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## 2025-2026 Back-to-School CSA Farm-share Membership

When you join Yellow Stonehouse Farm's Back-to-School CSA, you receive an abundant local & certified organic farm share of produce that you select from the YSF market style vegetable distribution area. You choose exactly what you want from our plentiful supply (we've never run out). Your farm-share also includes access to the PYO (Pick-Your-Own) gardens when they are in season, including cherry tomatoes, several varieties of bush beans, seasonal annual & perennial flowers and herbs. Your farm-share also includes recipes, fresh & dried herbs and teas plus special dinner menus for the holidays. **Pickups start Fri/Sat Sept. 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, 2025 and last till Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026 with pickups from 3 pm - 6:00 pm on Fridays and 9 am - 1 pm on Saturdays. There are two Pick-ups per month in September & October and one per month in November, December, January and February. Specific pick-up days are Friday or Saturday as follows: Sept. 12/13 & Sept. 26/27, Oct. 10/11 & Oct. 24/25, Nov. 14/15, Dec. 12/17, Jan. 9/10, Feb. 6/7. Please mark these days on your calendar!**



\$598.00

Name, address, email & telephone # of Adults (over 21) in your household who will be enjoying your share.

First name Last name email (please PRINT legibly)

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Street City Zip tele #

Back-to-School CSA Farm-share Membership fee is: \$598.00 \*

\* Back-to-School share provides 2 pickups of vegetables & PYO in Sept. & Oct. & monthly share pick-ups in Nov., Dec., Jan., Feb.

Please choose a Pick-up Day and Payment Option (payable to Yellow Stonehouse Farm)

Pick-up day choice - circle one: Friday 3 pm to 6:30pm Saturday 9 am to 1pm

Payment Options - check one to reserve your share today:

\_\_\_\_\_ I (we) will pay the FULL shareholder membership pledge fee **NOW**.

\_\_\_\_\_ I (we) will pay \$150 TODAY & the balance in two payments as follows: Deposit of \$ 150.00 on \_\_\_\_\_ date

Payment #2 of \$ 224.00 on \_\_\_\_\_ & Payment #3 of \$ 224.00 on \_\_\_\_\_  
Within 30 days of deposit date Within 60 days of deposit date

► # of Shares is limited. Members accepted on a First Come Basis. Payment reminders sent by Email or regular USPS.

Pledge: ► I/We have read all Pledge Form information & the Membership Policies & Rules and I/We agree to share the Risks & Responsibilities of Shareholder Membership in Yellow Stonehouse Farm's CSA for the 2023/2023 season.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Signed agreement must be included with deposit/initial payment)*



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### YELLOW STONEHOUSE FARM CSA SHAREHOLDER MEMBERSHIP PLEDGE

Please sign the Pledge Form after you have read it thoroughly & return with the requested information.

If you have any questions about your membership or the Farm, please feel free to call John or Connie at the farm 413 562-2164 or email [yellowstonehousefarmcsa@gmail.com](mailto:yellowstonehousefarmcsa@gmail.com)

#### Joining Yellow Stonehouse Farm

Local community members will “share in the Back-to-School CSA” by paying a membership pledge fee up front to cover farm expenses. In return, members collect a share of freshly grown local produce and additional pick- your-own crops as available. Shareholders are partners with the farmer in growing food for the community.

**SUSTAINABLE ORGANIC AGRICULTURE:** At Yellow Stonehouse Farm, we are committed to growing food organically and in ways that care for and protect the total ecosystem: its flora and fauna, cropland, hedge rows, woods, rivers and streams. We care for all the aspects of the farm and the endangered species that live on it. Through balanced crop rotations, strict composting and cover cropping, we work to preserve and protect important land for future generations. As a USDA Certified Organic Farm, we follow Organic practices, and do not spray chemical fertilizers, herbicides, or insecticides.

**PICK-UP SCHEDULE:** For the Back-to-School CSA, members will pick-up their share of vegetables **Friday 3pm to 6:30 pm or Saturday 9 am to 1 pm** on Sept. 12/13 & Sept. 26/27, Oct. 10/11 & Oct. 24/25, Nov. 14/15, Dec. 12/17, Jan. 9/10, Feb. 6/7.

Shares not picked up on the selected day and for which no arrangements have been made, may be donated to local area charities or groups.

#### CSA GENERAL RULES

- All Shares provide a distribution of the produce available for that month.
- Pickups are on the designated day you selected. If you aren't able to pick-up on your day, you can change to another day by emailing YSF at least two days prior to your pickup.
- Children are always welcome but must be supervised.
- Farm is closed on Sunday & Monday.
- All dogs must be on a leash and are not allowed in gardens.
- There are no Shareholder Membership Cancellations after September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024.
- **For general communication with members, YSF uses email - so it is important that you look for emails from Yellow Stonehouse Farm** – especially when pick-up days are approaching. In the event of severe weather, YSF will use email to inform you of cancellations & make-up pick-up days.