



Sugar Grove Chamber of Commerce & Industry

FARMERS MARKET GAZETTE

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This Week's Specials

JCS Baby Boutique -- 10% discount on all orders of \$30.00 or more.

The Pampered Chef – Book a show and we'll bring an appetizer or dessert. Place an order and get a FREE cookbook. Spend \$60 and receive either the Kernal Cutter or Corn nobs & corn butter.

Young Living Oils – Big savings! Normally \$20.00/scan, \$15.00 off.

Did You Know?

The Indians in Peru were the first people to cultivate the potato over 4000 years ago. The Andean Mountains of South America is the birthplace of the "Irish" white potato.

The potato, a name derived from the American Indian word "Batata", was introduced to Europeans by Spanish conquerors during the late 16th Century.

Potatoes first became popular when Marie Antoinette paraded in France wearing a crown of potato blossoms.

Potatoes are grown in all 50 states in the U.S., and in about 125 countries worldwide.

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NEXT MONTH'S SPECIAL FEATURE

Live Demo Day- July 10

This very special day offers our vendors, and Chamber members, the opportunity to demonstrate their products or services to patrons of the Farmers Market. Come to get great ideas for preparing delicious dishes, for decorating, and much more. If you are a vendor or a Chamber member who would like to participate, please let Pat Graceffa (patdangraceffa@msn.com) know by July 3 so we can be sure you have a time slot for your demonstration.

Recipe Corner



Potato and Bacon Salad

- 5 eggs
- 4 slices bacon
- 2 tablespoons Dijon mustard, or to taste
- 1 cup mayonnaise
- 3 stalks celery, minced
- 2 pounds small potatoes
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley
- salt and pepper to taste

1. Place potatoes in a pot with enough water to cover. Bring to a boil. Cook for about 20 minutes, or until tender. Drain and cool.
2. Meanwhile, place the eggs in a saucepan. Cover with cold water. Bring water to a boil and immediately remove from heat. Cover, and let eggs stand in hot water for 10 to 12 minutes. Remove from hot water, and place in a bowl of cold water.

3. Peel the eggs, and place 3 of them into a large bowl. Mash the eggs in the bowl with a fork. Stir in the mustard, mayonnaise, celery, salt and pepper. Set aside.
4. Cook bacon slices in the microwave for about 4 minutes, until crisp, or fry in a skillet over medium-high heat. Crumble 2 of the bacon slices into the mayonnaise mixture. Reserve the rest for garnish.
5. Peel and chop the potatoes, and stir into the bowl until evenly coated. Slice the 2 remaining eggs, and place on top of the salad. Crumble the remaining bacon over the eggs, then sprinkle parsley over the top.

Source: allrecipes.com/Recipe/Potato-and-Bacon-Salad/Detail.aspx

Market Hours:

Every Saturday morning from
June 6 through September 26
8 am - Noon

RAFFLE WINNERS

Last week's Corn Boil 50/50 raffle winner was Jerry Murphy. Don't miss your chance to win big this week, and help ensure great fireworks at this year's Corn Boil!

Check out the raffle for a beautiful necklace crafted by Sugar Grove Jewelry Artist Louise Coffman. Last week's drawing was won by Bob Carroll—just in time for his and Jan's 48th anniversary! Proceeds benefit the Sugar Grove Library Friends.

USED BOOK DROP-OFF

The Sugar Grove Library Friends are collecting books at the Information Tent for their Used Book Sale. Proceeds from the sale are used to fund programs at the Sugar Grove Library.

USED GLASSES DROP –OFF

Don't throw away those old prescription glasses! Bring them to the Information Tent for the Lions Club to recycle!

CANS FOR COMPUTERS

Our market is a drop-off point for your empty rinsed aluminum cans. The proceeds go to Kaneland PTO, who will use them to purchase computers for the classrooms.

BETWEEN FRIENDS FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

The current economic conditions have made services such as the Between Friends Food Pantry more important than ever. We accept donations and deliver them to the food pantry.

Typical Crop Availability in Illinois

| Fruit/Veg | June | July | Aug | Sept |
|----------------|------|------|-----|------|
| apples | | | X X | X X |
| Asian pears | | | X X | X X |
| asparagus | X | | | |
| beans | X X | X X | X X | X X |
| blackberries | X X | X X | | |
| blueberries | | X X | X X | |
| broccoli | | | | X X |
| cabbage | | | | X X |
| cantaloupes | | X X | X X | X X |
| cherries | X X | X X | | |
| cucumbers | X X | X X | X X | |
| eggplant | | X X | X X | X X |
| greens | | | | X X |
| herbs | X X | X X | X X | X X |
| nectarines | | X X | X X | |
| peaches | X X | X X | X X | X X |
| peppers | | X X | X X | X X |
| potatoes | X X | X X | | |
| raspberries | | X X | X X | X X |
| rhubarb | X X | | | |
| pumpkins | | | | X X |
| squash | X X | X X | X X | X X |
| strawberries | X X | | | |
| sweet corn | | | X X | X X |
| sweet potatoes | | | | X X |
| tomatoes | | X X | X X | X X |
| watermelons | | | X X | X X |

Our Vendors

Big Fat Soap Co. – Debbie Richards (Handmade soap)

Borowiak Insurance Agency – Dave Ritchey

Burgin Farm – Bob Burgin (Beef, Pork, Chicken) Now accepting Visa, Mastercard & Discover

ChiroOne Wellness Center -- Christel Brake/Alison Clemens

Fasel's Nursery – Orland Fasel (Indoor & outdoor plants, garden art, etc.)

Genie in a Bottlecap – Kristin Staub

Gigi Hill Bags – Susan Chapple (Bags for fun, business & travel)

Grandma's Eggs – Paul St. John Bonnie Ogle (Fresh eggs)

Homemade Gourmet – Rebecca Gengler & Bonnie Wooten

Hot Dog Cart -- Mychelle Pritchard (Hot dogs, brats, chips & soda)

JC's Baby Boutique -- JoAnn Clabots (baby toys, clothes, blankets, quilts, shower gifts)

Norway Farm - Milt Westlake (Fresh veggies & fruit, gourmet condiments, premium hanging baskets, home made sauerkraut)

Norwegian Treats – Virgil Duvick (Swedish treats)

Phelittler Boutique – Carrie Witler (hair bows, personalized kids' flip-flops, kid's clothing)

Sterchi Chiropratic -- Jill Loetscher (chair massage & free samples)

Sweet Sensations – Geri Kleinprinz

The Pampered Chef – Carrie Guerra

Total Accessories – Abby McSkimming & Paige Krueger

Tupperware – Indra Singh

Twin Garden Farms-- Gary Pack

Corn Boil 50/50 Raffle – Corn Boil Volunteers

Info Tent – Market information, Used book drop off, SG Library Friends Jewelry Raffle, Lions Club Eyeglass drop-off.

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Tastefully Simple® offers a wide variety of delicious, easy-to-prepare foods that you and your friends can taste before you buy.

Contact me for more information.

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