





## TAKE THE TOUR

Your BUTTON is your tour pass for a full carload of people to take the tour both days. If buying your pass online in advance, you'll receive a tour button at the first farm you visit. Gather friends and family, plan your route, and hit the road to see local food and farming in action!

#### \$35 PER CAR

gets you into all 33 farms!

Just \$25 for CFSA and Weaver Street

Market members!

Buttons are \$40 day of tour.

Interested in only one farm? Single farm passes available for \$10 day of.

#### **BE A PART OF IT**

**VOLUNTEER** for one day of the tour, and attend the other day for free!

Volunteers receive a tour t-shirt.

#### CONTACT

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## TIPS & TRICKS

**The tour is rain or shine!** In the event of inclement weather, some farms may close to keep the public and the farm safe. We'll post notice of any such closures on our website and social media pages, as well as on the interactive Google Map.

**Plan your route in advance!** Some farms are located in rural areas that don't have good signal for smartphones or GPS devices.

Look for red tomato signs along the road near host farms. They'll point you in the right direction and help you find participating farms!

Plan to visit a maximum of 3 to 4 farms a day. Anticipate spending 1-2 hours at each farm you visit, and account for travel time between each farm. Consider making the most of your time by visiting tour kickoff farms, which open early at 12pm each day! All other farms open at 2pm.

Bring a cooler and cash. Some farms may not accept credit cards, so come prepared to pay in cash for the wonderful variety of local produce, meat, plants, dairy, flowers, gifts, snacks, and more available for purchase at the host farms! Visit the tour website to learn what products each host farm plans to offer.

**Keep a close eye on kids!** Remember that these are working farms with electric fences, heavy equipment, and animals. Do not enter animal pens, and only allow children to touch farm animals with the express permission of the host farmer. No handling of poultry is permitted at any host farm.

Wash up and prevent the spread of germs. Take time to wash your hands after petting any animals and before eating. Hand washing units and hand sanitizer will be available on all farms. You'll also be required to disinfect your shoes at farms with animals to prevent farm-to-farm transmission of germs that may affect livestock.

## **BUY YOUR PASS IN PERSON**

at any Weaver Street Market location:

Carrboro 101 E Weaver St.

Hillsborough 228 S Churton St.

Chapel Hill 716 Market St.

Raleigh 404 W Hargett St.

## BUY YOUR PASS ONLINE

Purchase your pass in advance to save \$5 over the day-of price!

Scan to purchase online:



carolinafarmstewards.org/piedmont-farm-tour

## FARM TOUR RULES

#### **PLEASE DO NOT:**

Bring your pets to the farms

Visit farms outside of tour hours

**Enter private homes** 

Pick up, hold, or touch poultry (birds)

Enter animal pens

#### **WESTERN REGION FARMS**

## Benevolence Farm



4265 Thompson Mill Rd, Graham 27253

Rep: Kristen Powers benevolencefarm.org

For Sale: Body care and candle products infused with herbs and flowers grown on the farm.

Benevolence Farm is where second chances grow naturally. Visitors will have an opportunity to learn more about how our non-profit utilizes permaculture and horticulture therapy to train and work alongside formerly incarcerated women as they return from prison. We will host activities that show visitors how we infuse oils from herbs and flowers in our value-added body care product line. Visitors are also welcome to bring food and picnic with us or walk our trail.

## **Bountiful Acre**

acre can hold!

7034 Whitney Rd, Graham 27253

Reps: Keith Shaljian, Kate DeMayo bountifulbackyards.com

For Sale: Flower bouquets and plants. A side project of our edible landscaping cooperative, Bountiful Backyards, our 1-acre market garden is a dynamic blend of perennial and annual vegetable systems that complement and enhance each other, creating a polyculture of vegetables, herbs, flowers, and fruit at the homestead scale. Spring perennials and crops, honey bees, chickens, and orchard crops grow together in harmony with our CSA and customers to transform this land and work with our surrounding natural ecosystems and our agriculture community in Saxapahaw/Lower Alamance County. Come learn about our organic and regenerative methods, permaculture design strategies, and the possibilities that just one

### Fireside Farm & Sawmill



5820 Lindlev Mill Rd, Graham 27253 Special Directions: Park at the house directly across the street from the sawmill.

Reps: Randall Williams, Lisa Joyner firesidesawmill.com

For Sale: Unique local lumber, raised garden bed kits, and sawmill shirts & hats.

Fireside Farm & Sawmill has been helping landowners turn their trees into barns, homes, and furniture since 2011. Visitors to the farm's new sawmill facility in Saxapahaw will see two sawmills in action: one super-fast mill that produces 1000 board feet per hour and one that cuts 72" wide logs. Come explore the farm's 10-acre sawmill to learn about healthy forest management, harvesting timber, farmer-friendly wood markets, and how we're diverting logs from the waste stream to become more affordable homes. Visitors will get to see one of the world's largest production chainsaws!

### **Full Plate Farm**

4227 Bass Mountain Rd, Snow Camp 27349

Rep: Matt Ballard fullplatefarmnc.com

For Sale: Strawberries, pastured chicken cuts, summer seedlings.

Full Plate Farm is a 2-acre (mostly) vegetable farm, with increasing commercial-scale perennial fruit preparation and plantings. We use organic growing practices, lowtill methods, and human-scale tools in a typical market garden. However, we have incorporated native perennials and flowers as hedgerows into our bed design for pollinators, birds, and other wildlife habitats. You'll see a guarter-acre of blueberries in early production, with more beds and sites being prepared for years of more perennial fruit planting. We bring in practical permaculture strategies with our fruits by selectively "quild planting" natives that provide plant, soil, and wildlife diversity within the plantings.

You'll also see pastured poultry for both meat and egg production, fully incorporated at scale into our annual and perennial plantings to provide beneficial ecological services.

## Haw River Mushrooms

1122 Ossabaw Way, Graham 27253

Reps: Ches & Laura Stewart, Annie Seifts hawrivermushrooms.com

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For Sale: Fresh and dried mushrooms, mushroom grow kits, a variety of frozen mushroom meals, lions mane and reishi tinctures, mushroom jerky, mushroom coffee, mushroom-powered salts and seasonings, and a selection of mushroom-themed gifts and gear. Come see the mushroom growing process up close--from sawdust to harvest--at one of North Carolina's largest mushroom farms. You'll see how we've built our farm over the last 13 years and sample innovative mushroom dishes that reflect our mission to make mushroom nutrition more accessible to everyday eaters. Join us at noon for a mushroom-tastic lunch on the farm featuring some of our award-winning dishes, and Ran-Lew Dairy ice cream for dessert!

#### **CENTRAL REGION FARMS**

## Chapel Hill Creamery



FOR SALE Chapel Hill 27516

KICKOFF

Reps: Florence Hawley, Portia McKnight chapelhillcreamery.com For Sale: Cheeses, beef, sandwiches, drinks.

Little Miss Muffet sat on her tuffet eating her curds and whey....wait a minute! What are curds? What is whey? And above all, what is a tuffet?! While we're not so familiar with tuffets, we know a lot about curds and whey - and so will you after visiting Chapel Hill Creamery. You'll understand more about cheesemaking than 99% of

Americans! We'll have a self-guided

tour where you can learn about

pasture grasses, see our jersey cows and their spring calves, taste our cheeses, and of course, watch us demonstrate how to make curds and whey. Plan on eating a fabulous grilled cheese sandwich for lunch, starting at noon. Looking forward to seeing you!

#### Eco Farm

2501 Butler Rd, Chapel Hill 27516

Special Directions: Drive west on Hwy 54, 5 1/2 miles west of Carrboro to the light (Kraken Bar). Make a left on Butler Rd, go nine-tenths of a mile. 2501 (mailbox on left, driveway on right). Reps: Nichole, Cindy, & John Soehner ecofarmnc.com

For Sale: Seasonal produce, such as spring greens and strawberries (weather permitting). Eco Farm was once the Yow Farm where they raised tobacco, hogs, shiples as a factor of a read to a season of the same factor of the s

where they raised tobacco, nogs, chickens, flowers and produce. Now you can expect to see a forest full of shiitake logs, late spring greens and early summer crops growing on our 2.5 acres of fields, and an early batch of strawberries grown mostly on biodegradable plastic. Visitors can also view our solar greenhouse and a quick demonstration on inoculating mushroom logs.

## Faithfull Farms

1400 Ferguson Rd, Chapel Hill 27516 Reps: Howard & Ronniqua Allen faithfull-farms.square.site

For Sale: Seedlings and assorted vegetables. Faithfull Farms is a small-scale, no-till market farm that grows year-round produce for local restaurants, grocers, and the Carrboro Farmers Market. Farmer Howard will give a walking tour of the property, or visitors can do a self-guided tour. There will be fresh produce and seedlings for sale. Visitors can relax under the pavilion. Bring lunch and have a picnic on the lawn.

#### Fickle Creek Farm



211 Fickle Creek Crossing, Efland 27243
Reps: Noah Ranells, Bryan Horton
ficklecreekfarm.com

For sale: Grass-fed & finished beef and lamb, beef snack sticks and jerky, pasture & woodland-raised pork, pasture-raised hen eggs, pasture-raised chicken, never-sprayed vegetables, and hot sausages to eat at our picnic tables!

With sheep & lambs and cows & calves on pasture, pasture and woodland-raised pigs, free-range pastured chickens and hens, egg mobiles, Great Pyrenees guard dogs, and hoop houses for produce, there is something for everyone at Fickle Creek Farm! Friendly farm staff will gladly assist you on the self-quided tour to see pastures, cover crops, and grazing animals, and learn about regenerative & sustainable farming. Join us for music, tractor trikes, and farm-raised meats to eat at our picnic tables in the pole barn. Our farm store offers beef, pork, chicken, lamb, eggs, and veggies to take home. Bahasa, Español, Français, Hebrew, & Thai spoken here!

### Minka Farm



FOR SALE

**120 Minka Farm Ln, Efland 27243** Reps: Brian & Kimberly Harry minkafarm.com

For Sale: High-welfare 100% grass-fed beef, High-welfare pastured pork, High-welfare pastured chicken and duck eggs, Pawpaw seedlings, asparagus.

Minka Farm is home to a wide range of livestock raised on pasture using high-welfare methods. We want to share farming experiences with you, from feeding animals to inspecting tractors, checking on the livestock guardian dogs and pigs, and exercising and grooming the horses. While not yet in fruit, you're welcome to stroll through our orchard or walk along our hiking trail, varying from stands of old hardwoods to denser pines.

The farm store will be stocked with high-welfare meats & eggs, pawpaw seedlings, and asparagus (while it lasts)!

## PlowGirl Farm



9907 Leta Dr, Chapel Hill 27516

Special Directions: Park ONLY at the Kraken Bar on the corner of Hwy 54 & Dodson's Crossroads and follow the footpath to the farm.

Rep: Sally Jo Slusher

plowgirlfarm.blogspot.com

For Sale: "Grow your own" shiitake logs and culinary ginger pots, a variety of spring vegetables, craft beer, and cider brewed on the farm.

Conveniently situated off Hwy 54, PlowGirl Farm is home to two acres of vegetable fields, honeybees, and Dingo Dog Brewery, a zerowaste nonprofit craft brewery whose proceeds benefit animal rescue. Learn about the symbiotic relationship between a farmer and a brewer, see log-grown shiitake mushrooms, and explore fields of organic vegetables. You can also tour the brewery and sample or purchase craft beer and cider made with farmgrown ingredients! There will be culinary ginger pots and shiitake mushroom logs for sale so you can grow your own at home!

# The Farm at Common Ground Ecovillage



**5797 Daisy Evans Gunn Trail, Mebane 27302** Reps: Doug Jones, Caleb Buchbinder, Lucas Babinec

commonground.eco/land/farming

For Sale: Various seasonal vegetables, vegetable seedlings, herbal medicines, baked goods, other ready-to-eat snacks.

Learn about our Agrarian Intentional Community, our transition to No-Till soil management, our extensive seed saving and plant breeding work, pollinator habitat beds, experiments with staple crops like peanuts and flour corn, plus our elaborate season extension techniques which provide a year-round supply of veggies to our

CSA. Visit our shiitake mushroom operation, "caterpillar" production tunnels, worm composting beds, and cover crop fields. Baked goods with various farm-grown ingredients will be available. Hear music played by local musicians!

## Transplanting Traditions Community Farm



**2912 B Jones Ferry Rd, Chapel Hill 27516** *Special Directions: Follow signs for parking.*Reps: Transplanting Traditions
Community Farmers

transplantingtraditions.org

For Sale: Cut flowers, fresh produce, eggs, and traditional Southeast Asian food.

Transplanting Traditions is an eight-acre community farm made up of about 25 refugee families from Burma, growing a mix of traditional, Southeast Asian vegetables and more familiar American vegetables. The farmers sell through a CSA program, at several local farmers markets, and throughout the broader refugee and immigrant community. The farm also provides a cultural gathering space for families to come together, build healthy communities, and continue agricultural traditions in the Piedmont of N.C. Visitors can walk through our fields, see beautifully hand-crafted bamboo structures, and learn about refugees from Burma culture around good food and farming.

## WildSide Farm



**4001 Teer Rd, Chapel Hill 27516**Reps: Debbie & Walt Tysinger
<u>wildsidefarmnc.com</u>
For Sale: Produce & vegetable starts.

WildSide Farm is transforming a former conventional dairy into a biodiverse, regenerative haven on 70 rolling acres near Chapel Hill. Our mission is to rehabilitate soil health, restore water systems, and nurture wildlife habitats while producing nutrientdense food for our community. Learn about our exciting plans to expand u-pick offerings to include thornless blackberries, blueberries, strawberries, muscadine grapes and a variety of fruits and vegetables. See how we are reshaping the 1-acre market garden to focus on u-pick crops and hands-on family experiences. We are emphasizing where food comes from and regenerative techniques that grow healthier, tastier produce without the use of chemical pesticides and fertilizers. Explore our thriving market garden, expanding berry patches, and muscadine grape vineyard. See the historic dairy barn, wander the burgeoning food forest, hike our trails, enjoy the open spaces, and picnic by the pond!

## Woodcrest Farm & Forge



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woodcrestfarmnc.com

For Sale: Pork, eggs, and craft products.

Woodcrest Farm and Forge is a working family farm and education center. We practice sustainable agriculture using natural methods to raise high-quality food. We teach Blacksmithing & Craft Classes and offer camps yearround. Our heritage programs take root in Orange Grove, providing a connection to local culture and ecology, our rural legacy, and the story of this land. Woodcrest is a year-round learning center for all ages. Visit during the farm tour for a chance to meet goats, bunnies, pigs, chickens, and -of course- the friendly dogs and cats! We'll also be serving a full lunch as a kickoff farm.

#### **NORTHERN REGION FARMS**

# Boxcarr Farms & Boxcarr SNACKS FOR SALE

**2207 Carr Store Rd, Cedar Grove 27231**Reps: Austin Genke, Dani Copeland, Samantha Genke

boxcarrfarms.com

For Sale: Baby goats and a variety of cheeses. Spend the afternoon meeting the Boxcarr Farms dairy goat herd and nibbling on award-winning cheeses made at our on-site creamery. We will have self-guided tours of our 30-acre farm and spacious milking parlor, with delicious foods to snack on. Spring kidding will be in full swing, and the baby goats would love to meet you!

# Cedar Grove Blueberry Farm & Botanist and Barrel FOR SALE

**105 Persimmon Hill Ln, Cedar Grove 27231** Reps: Kether Smith, Deric McGuffey, Lyndon Smith

cedargroveblueberry.com

For Sale: Wine, cider, mead, wood-fired farm pizza, and a fully stocked Farm Stand with local food and beverage.

We are proud to be home to **Botanist & Barrel Cidery and** Winery, the first winery in Orange County and the South's only natural cidery and winery. Our mission focuses on preserving Southern heirloom apples, fruits, and culture. Take a stroll through Cedar Grove Blueberry Farm's blueberry and apple orchards with our orchardist while learning about our organic farming practices and the farm's rich history. After your orchard walk, enjoy a guided winery tour led by one of our winemakers. Conclude your visit with a cider or wine flight paired with a farm pizza from our wood-fired oven, made with locally sourced ingredients from neighboring farms like Nourishing Acres, Wooden Nickel Farms, and Boxcarr Handmade Cheese.

## Farm Locator

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Handmade Cheese ● ■

2207 Carr Store Rd, Cedar Grove 27231

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105 Persimmon Hill Ln, Cedar Grove

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**18. Ever Laughter Farm** 2921 Open Ln, Hillsborough 27278

**19. One Soil Farm** 1550 McDade Store Rd, Cedar Grove 27231

**20. Parker Farm & Vineyard** 2059 Laws Store Rd, Hurdle Mills 27541

**21. Sankofa Farms** 2916 J A Killough Dr, Cedar Grove 27231

**22. Stoney Mountain Farm ●●** 6559 Old Stoney Mountain Rd, Burlington 27217

**23. Sunset Ridge Buffalo Farms •• •** 465 Yarbrough Rd, Roxboro 27574

**24.** The Garden at Spring Forest ●●N 1907 New Sharon Church Rd, Hillsborough 27278

#### **EASTERN REGION FARMS**

**25. Catawba Trail Farm** ● 2080 Sawmill Creek Parkway, Durham 27712

26. Hawk's Nest Healing Gardens ● 1205 N Mineral Springs Rd, Durham 27703

**27. Jireh Family Farm ● N**1310 N Mineral Springs Rd, Durham 27703

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**29. Celebrity Dairy** •• 198 Celebrity Dairy Way, Siler City 27344

**30. Granite Springs Farm** 266 Granite Springs Rd, Pittsboro 27312

**31. Little Pond Gardens N** 220 Lorax Lane, Pittsboro 27312

**32. Little Way Farm** ● 5778 Siler City Snow Camp Rd, Siler City 27344

33. Student Organic Farm at Central Carolina Community College
764 West St, Pittsboro 27312



## KICKOFF FARMS

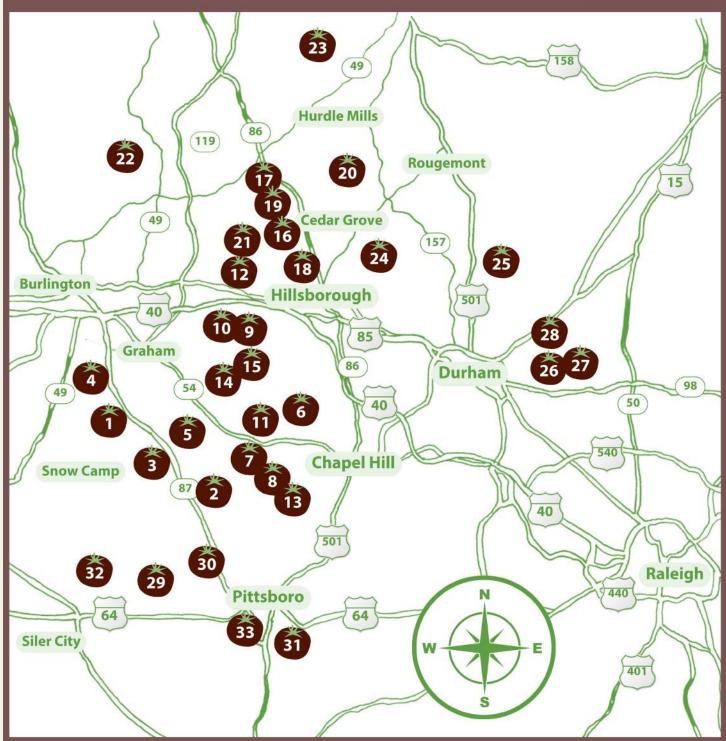
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Benevolence Farm Boxcarr Farms & Handmade Cheese Cedar Grove Blueberry Farm + **Botanist & Barrel Celebrity Dairy** Chapel Hill Creamery Fickle Creek Farm (SUNDAY ONLY) Fireside Farm & Sawmill **Haw River Mushrooms** Jireh Family Farm Little Pond Gardens Minka Farm Stoney Mountain Farm Sunset Ridge Buffalo Farms The Farm at Common Ground Ecovillage The Garden at Spring Forest Woodcrest Farm & Forge

Use the Farm Locator to find where each farm is on the map!

Plan your route using Google Maps by scanning the QR code with your phone's camera, or visiting the link below, to view the interactive map of Piedmont Farm Tour host farms.





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## Ever Laughter Farm & Nurserv

**2921 Open Ln, Hillsborough 27278** Rep: Will Cramer

<u>everlaughterfarmandnursery.com</u> For Sale: Vegetable, herb, and flower starts as well as native perennials.

Ever Laughter Farm is a small market farm that raises produce, flowers, and plants with organic and sustainable practices. In spring, our main focus is on cut flowers and our plant nursery, though the field will be full of growing vegetables. On the tour, you can see the native pollinator plant garden that serves as a demonstration for nursery customers and diversifies the insect ecosystem on the working produce farm. The greenhouses will be full of ready-to-plant starts and pollinator plants, with plenty to take home for your gardens!

#### One Soil Farm

**1550 McDade Store Rd, Cedar Grove 27231**Reps: Meredith Cohen, Molly Zimmerman onesoilfarm.com

For Sale: Fresh veggies, spring starts, and One Soil merch!

One Soil Farm is a farm for everyone, with the unique quality of being led by Jewish farmers and rooted in the local Jewish community. We deliver beautiful, sustainably grown vegetables to convenient locations in Durham, Chapel Hill and Hillsborough through our CSA program. All locations are open to everyone! The mission of One Soil Farm is to grow sustainable produce for local families and restaurants, build queer community, and create space to imagine Judaism beyond Zionism. We are committed to using organic farming practices that improve the land we grow on, including crop rotation, integrated pest management, and cover

cropping. Come take a tour of our (very small) farm and buy some fresh veggies, spring starts, and One Soil merch from our farm stand!

## Parker Farm & Vineyard

**2059 Laws Store Rd, Hurdle Mills 27541**Reps: Ashley Parker, Jason Conway, Clay Parker

<u>parkerfarmandvineyard.com</u> For Sale: Cut flower bouquets, grass fed beef, produce.

Our family farm in northern Orange County has been involved in continuous agricultural production for over 100 years and is recognized as a century farm. Our diverse operation includes grass finished beef cattle, laying hens, fresh produce and herbs, cut flowers, wheat, corn, soybeans and muscadine grapes. Our farm tour will include seeing our passive solar greenhouses, antique farm machinery and barns along with our new gambrel barn. Plus, our extensive spring flower beds will be right on the cusp of blooming and our pastures should be green and full of life!

## Sankofa Farms

2916 J A Killough Dr, Cedar Grove 27231

Reps: Kamal Bell, Amber Bell sankofafarms.com

For Sale: Kale, beets, carrots, salad mixes, and Sankofa Farms apparel.

Sankofa Farms is centered around solving issues involving food security for African Americans by offering an educational program for students through our agriculture academy. We also provide various educational opportunities for members of the community and a program called Bees In The TRAP, which allows participants to develop a unique relationship with honeybees. Visitors will hear the story of Sankofa, get a chance to tour our apiary, and get a peek into our caterpillar tunnels!

## Stoney Mountain Farm

6559 Old Stoney Mountain Rd, Burlington 27217

Reps: John & Olga Elder stoneymountainfarm.com

For Sale: A variety of sheep and wool products, including felting supplies, felting kits, felted crafts, yarn, pasture-raised lamb, raw wool and beautiful sheep hides.

FOR SALE

Dating back to the late 1700s, Stoney Mountain Farm sits on 56 acres just off the beaten path in Burlington and is home to three unique breeds of endangered sheep raised for their wool. You'll see young lambs alongside their mothers and get to meet our quard llamas! We'll have a few outdoor activities for the little ones and plenty of tables and vistas to sit and take it all in. There will be guided walking farm tours on the hour where you can learn how we implement rotational grazing systems and land/water conservation along with our permaculture system. And for anyone interested, we'll share what we've learned along the way pertinent to raising sheep! Our farm store will be open with our sheep-related products for sale. Drinks and snacks will also be available for purchase.

## Sunset Ridge Buffalo Farms KICKOFF

**465 Yarbrough Rd, Roxboro 27574** Reps: Jack & Sandy Pleasant sunsetridgebuffalo.com

For Sale: Grass-fed bison steaks, ground, burger patties, hot dogs, 6 flavors of sausages, roasts, ribs, organs, 6 flavors of meat sticks & jerky.

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Sunset Ridge Buffalo Farm is one of NC's oldest farms, continuously family-owned and operated since 1797. Grass-fed bison have been raised here since 2001 using rotational grazing, no-till pasture management, and soil conservation practices. While visiting the farm, join one of our narrated covered wagon tours through the pastures where you'll see bison calves, cows, and bulls. We discuss farm history, bison

history, handling, feeding, and bison behavior. Tours depart every 30 minutes beginning at noon! There will be a bison burger and hot dog lunch sale at our lakeside gazebo on Saturday only.

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## The Garden at Spring Forest

1907 New Sharon Church Rd,

#### Hillsborough 27278

Special Directions: Be sure to turn down the driveway with the sign with the Spring Forest Celtic Tree of Life, and the number 1907 on the mailbox post. (Google maps sometimes sends people to the neighbor's driveway.)

Rep: Elaine Heath

springforest.org
For Sale: Chef Netta's Culinary Delights (light snacks prepared by Spring Forest's own Chef

At The Garden at Spring Forest, you will enjoy a guided tour of our beautiful non-certified organic market gardens, see our herd of dairy goats and chickens, walk the Spring Forest Tree Trail with over 25 tree species, enjoy a lovely meadow, and be able to purchase a delicious farm snack lovingly created by Spring Forest's Chef Netta Edwards. Farmer Elaine and staff will be available to answer questions and share our vision for

#### **EASTERN REGION FARMS**

a peaceful and equitable world.

## Catawba Trail Farm



2080 Sawmill Creek Parkway, Durham 27712 Reps: Delphine Sellars, Urban Community AgriNomics (UCAN)

#### ucan.today

For Sale: Eggs, vegetable plant seedlings, snow peas, spring onions & other early vegetable houseplants, outdoor plants.

As one of the oldest farms in Durham County, there's plenty to take in at Catawba Trail Farm. While visiting the reclaimed historic farmstead, visitors will see a mixture of old and new farm buildings, a large community garden, a youth garden with an outdoor classroom, a high tunnel,

a small fruit orchard, the farm's bees, and chickens. Visitors can walk on an original section of the Great Native American Trading Path, meander along its miles of walking trails to the Little River, see the oldest marked gravesite in Durham County, and visit a memorialized gravesite of the Enslaved while learning about the farm's history from the 1800s to the present day.

## Hawk's Nest Healing Gardens

fresh greens like kale.

**1205 N Mineral Springs Rd, Durham 27703**Reps: Hector Lopez, Phoebe Gooding hawsknesthealinggardens.com
For Sale: Dehydrated medicine plants and herbs, including hibiscus, mint, holy basil, oregano, thyme, lemon balm, and lemongrass; loofa, and

Hawk's Nest Healing Gardens is a small urban farm that grows vegetables and herbs, focusing on healing our bodies, our community, and the land. We practice permaculture principles to design the farm system, and all farm projects are based on our traditional indigenous heritage. On the farm tour, visitors will see our beehives, the veggie, medicinal, and pollinator gardens, the mobile chicken coop, the dry composting toilet, the rainwater catchment system, the glamping area, the composting production, and the vermicompost system. Visitors will also learn how they all interact as one whole production system.

## Jireh Family Farm



1310 N Mineral Springs Rd, Durham 27703 Reps: Immanuel & Valarie Jarvis

<u>jirehfamilyfarm.net</u>

For Sale: Beef (steaks, ground beef, ribs, etc), Chicken, Eggs, Pork (pork chops, sausage, bacon,etc), herbal teas, various fresh-cut herbs. At Jireh Family Farm, visitors in late April can experience a blend of animal husbandry and flourishing herb gardens. Explore how we raise healthy livestock while cultivating medicinal and culinary herbs, all in a welcoming, faith-centered environment. Visitors can learn about humane care techniques that ensure healthy, stress-free animals, while also exploring how we grow medicinal and culinary herbs to support both livestock health and community wellness. As a Black-owned farm rooted in faith, we are dedicated to creating a welcoming, inclusive space that connects sustainable agriculture with holistic health education.

## Wolfberry Hawthorn Farm

2503 Joyner Rd, Durham 27704

Rep: Jason Bzdula

wolfberryhawthornfarm.com

For Sale: Vegetable starts, culinary and medicinal herb starts, Native flowers, herbs, grasses, ferns, shrubs and trees, house plants, gourd birdhouses, dried flower wreaths, shiitake mushroom logs.

The farm produces a wide variety of products on a small scale, making it an interesting example of what can be possible on less than 2 acres. From growing microgreens to cut flowers, to both common and uncommon produce, to a nursery growing herbs, vegetables, and native plants, to workshops. Visitors will get to tour the various vegetable garden areas, plant nursery, greenhouse, high tunnels, orchard, herb, and native plant gardens. There's even a possibility to spot local wildlife such as songbirds, turtles, ducks, and the geese that nest on the pond!

#### **SOUTHERN REGION FARMS**

## Celebrity Dairy





198 Celebrity Dairy Way, Siler City 27344 Reps: Brit & Fleming Pfann, Clare Reding, Cole Ray

celebritydairy.com

For Sale: Cheese, gelato, fudge, skyr, and variety of food and beverage options.

Celebrity Dairy is situated on 340 acres, featuring several pre-civil war era buildings including the original log cabin, smokehouse, corn crib and hay barn. It also hosts a 15-acre pond that is home to many bird species. April is a special time at Celebrity Dairy as the barn is bustling with baby goats, and their moms are in full milk, so we are as busy as always turning that milk into our many special products. Stop by to sample a few, and maybe take some home too!

## Granite Springs Farm

**266 Granite Springs Rd, Pittsboro 27312**Reps: Meredith Leight, Luis, Allie Gochez granitespringsfarm.com

For Sale: Ginger, turmeric and tomato seedlings, produce, microgreens.

Granite Springs Farm is a diversified vegetable farm ten minutes from downtown Pittsboro. Visiting our farm, you'll see cover crops growing for soil fertility, and for mulch. Check out our mini round baler! While you're here, see our large red wiggler worm habitat, and learn how we make vermicompost sprays and other potions for our plants. See our newly planted pollinator garden and hear about the research being done here by an NCSU entomologist. You'll see the progress we're making on converting one of the farm's five high tunnels into a geothermally heated paradise for citrus and other subtropical fruits!

#### Little Pond Gardens



FOR SALE

220 Lorax Ln, Pittsboro 27312

Special Directions: Little Pond Gardens is located at the back of The Plant's parking lot. Park anywhere at The Plant, and find the check-in table set up at the large gate outside the farm's main field!

Rep: Arlo Estill

littlepondgardens.com

For Sale: We won't have farm products but The Plant has food and beverage available. Other vendors include Hempsmith Clothing, a candle shop, and a native nursery.

We are a sustainable farm located at The Plant NC which is an old aluminum plant that has been repurposed into a food and beverage campus. We have pollinator gardens and native plants around our fields and encourage conservation by building permanent, perennial beds. You will find a mix of perennial gardens spread across the whole project, in addition to fenced in fields for annual veggie production. It's a great place to start the day with lunch or end the tour with a drink on the pavers.

## Little Way Farm

5778 Siler City Snow Camp Rd, Siler City 27344

Reps: Joe & Michelle Sroka littlewayfarmsilercity.com

For Sale: Pasture-raised and grass-fed meat, eggs, dairy, honey, and flour.

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FOR SALE

Little Way Farm is a small-scale family farm providing pastureraised meats, eggs, dairy, and honey. We utilize regenerative, intensive rotational grazing practices that create partnerships among animals and steward healthy soil. When you visit our farm, you'll see rotational grazing partnerships among grass-fed cows and pastured chickens and how woodland-raised hogs create a more beneficial habitat for plants and trees. Stop by our farm store and community hub to take home some of our farm's offerings!

## Student Organic Farm at Central Carolina Community College

764 West St, Pittsboro 27312

Rep: Farrell Moose cccc.edu/agriculture

The Student Organic Farm at CCCC operates year-round and provides a model of regenerative farming practices on a marketfarming scale for our students and community. Visitors to the Student Organic Farm will see annual and perennial crop production scaled for multi-season market gardening and CSA. Our acre of certified organic production is designed to be a straightforward, teachable, and scalable system of intensive production, crop rotation, and cover cropping. Mobile hoop houses, automated irrigation, pollinator gardens, and integrated perennial crops all serve as examples of techniques that can be successfully applied at a variety of scales for our local foodscape.

rederal policies impact local farms in your community. Advocating for the farmers, organizations, and programs that support small farms and resilient local food systems is critical, and it requires everyone's support. We encourage you to contact your representatives to let them know what matters to you. Learn more about current issues impacting farmers, and how to take action, on CFSA's website:

carolinafarmstewards.org/advocate



## ABOUT THE FARM TOUR PARTNERS



### Carolina Farm Stewardship Association

Since 1979, CFSA has worked to unite farmers, consumers, and businesses to build healthy, just, and sustainable food and farming systems in the Carolinas.

How do we do it?

We advocate for fair farm and food policies that benefit small and mid-scale sustainable and organic farms and strengthen local food systems.

We build the environmentally sound, economically viable systems that farms need to thrive through direct technical assistance, workshops, and market access resources. We conduct on-farm research and offer educational opportunities for the next generation of farmers.

We educate communities about local, organic farming by bringing together farmers, researchers, agricultural service providers, buyers, consumers, and activists through educational events to strengthen the connections and networks throughout our food system.

Learn more at www.carolinafarmstewards.org



### Weaver Street Market

For over 35 years, Weaver Street Market has been a strong supporter of local family farms. Our stores in Carrboro, Southern Village, Hillsborough, and Raleigh have the largest selection of local produce, meats, dairy products and baked goods in the Triangle.

Weaver Street Market supports the local food movement by partnering with local farmers and food producers, producing delicious local food ourselves, and providing consumers with a window into the cornucopia of local food choices.

Co-ops like Weaver Street show that businesses can be economically viable while pursuing social responsibility and environmental stewardship. The co-op model is a growing alternative that addresses many of the excesses of big businesses.

Working together, consumers and farmers have enormous power to shape our food system. Each purchase of locally grown food contributes directly to the health of our local farms and moves us closer to a vibrant local food system.

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