

Volunteer on the Farm

WE LOVE VOLUNTEERS!!!

GENERAL INFO: Individuals or GROUPS are welcome to come out to the farm as volunteers to learn hands-on about organic farming and help out our community farm. All are welcome to volunteer, including children over 16 years and students fulfilling community service hours.

Volunteers must be age 16 or older. Volunteers can assist with a variety of farm tasks such as box packing, planting, harvesting, and weeding.

Times: From May to October our major volunteer days are:

Thursdays 9am-6pm: CSA box packing, harvest, weeding, planting, and local market

Fridays 8am-5pm: NO CSA boxes on Fridays, commercial harvest, weeding, planting, and other odd jobs

If you'd like to volunteer call Peggy at 507 - 438 - 5616 or email mjhanson50@gmail.com letting us know when to expect you. If you'd like to volunteer during another time, please call to make arrangements in advance.

REQUIRED: All volunteers are required to wear close-toed shoes. Bring anything you'll need for working outdoors (rain gear, gloves, hat, water, food, etc.). Children under supervision are welcome to come. We look

forward to meeting you. Thanks for your interest!

VOLUNTEER LEADERS: We also need HARVEST AND VOLUNTEER LEADERS who get trained to help lead other volunteers. If you can volunteer on a regular basis (weekly, monthly or whatever you can do), we can train you on our harvesting techniques, so you can teach other volunteers what to do. If you're interested, just let us know the next time you come in!

VOLUNTEER PROJECTS: We also have some specific projects that we'd love to see volunteers take on. Contact us if you have special skills to offer.

Volunteer off the farm! 2010 Volunteer Opportunities

Featherstone has a number of events and projects for which we would love to have some volunteer assistance. If you're interested in any of the following, contact Margaret at csa@featherstonefarm.com or 507.459.5209.

Event Attendance and Set Up:

We have many events in the Spring helping us promote the farm and sign up new members. Many of these are on weekends and are in each of our CSA communities. Volunteers for these events would help set up displays, talk to attendees, and help sign up new shareholders.

Flyer distribution

We have flyers to post and need to get them out to places people will see them! We need help in all the communities in which we have drop sites.

