PRODUCE PLUS Market Wutlook JUNE 29, 2020



THE SUMMER SIZZLE



Figs: Local black mission figs are in from Del Rio Botanicals! Available by the single layer flat only. Varietal figs from Windmill Vineyards are expected in 2 weeks.

Pluots, Plums, and Apricots: Pluots and plums are available from J&J Ramos in Hughson, CA. Blenheim apricots from Polestar Farm are expected to finish by the end of this week.



Mixed Medley Cherry Tomatoes: Due to labor shortages and restrictions, locally grown mixed cherry tomatoes are struggling to find their way to the market. We will have product from Durst Organics the 1st of July.

Heirloom Tomatoes: Local heirlooms have started to trickle in from Uncle Ray, most varieties and mixed toybox will be available the first of July.

Squash Blossoms: Currently available from Del Rio by the 35ct clamshell.

Baby Squash: Baby mixed summer squash is "Uncle" Ray Yeung and his family. Their available by the 10# case from Del Rio. Single 60+ acre farm was established in 1950 variety baby squash is available from Santa Maria, CA.



Summer Squashes: Varietal squashes are available from Dwelley Farms- gold bar, green zucchini, yellow crookneck, ronde nice, summer (green patty pan), and sunburst (yellow patty pan) Available in single variety or toybox, by the 22# case only.

Corn: Brentwood white and yellow corn are in only. stock from Dwelley. Both are outstanding in quality and flavor.

Bloomsdale Spinach: Bloomsdale is currently available by the 4# case from Riverdog, although varieties. Sold by the 10# case only. the heat will cause some limitations.



Summer Beans: Local summer beans are available from Dwelley- blue lake green beans, yellow wax, and romano. We are hoping to have cranberry beans by next week.

Melons: Local varietal melons from R. Kelley Farm are forecasted to be available by mid July. Local black watermelon is expected by early July.



Peppers: Locally grown varietal peppers typically start appearing in mid July. Gypsy and padron peppers will be in this weekend.. "Farm to you overnight"



UNCLE RAY'S HEIRLOOM TOMATOES

Ray Yeung tomatoes are **highly** praised by local chefs for their intense flavor, unique sizes, shapes, and colors. Yeung Farm is owned by "Uncle" Ray Yeung and his family. Their Sacramento. Yeung in **West** Farm grows over two dozen varieties during the season. A bit ahead of schedule, we are currently stocking the following from Uncle Ray:

Carolina Gold- Bright, golden-yellow in color. They are sweet, low in acidity, and full of flavor. Sold by the 10# case

Pink Brandywine – A rosy pink tomato with an old-fashioned tomato taste. It is considered one of the most flavorful

Vine Ripe Rounds - Uncle Ray's vine ripes are a variety named Shady Lady, a sweet and full-flavored tomato. Unlike most round tomatoes, they are picked off the vine when they are fully ripe and red. They are a meaty tomato with no seed cavity. Vine ripes are roughly the size of a 5X5 tomato and packed in a 2layer 20# case only.

Also available: Green Shady Lady tomatoes. Available by the 20# cases. Perfect for fried green tomatoes!





German Butterball Potatoes-Red Little Gem- 4# case



Gold Bar Squash- 22# case/

Yellow Crookneck – 22# case

Blenheim Apricots – 12# case

Gypsy Peppers- 10# case

Yellow Peaches- 18# case/# White Peaches- 18# case/# Yellow Nectarines- 18# case/#

Tokyo Turnips- 10# case Scarlet Queen Turnips- 10# case Watermelon Radish- pound Nantes Carrots - 24 bunch





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