarm@yahoo.com

Early Bird Farm grows high quality vegetables and fruits on a 5 acre farm using sustainable methods and permaculture practices. We also grow grains, milling them on-site on our natural stone mill into whole grain flours and corn polenta. We have a great pancake mix, available in the bulk bins at BriarPatch. Come by the farm!

**DIRECT SALES:** We come to you, or come visit the farm!

**LOCATION:** 11019 Newtown Rd, Nevada City.

**RESTAURANTS:** Matteo's Public, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Ike's Quarter Cafe, Valentina's Organic Bistro & Bakery, New Moon Cafe, The Willo.

**GROCERY STORES:** SPD Market NC, SPD Market GV, BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**OTHER:** Tahoe Food Hub, Nevada County Food Hub.

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## Family Friendly Farms

530-268-8000 South County

[www.familyfriendlyfarms.ca](http://www.familyfriendlyfarms.ca)

[fff.meat@gmail.com](mailto:fff.meat@gmail.com)

USDA Certified, all-natural grass-fed beef, lamb, pork, chicken, and turkey. Corn Free, Soy Free w/no GMO's, no added hormones, no antibiotics, and no pesticides; just 100% good-for-you healthy food.

**FARM STAND:** Open anytime. Open freezer on Fridays.

**LOCATION:** 19625 Bear Hollow Road, Grass Valley

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at North Star House on Old Auburn Rd.

**DIRECT SALES:** Grass-fed beef, poultry, pork, eggs, lamb and olive oil. Email your order for delivery in town.

**RESTAURANTS:** Club 141, Diego's, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co.

**GROCERY STORE:** Holiday Market (LOP), Holiday Market (LWW).

**OTHER:** Farm tours, Nevada County Food Hub.

## Felix Gillet Institute

530-292-3619 San Juan Ridge

[www.felixgillet.org](http://www.felixgillet.org)

[thefgi@gmail.com](mailto:thefgi@gmail.com)

We identify, protect and propagate rare heirloom fruit and nut trees, grapes, roses and perennial multi-purpose plants collected from heirloom mother plants still growing that were planted during the Gold Rush era. Plant origins are collected in Nevada, Yuba, Sierra and Placer counties from old mining camps, towns, homesteads and farms. Every plant comes with a history lesson. See website for more details.

**DIRECT SALES:** Via website, email and phone orders. Plant sales Oct - March, for pickup Jan - March.

**OTHER:** Sweetland Garden Supply NSJ.

## First Rain Farm

530-265-4515 Nevada City

[www.firstrainfarm.com](http://www.firstrainfarm.com)

[info.firstrainfarm@gmail.com](mailto:info.firstrainfarm@gmail.com)

First Rain Farm stewards 37+ acres while producing an array of mostly cool-season vegetables. We specialize in kale, collards, chard, beets, carrots, spinach, potatoes, parsnips, and more. Our herd of Nubian dairy goats graze a mixture of pasture, riparian brush, and oak woodlands, while providing the bulk of our compost for the vegetable fields and producing very nutritious milk! CCOF certified organic. The most delicious blueberries around!

**DIRECT SALES:** We provide produce for special events and caterers.

**CSA:** Goat herd share - see website for more information.

**FARM STAND:** Tuesdays 4 pm - 7 pm mid-May through October.

**LOCATION:** 19832 Rector Rd., Nevada City.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday mornings in Nevada City.

**RESTAURANTS:** Ike's Quarter Cafe, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., New Moon Cafe, BriarPatch Deli.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, New Moon Natural Foods.

**OTHER:** Vegetable seeds sold to High Mowing Organic Seeds, Fedco Seeds, Southern Exposure Seed Exchange, and Redwood Seeds. We sell produce to Tahoe outlets through the Tahoe Food Hub.

## FogDog Farm

530-218-0788 San Juan Ridge

[www.fogdogfarm.com](http://www.fogdogfarm.com)

[fogdogfarm@gmail.com](mailto:fogdogfarm@gmail.com)

We are two young farmers growing a diverse array of vegetables and fruits on 1.5 acres. We farm on a hand-powered scale and produce nutritionally dense, flavorful produce by working with nature, not against it.

**CSA:** Winter Greens CSA - contact us for more details.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Nevada City Farmers Market

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co..

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.



## Fowler Family Farm

530-906-0289

South County

[www.fowlerfamilyfarm.com](http://www.fowlerfamilyfarm.com)

[fowlerfamilyfarm@yahoo.com](mailto:fowlerfamilyfarm@yahoo.com)

We are a small family farm offering grass fed and finished beef, goat and lamb, as well as pasture raised pork, chicken, turkey and eggs. All our animals are raised sustainably on fresh green pasture without the use of hormones or antibiotics. We supplement only the pigs and poultry with non-GMO and certified organic feed containing no soy. We use all our livestock in a managed grazing system to maintain pasture integrity. We believe their natural environment transfers to the healthiest, most nutritious meat and eggs high in omega-3's and CLA's. Come by and see what makes us different.

**DIRECT SALES:** Meats are sold directly off the farm and packaged fresh for your table or frozen for your freezer.

**CSA SUBSCRIPTIONS:** Our Meat and egg shares run 6 months at a time. Monthly pickup is available in Nevada City, Truckee and at the farm.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at Nevada City.

**OTHER ON-SITE:** Farm tours by appointment.

## Fresh Starts Organic Farm

530-478-0800

Nevada City

[freshstartsorganicfarm@gmail.com](mailto:freshstartsorganicfarm@gmail.com)

Certified organic by CCOF. Nevada City grown vegetable, flower, herb and perennial starts. Many perennials are grown from saved seed, cuttings or divisions of the farm's locally adapted mother-stock. Customers exclaim about the health, vigor and productivity of the plants! We love to have customers view and/or shop at the nursery, by appointment only.

**DIRECT SALES:** Available by appointment. Call or email for information.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**OTHER:** Peaceful Valley Farm Supply, Mother's Day Plant Sale at the Miner's Foundry in Nevada City. Other sales TBA. Private sales at nursery by appointment.

## Grass Valley Grains



530-210-4216

Grass Valley

[www.grassvalleygrains.com](http://www.grassvalleygrains.com)

[grassvalleygrains@gmail.com](mailto:grassvalleygrains@gmail.com)

Producing stone-ground flour, cornmeal, polenta or grits. Milling is done with my own stone mill in Grass Valley. I use regional, certified organic grain.

**DIRECT SALES:** Telephone and website sales. Call for information.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**RESTAURANTS:** Flour Garden Bakery - Brunswick, Flour Garden Bakery - GV, Ike's Quarter Cafe, Summer Thyme's Bakery & Deli, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co.

**OTHER:** foxandlionbread.com, Karen's Bakery in Folsom, Tahoe Food Hub, Produce Express, Next Generation Foods, Reno Food Hub, Nevada County Food Hub.

## Greg's Organics

530-205-5282

Grass Valley

[www.gregsorganics.com](http://www.gregsorganics.com)

[greg@gregsorganics.com](mailto:greg@gregsorganics.com)

Organic heirloom tomatoes, cherry tomatoes, blackberries, Bartlett pears, summer squash, sundried tomatoes. CCOF Certified Organic. Available at the best grocery stores and health food stores, and the finer restaurants in Auburn, Tahoe, Truckee and Reno.

**CSA SUBSCRIPTIONS:** Offering tomato CSA starting July 29!

**DIRECT SALES:** Call to coordinate.

## Heart & Soul Alpacas and Spinnery

530-559-7223

Penn Valley

[www.heartandsoulspinnery.com](http://www.heartandsoulspinnery.com)

[heartandsoulspinnery@gmail.com](mailto:heartandsoulspinnery@gmail.com)

We raise, show and sell breeding suri and huacaya alpacas. We own a fiber mill that processes fleece to yarn and everything in between. We process fleece for alpaca and llama farms throughout the country as well as that of our own animals. We also operate a seasonal store featuring products from our alpacas, made in our mill. We cultivate and sell alpaca compost free of antibiotics.

**DIRECT SALES:** At the ranch, check website for information.

**OTHERS:** Events and seasonal ranch store. Check website for information.



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## Heronview Fiber Ranch

530-272-4994 Newtown/Bitney Springs  
heronviewranch@sbcglobal.net

Our ranch's herd of llamas, sheep, pygora and cashmere goats are sustainably raised in green pastures outside of Nevada City. We sell fleeces, rovings suitable for spinning or felting and handspun yarn. We also offer knitted and woven products such as shawls, scarves, hats, runners and rugs. All can be customized for choice of color, size and type of fiber.  
**DIRECT SALES:** Call for appointment and directions.

## Hopeful Hill Ranch

530-477-1937 Newtown/Bitney Springs  
www.hopefulhill.com  
ranchhands@hopefulhill.com

Award-winning all-natural eggs in rainbow colors. Introduction to the chickens with the purchase of your first dozen eggs. We also grow grass hay for our horses and sell any surplus. Harvest is in late June. Call or check our web site for availability.

**DIRECT SALES:** Eggs and hay available by advance reservation. Call for more information.

## Indian Springs Organic Farm

530-432-3755 Penn Valley  
mrpasner@gmail.com

Indian Springs Organic Farm is a California Certified Organic Farm and has been for 37 years. We just celebrated 30 years of local growing and sales. We still make all of our compost. Products: tomatoes, winter squash, potatoes, pumpkin, peas, garlic, flowers, peppers, eggplant, corn, plums, cherries, pluots, figs, table grapes, apricots, nectarines.

**DIRECT SALES:** Bulk pickups arranged, email to arrange.

**LOCATION:** 14318 Pilot Peak Lane, Penn Valley.

**FARM STAND:** Friday eve in Penn Valley. Email for time and location.

**GROCERY STORES:** SPD Market NC, SPD Market GV, BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, Natural Selection, Holiday Market (LWW), Holiday Market (LOP).

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Diego's.

**OTHER:** Tahoe Food Hub, Nevada County Food Hub.

## Jardin del Rio

530-906-5414 South County  
www.jardindelrio.org  
aubree@jardindelrio.org

Jardin del Rio offers tree-ripened fruit and exotic vegetables too delicate for processes of traditional grocers. Produce is grown on Rincon Way. Jardin del Rio (Garden of the River) isn't far from Lake of the Pines. We offer a gathering place where clients may enjoy wine tasting, music and shopping.

**LOCATION:** 10024 Linnet Ln., next to Sierra Knolls Tasting Room.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Tuesday and Thursday afternoons Combie Plaza and Saturday-Sunday at Sierra Knoll's Tasting Room.

**RESTAURANTS:** Cirino's At Main Street, New Moon Cafe, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co.

## Johansen Ranch Inc.

530-432-4344 Penn Valley  
richjohansen415@gmail.com

Family owned and operated by Mila, Olivia, and Rich Johansen. Satsuma and clementine mandarins, navel and blood oranges, Meyer lemons, persimmons, pomegranates, figs, and pluots are grown in Orland. Winter squash, melons, vegetables and medicinal herbs are grown in Penn Valley. Celebrating 100+ years as a family farm. Certified organic by CCOF.

**DIRECT SALES:** Wholesale.

**FARM STAND:** During the season, call for information.

**LOCATION:** Corner of Spenceville & Indian Springs Road.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** To be determined.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, Mother Truckers, Natural Selection.

**RESTAURANTS:** BriarPatch Deli.

**OTHER:** Wholesale sales, HAALo, Nevada County Food Hub.

## Johnson Family Farm

530-263-5367 Newtown/Bitney Springs  
shannalj@msn.com

Our farm is currently going on our 8th year. We are a family run, certified organic farm specializing in heirloom and hard to find varieties of fruits and vegetables.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at North Star House on Old Auburn Road, Tuesday morning in Grass Valley, Thursday morning in Penn Valley and Thursday afternoon in Grass Valley.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.



## Keck's Kritters

530-268-3066

South County

deannakeck@gmail.com

We are a family farm raising registered Katahdin sheep, excellent for breeding and meat. These ewes have exceptional mothering ability and lamb easily with good lambing ratios. The breed is ideal for pasture lambing and grass/forage management systems.

Also available: eggs, plots, blueberries and lemons seasonally. No pesticides are used.

**DIRECT SALES:** Contact for current availability.

## Laughing Dogs Farm

530-274-7638

Penn Valley

r\_spruceveatch@yahoo.com

Heirloom tomatoes, peppers and pumpkins. Perennials, seasonal cut flowers and herbs, annual flowers and vegetable seedlings in May. All plants and flowers from open-pollinated, non-treated seeds. Perennials from cuttings and divisions only. Our farm is agriculturally sustainable and non-chemical. Eggs from hormone-and antibiotic-free chickens. Lavender sachets, birdhouses, seed boxes made on farm.

**DIRECT SALES:** Seasonal special orders, call for information and delivery.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at the North Star House on Old Auburn Road.

## Laughing Oak Farm



530-277-9798

Rough and Ready

www.laughingoakfarm.com

autumn@laughingoakfarm.com

Our farm strives to create a closed loop growing system that incorporates biodynamic methods, permaculture principles, perennial crops, and a focused market garden. We offer alpaca fiber products, flowers, produce, and occasionally pasture raised broilers. Call to book a photo shoot under the garden arch!

**DIRECT SALES:** Open by appointment.

**FARM STAND:** Hours at website.

**LOCATION:** 15933 Cook Rd., Rough and Ready.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Thursday morning in Penn Valley.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.



## Lazy Valley Ranch

530-432-2234 or 530-210-6822

Penn Valley

lazyvalleyrancho@aol.com

Blueberries and blackberries. We do not use pesticides, only organic approved sprays and fertilizers. We sell whole live calves, raised on mother's milk and grass without antibiotics or hormones, at 6 months of age. Call for information.

**FARM STORE:** Open Sunday-Thursday, 8:30am - 4pm.

**U-PICK:** By appointment 8:30am - 4pm. Call 530-432-2234 or 530-210-6822. Blueberry season: June-July, blackberry season: August.

**RANCH STORE:** Blueberry Barn Store open 9am-4pm, Sunday-Thursday, closed Fridays and Saturdays. Season begins around June 6th. Look for signs at the end of Lazy Valley Road when we are open.

**LOCATION:** From Grass Valley, take Hwy. 20 west to first traffic light, turn left, go 1/4 mile to Lazy Valley Road. Turn left on Lazy Valley Road and go in 3/4 mile to the Blueberry Barn. 10919 Lazy Valley Rd.

**RESTAURANTS:** BriarPatch Deli.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, Mother Truckers, Natural Selection.

**OTHER:** Weiss Bros. Nursery, Quality Natural Health.

## Lindsay Farm

530-292-3079

San Juan Ridge

www.lindsayfarm.com

lindsayco@att.net

Our 12 acre permaculture farm grows a wide range of organic vegetables, fruit, herbs, teas, eggs and flowers. Organic vegetable and herb starts available spring and fall.

**DIRECT SALES:** Delivered to you or picked up from the farm. Call for more information.

**CSA:** Includes fruit, vegetables, herbs, teas, eggs and a free bouquet of flowers. May 31 - October 31, 2 times per month. \$25/basket. Delivery available. Register early! Pay as you go. No pre-payment required.

## Manning Boer Farm

530-268-3182

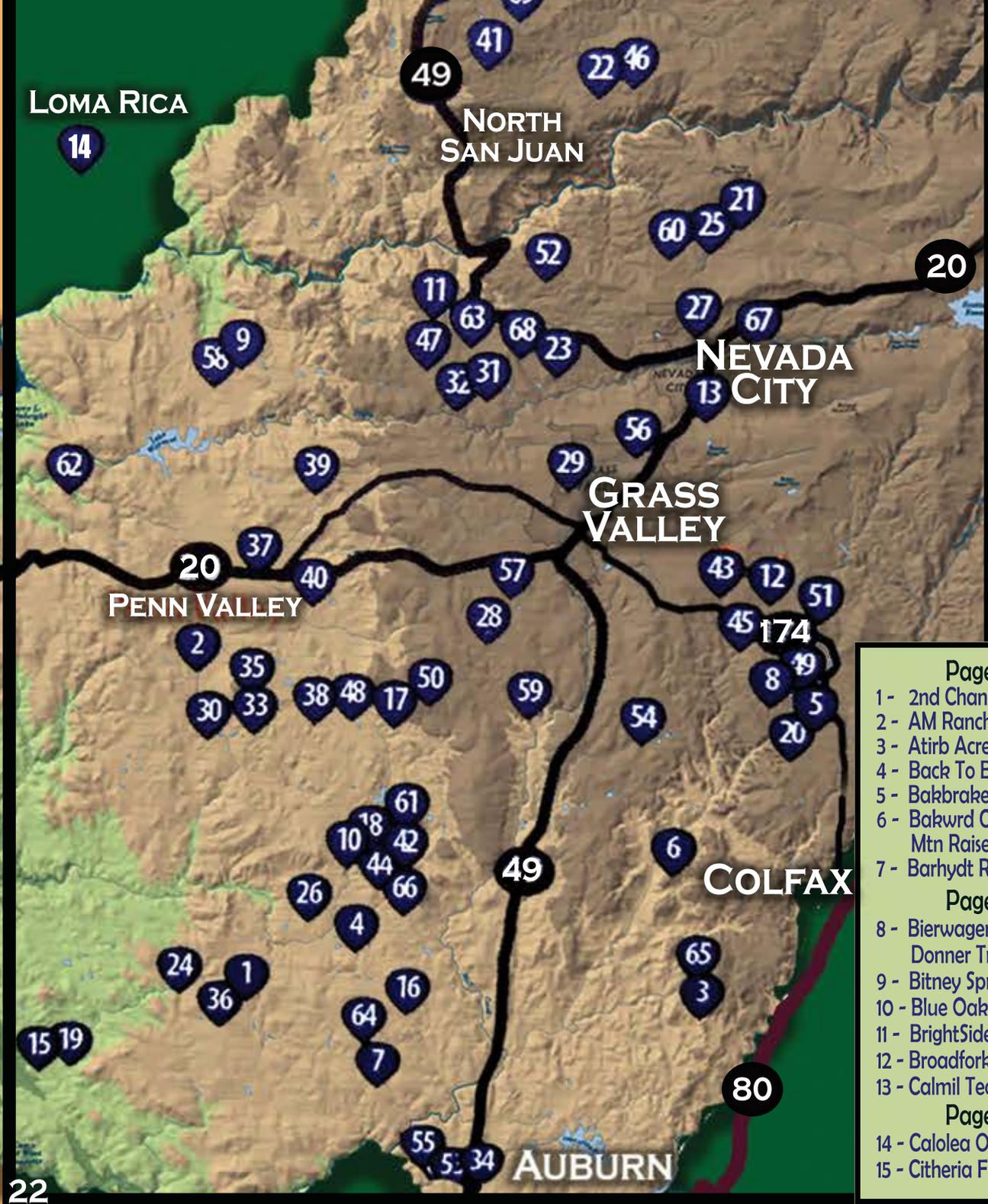
South County

davemanning@usa.net

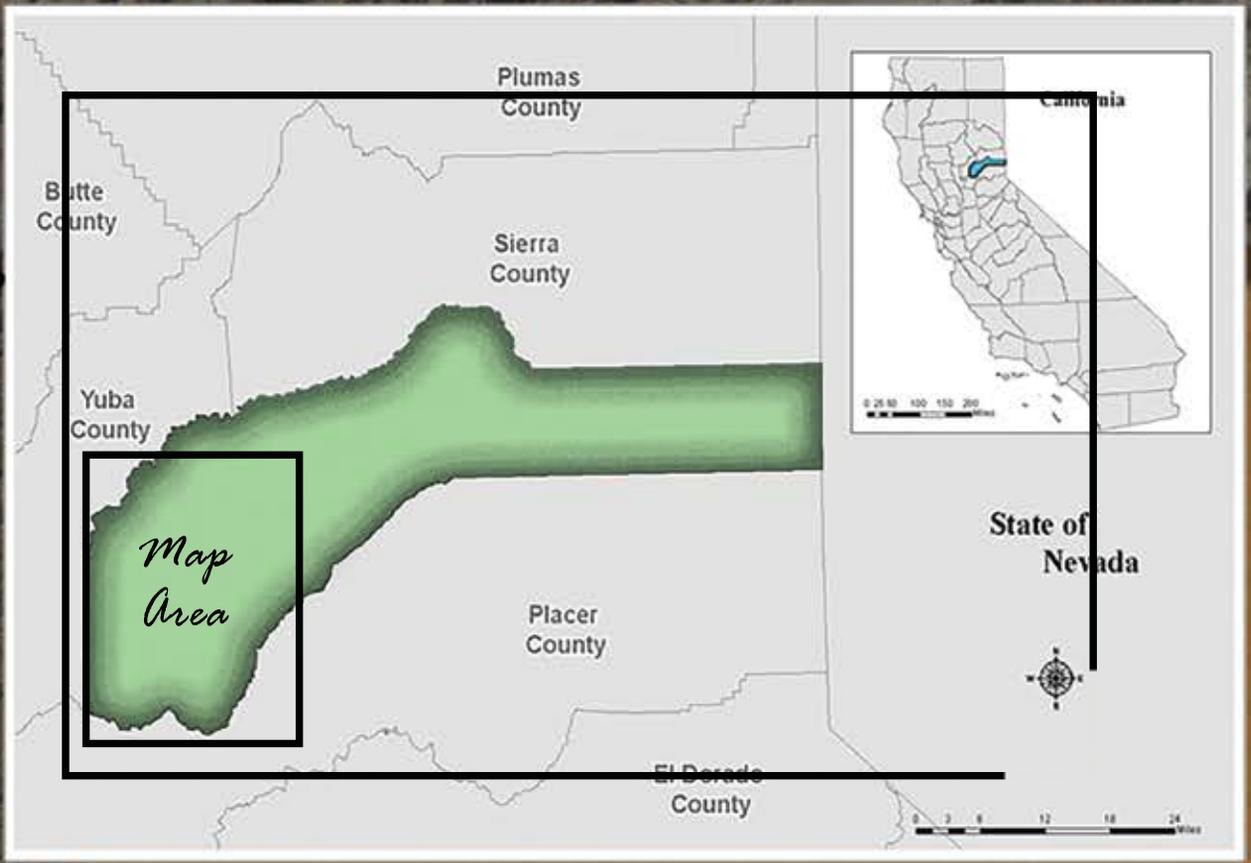
South African Boer goats, registered breeding stock and meat animals. Excellent blood line. In addition to producing tasty nutritious meat, South African Boer goats can be used for weed and shrub (blackberry, scrub oak, etc.) clearing to aid in fire fuel reduction. They also make great pets!

**DIRECT SALES:** Call for information, availability and to reserve.

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## McCloughry Farms

530-273-4869

Cedar Ridge

[www.mccloughryfarms.com](http://www.mccloughryfarms.com)

[garymccloughry@att.net](mailto:garymccloughry@att.net)

Honey produced locally and out of area. Honey and beeswax available retail, wholesale and bulk. Raw, unheated, local honey in bulk available seasonally. Clover cold pack all year, as well as liquid raw blackberry and clover honey. Pollen seasonally. Beehives, single, nucs, and packages. Queen bees and some bee supplies. Beehives for pollination.

**DIRECT SALES:** Bulk honey or bees, please call.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at North Star House on Old Auburn Road.

**GROCERY STORES:** Mother Truckers, California Organics, SPD Market NC, SPD Market GV, BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, Natural Selection, Cedar Ridge Y Market.

**RESTAURANTS:** New Moon Cafe, Ike's Quarter Cafe, Summer Thyme's Bakery & Deli, Java John's, Caroline's Coffee Roasters, Happy Apple Kitchen.

**OTHER:** Available at Bierwagen's Donner Trail Fruit farm stands, Spring Valley Produce, Nevada County Food Hub. McCourtney Road Pumpkin Patch.

## McCourtney Road Pumpkins

530-228-1221

South County

[www.mcpumpkin.com](http://www.mcpumpkin.com)

[andybarhydt@gmail.com](mailto:andybarhydt@gmail.com)

Family fun at an old fashioned Pumpkin Patch (weekends in October) includes hayrides and old fashioned games. Limited edition honey from the farm.

**FARM STAND:** McCourtney Road Pumpkin Patch, weekends in October 10 am - 5 pm.

**LOCATION:** 20267 McCourtney Road, Grass Valley.

## Meadow Orchard

916-532-4741

Peardale

[lynnreese.wix.com/meadoworchard](http://lynnreese.wix.com/meadoworchard)

[lawolgast@yahoo.com](mailto:lawolgast@yahoo.com)

Apple orchard containing different varieties. Golden Delicious, Gala, Jonathan, Fuji, Red Delicious, Arkansas Black. June Pride, Suncrest peaches. Happy Hen chicken eggs. Heritage Turkeys.

**DIRECT SALES:** Call for information.

**FARM STAND:** Open weekends in Sept & Oct for picking apples.

**LOCATION:** 14293 Meadow Dr, Grass Valley 95945.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

## Mountain Bounty Farm

530-292-3776

San Juan Ridge

[www.mountainbountyfarm.com](http://www.mountainbountyfarm.com)

[info@mountainbountyfarm.com](mailto:info@mountainbountyfarm.com)

Weekly vegetable and fruit boxes available year-round through our CSA subscription program. Over the past 20 years we have become known for the exceptional quality, diversity, and generosity of our produce boxes. Heirloom vegetables, fruits and herbs.

**CSA SUBSCRIPTIONS:** Delivered to pick-up locations in Nevada City, Grass Valley, San Juan Ridge, Truckee, Tahoe City, Kings Beach, Incline Village, South Lake Tahoe and Reno.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning in Nevada City.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, Natural Selection, Mother Truckers, New Moon Natural Foods.

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Matteo's Public.

**OTHER:** Tahoe Food Hub, Nevada County Food Hub, Special events.

## Nevada County Free Range Beef

530-273-1025

Newtown/Bitney Springs

[www.NevadaCountyFreeRangeBeef.com](http://www.NevadaCountyFreeRangeBeef.com)

[info@nevadacountyfreerangebeef.com](mailto:info@nevadacountyfreerangebeef.com)

Pasture raised grass-fed, grass-finished beef raised on naturally fertilized, irrigated pasture in Nevada County and surrounding area without added hormones or antibiotics. Nevada County Free Range Beef works in cooperation with local ranchers and with local stores, restaurants and caterers to keep fresh, locally raised grass-finished beef available for our community.

**DIRECT SALES:** Individual beef orders from the ranch, USDA inspected, whole, half, quarter or eighth. Ranch pickup and delivery to pick-up points in Reno, Truckee, Lincoln and Grass Valley area. Call for information.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market, SPD Market NC, SPD Market GV, Mother Truckers, Natural Selection, Cedar Ridge Country Store, New Moon Natural Foods.

**RESTAURANTS:** Diego's, Happy Apple Kitchen, Peterson's Corner, Summer Thyme's Bakery & Deli, Valentina's Organic Bistro & Bakery.

**CHEFS/CATERERS:** Summer Thyme's Catering, Polly's Paladar Supper Club.

**OTHER:** JT Basque Bar & Dining Room, Gaia's Basket.



## New Leaf Permaculture Farm

530-277-4563

Penn Valley

[www.newleafpermaculturefarm.com](http://www.newleafpermaculturefarm.com)

[jeff@newleafpermaculturefarm.com](mailto:jeff@newleafpermaculturefarm.com)

New Leaf Farm is a family owned Farm to Fork grower. Specializing in gourmet quality baby greens, mushrooms, herbs, vegetables, berries and peppers.

As a certified permaculture designer we apply sustainable principles to everything we do. Our growing methods include aquaponics, polycultures, multicropping, companion planting and no-till methods.

**FARM STAND:** See website for schedule.

**LOCATION:** 13780 Falling Leaf Lane, Penn Valley.

**CSA SUBSCRIPTIONS:** Contact for information.

## Nightingale Farms

530-273-GOAT

Peardale

[www.nightingalefarms.net](http://www.nightingalefarms.net)

[nightingalefarms@gmail.com](mailto:nightingalefarms@gmail.com)

Nightingale Farms creates luxurious goat milk lotions and soaps with the milk from our sustainably raised Oberhasli dairy goats. You will find our products in retail outlets in Nevada County and beyond. Oberhaslis are quiet with a sweet disposition. Goats are for sale for show, pet, brushers and family milkers. We support our buyers with ongoing assistance and advice.

**OTHER:** Elegant Salvage, Dokimo's Pharmacy, Vintage Menagerie, Tess' Kitchen Store.

**GROCERY STORES:** SPD Market NC, BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

## Opus Two Alpacas

530-273-8586

Grass Valley

[www.opustwodesign.com](http://www.opustwodesign.com)

[alpacaJoan@aol.com](mailto:alpacaJoan@aol.com)

Alpaca fiber, rovings, natural and hand-dyed yarns from my alpacas that were raised in Grass Valley. Woven, felted, and other hand-made items.

**DIRECT SALES:** Ranch store open by appointment.

**OTHER:** Country Christmas Fair at the Nevada County Fairgrounds. Annual Holiday Boutique at A Star Alpacas.

## P. Bunyan Mobile Saw Mill at Lambertiana Farm

530-263-6360

Peardale

[betsron@fsaccess.net](mailto:betsron@fsaccess.net)

P. Bunyan can come to your site and mill your logs into lumber. I use a Wood-Mizer LT 40 Hydraulic Saw Mill and can provide you with a 2 to 4 times investment in milled lumber providing sustainability of local resources and our local economy. I can mill pine, fir, cedar, oak, walnut, madrone, even eucalyptus.

**DIRECT SALES:** Call for information, to make an appointment for a site visit and directions. Leave a message and I will return your call within 24 hours.

## Riverhill Farm



530-263-1886

Nevada City

[www.riverhillfarm.com](http://www.riverhillfarm.com)

[alan@riverhillfarm.com](mailto:alan@riverhillfarm.com)

Riverhill Farm grows more than 30 varieties of vegetables and fruits. Support our farm with the purchase of a Friend of the Farm card in one of three values and receive a 10% discount on our produce at the Nevada City Farmers Market and at our farm stand. Summer u-pick of strawberries, blackberries, and raspberries. See our website for details. Certified organic.

**FARM STAND:** Every Wednesday 2-6pm starting in June, as available.

**U-PICK:** Every Wednesday 2-6 pm starting in May or June, as available. Also Sundays 8-10 am, as announced. To be notified when our produce is available by u-pick or at our farm stand, please add your name to our email list on the home page of our website.

**LOCATION:** 13500 Cement Hill Road, Nevada City.

**CSA SUBSCRIPTIONS:** Visit our website to learn about our Friend of the Farm card CSA, a flexible alternative to weekly subscription boxes.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning in Nevada City and Tuesday morning in Truckee.

**RESTAURANTS:** New Moon Cafe, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

## Sierra Knolls Vineyard & Winery Bear River Tasting Room

530-269-2327

South County

[www.sierraknollswinery.com](http://www.sierraknollswinery.com)

[info@sierraknolls.com](mailto:info@sierraknolls.com)

Our handcrafted, small-lot wines include: Estate Merlot and Estate Zinfandel. Chardonnay, Pinot Gris, Sauvignon Blanc, Sangiovese, Cabernet Franc, Barbera, Cabernet Sauvignon, and Petite Syrah. Grapes all from local foothill vineyards. We also offer an amazing Chocolate Dessert Wine and a delightful Sparkling Brut! Our wines are aged in French & American oak barrels in our 50 foot barrel cave. We are green-minded and solar powered.

**TASTING ROOM:** Open Thursday & Sunday 12-5pm, Friday 12-8pm, Saturday 12-7pm.

**LOCATION:** 10024 Linnet Ln, just off Hwy 49 between Auburn and Grass Valley.

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## Smith Vineyard

530-273-7032

Grass Valley

[www.smithvineyard.com](http://www.smithvineyard.com)

[taste@smithvineyard.com](mailto:taste@smithvineyard.com)

Organically grown, four generations strong. Estate bottled Cabernet Sauvignon, Syrah, Primitivo, Chardonnay and Merlot. Certified organic by CCOF.

**TASTING ROOM:** See our website for hours of operation.

**LOCATION:** 142 Mill St, Grass Valley.

**GROCERY STORES:** SPD Market NC, SPD Market GV, BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**DIRECT SALES:** Wine club, see website for details.

**RESTAURANTS:** Various restaurants.

## Son of Something Farm

760-450-4858

South County

[www.sonofsomething.com](http://www.sonofsomething.com)

[sonofsomethingfarm@gmail.com](mailto:sonofsomethingfarm@gmail.com)

Son of Something farm grows the highest quality produce utilizing sound ecological practices. As a sustainable farm we grow goji berries, wide assortments of hot peppers, gourmet salad mixes, cucumbers, squash, artichokes, heirloom tomatoes, microgreens, herbs, and more. Our permaculture farm aims to grow healthy food for the people, nourish the land for future generations and to strengthen our community.

**FARM STAND:** Wednesdays from 3pm-7pm April-Sept.

**LOCATION:** 10567 Gautier Dr, Auburn.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Tuesdays and Thursdays at Combie Plaza, Saturday at Sierra Knolls in Auburn.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

## South Star Farm

530-205-5477

Grass Valley

[www.southstarfarm.com](http://www.southstarfarm.com)

[phbonz@gmail.com](mailto:phbonz@gmail.com)

Eggs from pasture raised poultry.

**DIRECT SALES:** Eggs available at chiropractic office at 132 Joerschke Dr, corner of Maltman and Joerschke in Brunswick Basin, Grass Valley. Call for hours of availability.

## Starbright Acres Family Farm

530-273-2513

Grass Valley

[starbrightacres@yahoo.com](mailto:starbrightacres@yahoo.com)

Starbright Acres Family Farm produces and supports production of nutritious, delicious, planet-friendly food for our local community and family. We produce ecologically sustainable, chemical-free vegetables, plants and animal products. Support of our local food network includes hosting field trips, involvement with local schools & agricultural programs, selling vegetable starts and sharing farming knowledge with community members. Certified organic.

**FARM STAND:** Self-serve, daylight hours, 7 days a week, year round. Ask about farm credit.

**LOCATION:** 12575 Polaris Dr, Grass Valley.

**FARMERS MARKET:** Saturday mornings at North Star House, and Nevada City, and Thursday in Penn Valley.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**OTHER:** Peaceful Valley Farm Supply, A to Z Supply, Tahoe Food Hub, Nevada County Food Hub.

## Stella Bella Farm

530-277-1951

Penn Valley

[stellabellafarm@gmail.com](mailto:stellabellafarm@gmail.com)

Day Lillies are easy to grow and multiply yearly, adding a colorful dramatic presentation to any garden. I started focusing on growing multiple varieties 3 years ago and now have over 40 beautiful varieties to offer. Call for current varietal selection.

**DIRECT SALES:** By appointment.

## Sunrock Farm

530-305-6789

Nevada City

[wellhopped@hotmail.com](mailto:wellhopped@hotmail.com)

Grower of heirloom dry beans as well as various fruit and vegetable crops.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning in Nevada City.

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewery, Elixart.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**OTHER:** HAALo, Wheyward Girl Creamery.

## Super Tuber Farm

530-687-4858

Nevada City

[jeremy@supertuberfarm.com](mailto:jeremy@supertuberfarm.com)

Super Tuber Farm aims to produce the tastiest certified organic produce you can put in your belly. We grow potatoes, carrots, cabbage, lettuces and other tasty treats.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning in Nevada City.

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Ike's Quarter Cafe, New Moon Cafe.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**OTHER:** Tahoe Food Hub, Nevada County Food Hub.

## Sweet Roots Farm

530-277-0338

Grass Valley

[www.sweetrootsfarm.com](http://www.sweetrootsfarm.com)

[sweetrootsfoodandflowers@gmail.com](mailto:sweetrootsfoodandflowers@gmail.com)

Certified organic produce, plants and flowers. We design lush, seasonal floral arrangements for weddings and events. Bulk blooms to full service design and install.

**DIRECT SALES:** Flowers for weddings or special events as well as a variety of seasonal produce for special events.

**LOCATION:** 14805 Auburn Road, Grass Valley.

**GROCERY STORES:** BriarPatch Co-op Community Market.

**RESTAURANTS:** Three Forks

**OTHER:** Tahoe Food Hub and Feast and Gathering Catering.

## Tanglewood Ranch

530-271-2023

Grass Valley

[www.tanglewood-ranch.com](http://www.tanglewood-ranch.com)

[tanglewoodranch@aol.com](mailto:tanglewoodranch@aol.com)

We raise registered Kune Kune grazing pigs.

**DIRECT SALES:** Call for information.

**LOCATION:** 17360 Friendly Valley Place, Grass Valley.



## The James Ranch

530-615-1636

Penn Valley

www.thejamesranch.com  
lamb@thejamesranch.com

We grow beautiful grass-fed lamb. We are the Columbel family who, in 1981, began the journey back to sourcing local food for local communities. Our 'farmstead flock' is uniquely adapted to the habitat of these 200 acres of Sierra foothills. We sell only our lambs that are born from our sustainable and thriving sheep flock.

**DIRECT SALES:** Delivery or pick-up by arrangement for retail and private. Check website for availability. Customers can come to the ranch for their lamb or we will meet in town at the customer's convenience.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at North Star House on Old Auburn Road and Tuesday morning in Penn Valley.

**RESTAURANTS:** Ike's Quarter Cafe, New Moon Cafe.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

## The Woolman Farm

614-288-0745

Newtown/Bitney Springs

woolmanfarm@gmail.com

A beautiful 1 acre garden set on the Woolman Semester School Campus at Sierra Friends Center. Growing several varieties of berries and diversified vegetables for restaurants, the Nevada County Food Hub and the nearby community. We also manage an orchard onsite with apples, pears and plums. Our flock of sheep help maintain the orchard and surrounding pasture.

**FARM STAND:** Farm card offered for nearby community. Produce can be picked up on site. Please email for details.

**LOCATION:** 13075 Woolman Lane, Nevada City.

**RESTAURANTS:** Summer Thyme's Bakery & Deli.

**OTHER:** Nevada County Food Hub.

## Thyme & Thyme Again Herb Farm

530-268-0767

South County

jcherbfarm@aol.com

Sustainably farmed vegetables, herbs, nursery products and cut flowers, including a selection of heirloom Italian vegetables.

**DIRECT SALES:** By appointment, call to arrange.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at North Star House, Thursday morning in Penn Valley.



## Trés Jolie Lavender Farm

530-346-6291

South County

www.tresjolielavender.com  
christine@tresjolielavenderfarm.com

We are a small family owned lavender farm nestled in the Sierra Foothills. It is our mission to bring you the purest lavender and lavender products. We do not use pesticides and all our lavender is harvested by hand. Fresh cut lavender, dried lavender bouquets, lavender buds, distilled lavender essential oil, lotions, linen spray, soaps, and sachets. Please feel free to call us with any special requests.

**DIRECT SALES:** Call to make an appointment.

**LOCATION:** 13956 Sierra View Dr, Grass Valley.

**FARMERS MARKETS:** Saturday morning at North Star House.

**OTHER:** Special onsite events TBD - please call.

## Tryon Cattle Ranch

530-268-1239

South County

tryonjt@aol.com

Pasture fed beef, raised without hormones, steroids or pesticides. Young calves sold privately and to 4H and FFA.

**DIRECT SALES:** Call for information and to reserve.

## Willow Valley Christmas Tree Farm

530-913-5265

Nevada City

karenjonesschimke@live.com

Choose and cut home-grown Douglas fir, white fir, California red fir (silvertips) and giant sequoia Christmas trees. Fresh-cut Silvertips (weather dependent).

**DIRECT SALES AND U-PICK:** Choose and cut. Open Friday, Saturday and Sunday, starting the day after Thanksgiving.

**LOCATION:** 10642 Willow Valley Road, Nevada City.

**GROCERY STORES:** SPD Markets, Bonanza Market.

**OTHER:** Peaceful Valley Farm & Garden Supply.

## Winter Creek Heirloom Apples

530-478-0547

Newtown/Bitney Springs

www.wintercreekapples.com  
wintercreek@theunion.net

Located near Nevada City, we grow heirloom varieties of apples that excel in flavor. These apples originated in New England, Tennessee, California, France, and England. They have a variety of uses in cider, baked, dried, or fresh out of hand. We use sustainable agricultural methods to manage soil, weeds, and pests. We also offer the best fresh-pressed cider in Nevada County direct from the farm; visit website or call farm for details.

**CSA SUBSCRIPTIONS:** Fresh cider available on a subscription basis. Visit website to sign up for 2017 season.

**DIRECT SALES:** Fresh apples and cider sold from farm only.

**FARM STAND:** Offering fresh apples and cider at the farm on weekends in October. For exact dates and to reserve fresh apple cider see website for details.

**LOCATION:** 10971 Monte Vista Court, Nevada City.

# Open to the Public

The farms, ranches, nurseries and wineries in this section are those that offer regular days and hours open to the public. In addition, many other operations are open by appointment, have on-site pick-up of sales by arrangement, or make deliveries.

## Farm Stands & Retail Outlets

### Bakbraken Acres

Specialty vegetables and fruits. Open July-October, Monday and Thursday, 10am-2pm.  
263-3607 • Hwy 174/Chicago Park .....page 14

### Bitney Springs Farm

Vegetables, fruits and flowers. Check website for days and times.  
www.bitneyspringsfarm.com • 432-3214 • Newtown/Bitney Springs .....page 15

### Brightside Farm

Early, mid, and late season vegetables and blackberries. Check website for days and times. Self-serve farm stand will be open in late summer. Check website for days and times.  
www.brightsidefarm.biz • 488-1019 • Newtown/Bitney Springs .....page 15

### Broadfork Farm

Heirloom vegetables and plant starts. On-site farm stand is open from 7am-7pm daily from May-October.  
272-9141 • Hwy 174/Cedar Ridge .....page 15

### Jardin del Rio

Eggs, flowers, fruit and vegetables, herbs, honey. Saturday-Sunday 10am-4pm.  
www.jardindelrio.org • 906-5414 • South County .....page 20

### Johansen Ranch

Fruit, vegetables, herbs. Corner of Spenceville & Indian Springs Rd, call for information.  
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### Laughing Oak Farm

Fruits, vegetables and eggs, hours at website.  
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### Lazy Valley Ranch

Blueberries, blackberries. Season begins around June 6. Sunday-Thursday, 9am-4pm.  
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### McCourtney Road Pumpkins

McCourtney Road Pumpkin Patch, weekends in October 10am-5pm.  
www.mcpumpkin.com • 228-1221 • Grass Valley .....page 24

### New Leaf Permaculture Farm

Gourmet greens, mushrooms, herbs, vegetables, berries and peppers. See website for schedule.  
www.newleafpermaculturefarm.com • 277-8434 • Penn Valley .....page 25

### Riverhill Farm

Every Wednesday 2-6pm starting in June, as available.  
www.riverhillfarm.com • 263-1886 • Nevada City .....page 25

### Son of Something Farm

Fruits, vegetables and herbs. Wednesdays 3pm-7pm, April-September.  
www.sonofsomething.com • 740-450-4858 • South County .....page 26

### Starbright Acres Family Farm

Eggs, fruits and vegetables, nursery starts, etc. Self-serve, daylight hours, 7 days a week, year round.  
273-2513 • Grass Valley .....page 26

### The Woolman Farm

Variety of diversified vegetables and berries. Farm card offered for nearby community. Email for details.  
614-288-0745 • Newtown/Bitney Springs .....page 27

### Winter Creek Heirloom Apples

Weekends in October - apples and cider.  
www.wintercreekapples.com • 478-0547 • Newtown/Bitney Springs .....page 27

## U-Pick Farms

### Cone and Hill Christmas Tree Farm

Christmas trees, wreaths. Day after Thanksgiving-December 20, Friday 2-5 pm, Saturday-Sunday 10-5 pm, or by appointment.  
559-2356 • South County .....page 16

### Lazy Valley Ranch

Blueberries, blackberries. Season begins around June 6th. By appointment Sunday-Friday, 8:30am-4 pm.  
432-2234 or 210-6822 • Penn Valley .....page 21

### Riverhill Farm

Every Wednesday 2-6pm starting in June, as available.  
www.riverhillfarm.com • 263-1886 • Nevada City .....page 25

### Willow Valley Christmas Tree Farm

Christmas trees (choose & cut). Open starting the day after Thanksgiving. Friday-Sunday.  
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## Gunner's Smoke Shop



17551 Penn Valley Dr.  
Penn Valley, CA 95916  
530-432-9957

Tobacco, vaping, disc golf supplies,  
hats and apparel, fun gifts,  
pipes and glass



# Community Supported Agriculture

Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) is an arrangement between individual farms and community members. It is a direct way to support your local farmers. In return, you receive fresh, healthy, seasonal food and the satisfaction of knowing you are truly making a difference!

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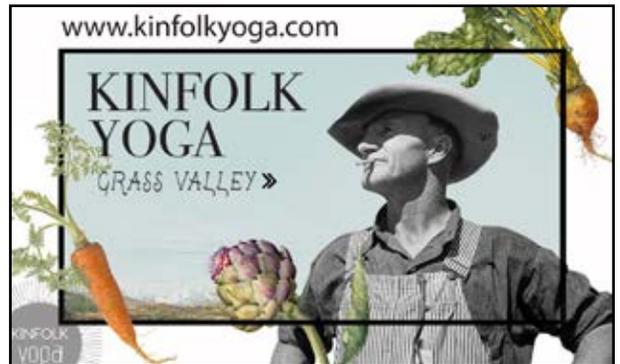
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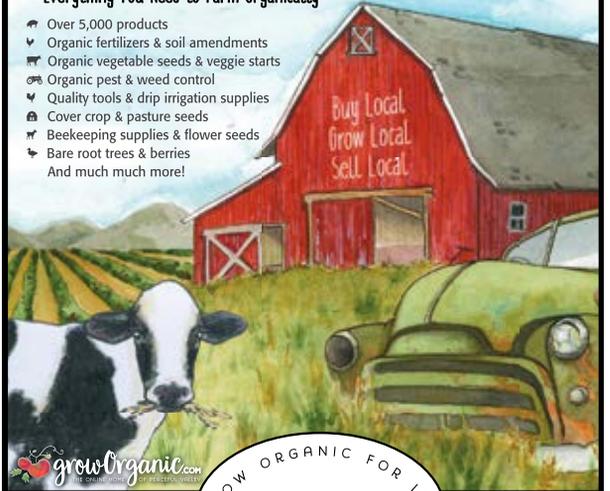
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# Seasonal Commodity Chart

PRODUCT	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
Arugula												
Asian Greens												
Beans, Dry												
Beans, Green												
Beans, Fava												
Beets												
Broccoli												
Cabbage, Green												
Cabbage, Red												
Cabbage, Chinese												
Carrots												
Cauliflower												
Celery												
Chard												
Chicories												
Collards												
Corn, Sweet												
Cucumbers												
Eggplant												
Fennel												
Garlic												
Kale												
Kohlrabi												
Leeks												
Lettuce												
Mustard												
Okra												
Onions, Sweet												
Onions, Storage												
Onions, Green												
Parsnip												
Peas												
Peppers, Green												
Peppers, Sweet												
Peppers, Hot												
Potatoes												
Pumpkin												
Radish												
Rhubarb												
Rutabaga												
Salad Greens												
Shallots												
Spinach												
Squash, Summer												
Squash, Winter												
Sweet Potato												
Tomato												
Tomatillo												
Turnip, Salad												
Turnip, Roasting												



## Seasonal Commodity Chart

PRODUCT	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
Basil												
Chives												
Cilantro												
Dill												
Lavender												
Mint												
Oregano												
Parsley												
Rosemary												
Sage												
Tarragon												
Thyme												
PRODUCT	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
Apple												
Apricot												
Blackberry												
Blueberry												
Cherry												
Figs												
Kiwis												
Lemon												
Mandarin												
Melon												
Nectarines												
Orange												
Peach												
Pear												
Persimmon												
Plum												
Quince												
Raspberry												
Strawberry												
Eggs	Lower production										Lower production	
Beef												
Pork												
Lamb												
Goat												
Chicken												
Rabbit												
Mushrooms												

\* This is an approximate list. Crop availability may vary depending on weather and pest pressure.

\* This list does not account for farmers practicing season extension using high tunnels.

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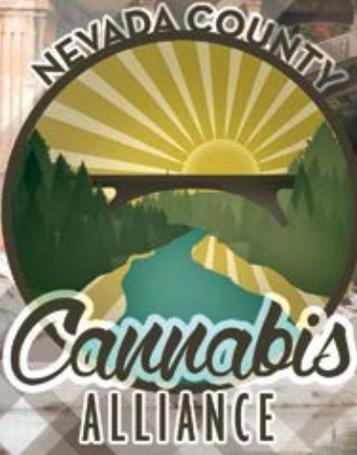
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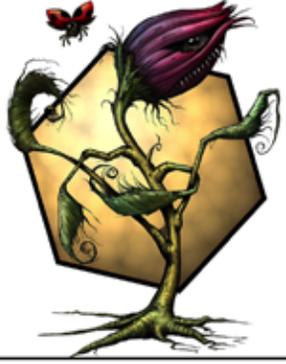
The Nevada County Cannabis Alliance is an advocacy organization representing all people in the community who see a benefit in a healthy and thriving cannabis industry in Nevada County.

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Online ticket sales at [www.nevadacountygrown.org](http://www.nevadacountygrown.org)

2016 Bounty of the County recap: Last year’s event featured delicacies prepared by our local restaurants listed below, with food supplied by local AM Ranch, Bitney Springs Farm, Back to Basics Farm, Cosmic Roots Farm, Dinner Bell Farm, Early Bird Farm, Grass Valley Grains, Riverhill Farm, Starbright Acres Farm, and Wheyward Girls Creamery. It was very difficult to pick a favorite, but at the end of the evening Chef Zack Sterner from Twelve 28 Kitchen walked away with the prized cutting board award. Zack had paired up with farmers Chris Riccio and Mark Sheffer from Bitney Springs Farm to create an amazing Asian-style pork meatball that left a smile on your face. With Twelve 28’s motto of EAT-SMILE-REPEAT, you can try more of Zack’s mouthwatering creations during their lunch and dinner hours at their Penn Valley location. Zack creates everything from scratch, using locally grown ingredients when available. Zack’s mother, Laurie, will be in the kitchen baking fresh breads for the day and whipping up a scrumptious variety of desserts. His father, Mike, will likely be greeting you when you walk into the restaurants warm ambiance to enjoy a meal prepared by his “award winning” son!

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Events that focus on Nevada County's vibrant agriculture that brings us wonderful food and wine in ways we can learn, have fun and relax. The following farms and ranches offer seasonal events that let you see up front the joys and challenges of agricultural operations.

## April

April 22-23 Home and Garden Show,  
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## July

July 10-14/17-21 Sierra Harvest's Food Love  
Project Summer camp

## September

September 20th Nevada County Grown  
Bounty of the County Farm to Table  
Gold Miners Inn

### Apples and fresh apple cider

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Winter Creek Heirloom Apples

## October

### U-Pick Pumpkins

Bierwagen's Donner Trail Fruit  
McCourtney Road Pumpkins

## November/December

### Cut Christmas trees

Bierwagen's Donner Trail Fruit  
Cone and Hill Christmas Tree Farm  
Willow Valley Christmas Tree Farm

## February 2018

February 9-11, 2018 Sierra Harvest Sustainable Food and Farm  
Conference

## March 2018

March 22, 2018 Sierra Harvest Soup Night  
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## Other Opportunities

### Farm Tours

Many farms and ranches are happy to provide tours. See our list under "Tours" in the "Product Listings" or in individual farm profiles.

### Sierra Harvest farm potlucks and tours

June 15 – Oct. 5th from 5:30-8pm on the first and third Thursdays. Visit [sierraharvest.org](http://sierraharvest.org) throughout the growing season for the latest information

### U-Pick at Sierra Harvest's Food Love Project

Tuesdays from 4-6pm June 20th – Oct. 24th Find out about local food and farming events and classes here: [sierraharvest.org/calendar](http://sierraharvest.org/calendar)

## Wineries

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And also see the tasting room information for the farm profiles in this Guide for Double Oak Vineyards and Winery, Sierra Knolls Vineyard and Winery and Smith Vineyard.

## Other Events

For an up to date list of events in Nevada county, check out [gonevadacounty.com](http://gonevadacounty.com) for the latest on dining, entertainment, concerts, excursions, art and many other happenings that make Nevada County so fantastic.



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Nevada County Ag in the Classroom (NCAITC) is a local partnership organization that provides quality agriculture-related educational resources and programs to increase awareness and understanding of the importance of agriculture in our lives, to affirm where our food comes from, and to encourage continued open space in our community.

We do this by engaging students and educators in meaningful ways: developing and sharing unique classroom curriculum, supporting school garden efforts, and spreading our message. Through various programs we hope to offer educators, students, and the public opportunities to learn about agriculture in context of local farms, ranches, vineyards, and forests.

NCAITC partners include the Nevada County Resource Conservation District, the Nevada County Farm Bureau, the Placer Nevada Cattlemen, the Nevada County Agricultural Commissioner, the Sierra Foothills Research and Extension Center, Sierra Harvest, and the CA Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom.



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Join Farm Crew and work alongside a mentor on an established farm, ranch or orchard. Join a cohort of other aspiring farmers and be supporting with production skills classes and community. More info at [sierraharvest.org](http://sierraharvest.org)

## LAND MATCH

Are you looking for land to start or expand your farm business? Explore the diverse land opportunities in Nevada County and get support to find your perfect match! More info at [sierraharvest.org](http://sierraharvest.org)

## FARM BIZ

Get inspired to manage a farm or ranch business with skill and success. This business planning course will infuse your farm or ranch with prosperity from the start! More info at [sierraharvest.org](http://sierraharvest.org)

## TECHNICAL SUPPORT

The Nevada County Resource Conservation District (NCRCD) promotes responsible resource management to all landowners. In addition to year round workshops and seminars, we provide technical assistance regarding :

Soils/ Erosion Control • Irrigation • Ponds  
Grassland Management • Forest Health  
Cropland Management • Invasive Species  
More info at [ncrcd.org](http://ncrcd.org)

## FARM AND RANCH TRAINING

The University of California Cooperative Extension provides practical, hands-on training to area farmers and ranchers to improve skills and profits. Workshops, field days, and short courses are offered for both new and experienced producers on:

Beginning Farming Academy • Farm Business Planning  
California Grazing Academy • Marketing Academy  
Integrated Pest Management

More info at [ceplacer.ucan.edu](http://ceplacer.ucan.edu)

## FARM LAWS AND RULES

The Nevada County Agricultural Commissioner is the primary enforcer of State regulations while also promoting local agriculture. They can help farms start the process for organic certification. More info at [mynevadacounty.com](http://mynevadacounty.com)

## COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

The Local Food Coalition hosts a community email network to connect the agricultural with advice and supplies. More info at [sierraharvest.org/local-food-coalition-of-nevada-county](http://sierraharvest.org/local-food-coalition-of-nevada-county).

## USDA TECHNICAL/FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

### USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service

Offers voluntary programs that provide financial and technical assistance to agricultural producers to plan and implement conservation practices that improve soil, water, plant, animal, air and related natural resources on agricultural land and non-industrial private forestland. They may also help producers meet environmental regulations. More info at <https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/site/ca/home/>

### USDA-Farm Service Agency

The Farm Loan Programs offers credit access for farmers and ranchers to: Start, improve, expand, transition, market, and strengthen family farming and ranching operations. Beginning farmers, racial and ethnic minority farmers and women producers, value-added, direct sale, organic, and specialty crop operations. For more information on FSA's Loan Program go to: <https://www.fsa.usda.gov/programs-and-services/farm-loan-programs/>

### USDA-Rural Development

Provides consultations, assistance and funding opportunities for individuals and businesses located in rural communities. They offer technical assistance and information to help agricultural producers and cooperatives get started and improve the effectiveness of their operations. For more information visit: <https://www.rd.usda.gov/>

### New Tool for New Farmers

Agriculture is full of exciting and rewarding opportunities. Farming is a tough job, but at the heart of it all, you'll see a vibrant community contributing to the future of our nation's health and food security. Find the resources you need to get started or personalize your search at <https://newfarmers.usda.gov/>



# Nevada County Grown Membership



## Membership opportunities:

**Community Member** \$30 Receive a Nevada County Grown shopping bag and discount tickets to Bounty of the County!

**Producer member** \$40 Growing produce or wine grapes? Raising livestock? Join as a producer and have your farm listed in the Nevada County Farm Guide.

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Go to [www.NevadaCountyGrown.org](http://www.NevadaCountyGrown.org) and fill out the membership form to show your support for the Bounty produced in this County!



**Nevada County Grown Community Members**

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# Shopper's Guide to Terms

One of the best aspects of buying from your local farmers is the opportunity you have to talk with them, learn about the farming practices they use, and why. When you know who grows your food, and how it is grown, you are experiencing true food security.

## WHAT, EXACTLY, IS "ORGANIC"?

USDA says "organic food is produced using sustainable agricultural production practices". Not permitted are most conventional pesticides, fertilizers made with synthetic ingredients, sewage sludge, bioengineering or ionizing radiation. Organic meat, poultry, eggs and dairy products come from animals that are given no antibiotics or growth hormones and must be raised on organic pastures. ([www.ams.usda.gov](http://www.ams.usda.gov)) In California all producers wishing to use the term organic must register with the California State Organic Program. ([organic.cdfa.ca.gov/organicreg/](http://organic.cdfa.ca.gov/organicreg/))

*California Certified Organic Producer (CCOF)* is a third party certification assigned to farms that are inspected, documented and certified to be following organic practices. ([www.ccof.org](http://www.ccof.org))

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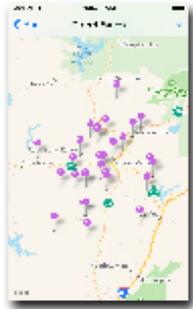
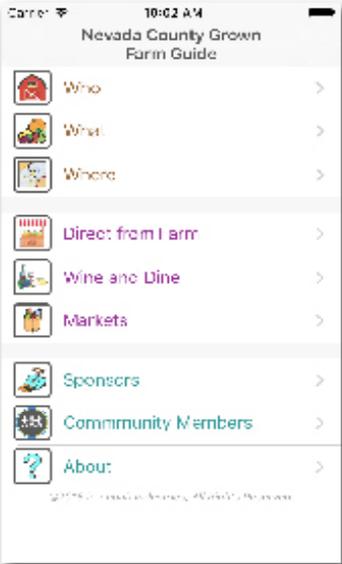
## WHAT DOES "CERTIFICATION" MEAN AT MY LOCAL GROWER'S MARKET?

A Certified Agricultural Producer means products grown by that producer and are certified through the County Agricultural Commissioner. It does not mean the products are certified as "organic", or that the products were only grown in the local county area.

## WHAT DO GROWING METHODS MEAN?

In the farm listings, many farmers describe their growing methods to better inform their customers of how the crops are handled or animals are raised. Terms such as sustainable, biodynamic, permaculture, regenerative and others relate to methods that aim to maintain or improve the land so farming can continue indefinitely. The goal is to build soil, create year-round biodiversity, conserve water and store carbon in the soil to produce healthy plants and animals as naturally as possible.

## The Farm Guide App



The Farm Guide App helps you search for farms, foods, restaurants, and markets. It's your easy and convenient guide to finding and enjoying local food.



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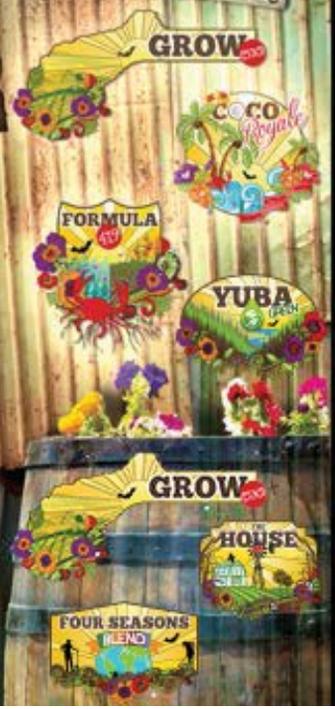
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