



Quarry Farm Veggie Box Newsletter #10 August 16

This week's box: Beans, Beets, Cucumber, Herb bouquet, Italian Spinach, Kale, Lettuce, Peppers, Tomatoes, Zucchini

This is the first week for peppers. The bigger reddish ones are a sweet pepper. The yellow/orange ones are called

Hungarian Hot Wax. The flesh has a mild heat, but the seeds are much hotter. Enjoy.

You may have noticed that often vegetables appear in your but aren't mentioned in the newsletter. That's because I usually write the newsletter on Monday and in a garden, a lot can happen between Monday and Friday. So consider this newsletter a guide and not a road map. Last week, a green onion bunch appeared in your box. Daria and Wiet made a strategic decision to pull them. We still don't know if they are in this week or not. Strawberries sometimes materialize, and sometimes they don't. Very soon some of the steady crops will slow down or disappear entirely. We are taking a break from chard and you won't see peas for a while, but the fall crop is looking promising. That's life in the garden. I must say, as someone who only visits the garden once a week, the fall food is looking fabulous, lots of new plantings and lots of diversity.

Two Reminders. Please bring back the tomato pots! We don't have many and they are the safest way to get the tomatoes to you without bruising and splitting. We are batting about 50% in pot returns. We also ask you to remember to send back your elastics. Just throw them in the tomato pot. Elastics are one of those stupid bits of plastic that are cluttering up our planet, but they are useful. Put a note on your fridge if need be.

Just remember – elastics and pots, pots and elastics, elastics and pots, etc.

All the best from

The Quarry Team