



Buy Local—and you are helping to support Local Agriculture and our Local Economy!

Eat Fresh—Buy Local!



People worldwide are rediscovering the many benefits of local food.

- 1. Good for Our Local Economy**— Buying directly from family farmers helps them stay in business and promotes the local community. Local farmers are able to keep around 80-90 cents per dollar spent at a farm market. In turn, they can spend that money on supplies at other local businesses.
- 2. Requires Less Packaging and Promotes Recycling**—Because local foods are sold fresh, less packaging is required to preserve them and many of the containers they are transported in are reused.
- 3. Saves Fossil Fuels**—Less distance to travel means more gasoline saved and less pollution. The average travel distance for supermarket fruit and vegetables is 1,500 miles!
- 4. Preserves Local Open Space**—Buying local promotes the viability of farmland and reduces the need to sell the land for development.
- 5. Promotes Genetic Diversity**—Many farmers use seeds that have not been patented or genetically modified by large companies.
- 6. Tax Revenue Benefits** – Farms require less in public services (funded by your tax money) than developed areas.
- 7. Environment and Wildlife Benefits** —Small family farms help to preserve wildlife habitat and control soil erosion.
- 8. Supporting Our Future**—Through your support of local farmers today, you help ensure that there will be farms in our community tomorrow and that future generations will have access to nourishing, flavorful and abundant food.



(On the next page, find a sampling of our local farm markets...)

Working Together to Preserve our Agricultural Heritage



and Sustain Our Future



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The following is a sampling of farm markets serving the Butler County area:

Brenckle's Farms & Greenhouses
543 Evans City Road **Butler**
724.482.2353

Brenckle's Organic Farm & Greenhouse
768 Glen Eden Road **Zelienople**
724.774.2239

Butler City Farmer's Market
311 Shore Street **Butler**
724.486.2194

Butler Farm Market
901 Evans City Road **Butler**
724.486.2194

Clearview Mart Flea Market
1640 N. Main Street Ext. **Butler**
724.285.4703

Crighton Farm
130 Main Street **Prospect**
724.865.9371



For More Information:

Pa. Assoc. for Sustainable Agriculture:
www.pasafarming.org
www.facebook.com/pasafarming
Food Routes: www.foodroutes.org
Local Harvest: www.localharvest.org
Sustainable Table:
www.sustainabletable.org

Cranberry Township Farmer's Market
Municipal Center Parking Lot
2525 Rochester Road
and
Route 19 Fire Station
724.776.4806 **Cranberry Twp.**

Deener's Farm Market
21255 Perry Hwy. **Cranberry Twp.**
724.452.7944

Fairground Market
1138 New Castle Road **Prospect**
724.865.9523

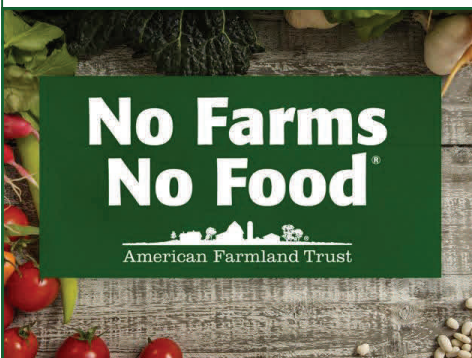
Farm Kings Farmer's Market
UPMC Passavant Hospital
Parking Lot
1 St. Francis Way **Cranberry Twp.**
724.772.5300

Freedom Farms Farm Market
795 Pittsburgh Road **Butler**
724.586.5551

Golden Apple Farm and Market
174 New Castle Road **Butler**
724.256.8668

Harvest View Farm and Market
143 Eagle Mill Road **Butler**
724.282.8038

Ifft's Turkey Farm
136 Pioneer Road **Evans City**
724.538.5968



Marburger Farm Dairy
1506 Mars-Evans City Road
724.538.4752 **Evans City**

Rustic Acres Winery
234 Crisswell Road **Butler**
724.283.6236

Schramm's Farm Market
291 Crisswell Road **Butler**
724.282.3714

Slippery Rock Farmer's Market
111 Stoughton Beach Road
724.374.3276 **Slippery Rock**

Winfield Winery
1026 Winfield Road **Cabot**
724.352.9589



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