

# I would like to join 2024

Returning Member       New Member

How did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If splitting a share please provide name and email/phone # of person sharing with you:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Share Options (Please check one):

Half (pre-bagged) \$690 (\$670 by March 1)

Basic, \$860 (\$830 by March 1)

Premium, \$1040 (\$1000 by March 1)

## Payment Amount (Please check one):

Full payment     \$200 deposit     Other (please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

Optional Donation towards extra shares: \_\_\_\_\_

## Payment Method (Please check one)

Check made out to JOHN KRUEGER

Zelle: mary.housel.nj@gmail.com

Venmo: @runningfoxnj (last 4 of phone 2262)

DO NOT check "good and services" or we will be charged a fee that we will pass on to you

CONFIRMATION EMAIL WILL BE SENT WHEN PAYMENT IS RECEIVED

Send this form and contract to:

**Westfield Area CSA  
c/o Mary House!  
354 South St  
New Providence, NJ 07974**

If splitting a share please have ALL share members return their own copy.

**Please read and initial below.**

\_\_\_\_\_ The Westfield Area CSA is operated entirely by volunteer effort, and each member share is **required** to contribute at least 5 hours during the season. Most members do this by working two shifts on delivery days; there are also farm work days and work buy-outs available. **Please note that if members are scheduled and cannot come, they are responsible to find a replacement.**

\_\_\_\_\_ CSA newsletters, updates and info are sent via email. Newsletters are usually sent the day before pick-up day. We try to send other communications a week in advance. I will check my email at least weekly for CSA updates.

**Please read and sign below.**

I commit to membership in the Westfield Area CSA for the 2024 season which is planned to run for 24 weeks. As a member of the CSA, I will receive a weekly share of produce. The shares will vary by size and weight depending on the season.

One aspect of CSA is that members support their farmer by sharing in the inherent risks of agriculture (poor weather, drought, disease, early frost, crop failure and so on) and rewards (the bounty from a good season.) CSA farmers purposely plan for such contingencies, and use growing techniques that protect the harvest, minimize risk to members and optimize the rewards: growing a wide variety of crops that thrive in different types of conditions, cover cropping, crop rotation, and irrigation. Moreover, the CSA builds relationships of trust between the farmer and community group. On the whole, members should get a wide variety of vegetables in plentiful amounts. **Therefore I agree that while John Krueger will act in good faith to provide fresh organic produce for the duration of the season, there is no guarantee of quantities or contents of weekly shares.**

I am fully aware that it is necessary to inspect and wash all produce thoroughly before consuming. John, his workers, his farm, all CSA members and administrators, and the settings we use to pick up our shares and their administrators and employees have no liability in terms of the safety of the food or the premises.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_