

The farmers' market is a place to appreciate the changing seasons, bump into neighbours, listen to music, eat strawberries within hours of picking and introduce your children to the farmers who grew those cherry tomatoes they love.



When it comes to fresh food, local is often a more nutritious choice—did you know that 50%-89% of vitamin C is lost from leafy vegetables 24-48 hours after harvest? The fresh food at the farmers' market is picked at the peak of ripeness.



BC ASSOCIATION OF
FARMERS' MARKETS

CARIBOO CHILCOTIN COAST

Oliver Street Market - Williams Lake

Herb Gardner Park, Oliver St at 4th Ave
T: 250-296-4409
E: oliver.street.market.wl@gmail.com
Sat 9:00am-2:00pm (June 2 to Oct 20)



Quesnel Farmers' Market

Corner of Kinchaut & Carson St
T: 250-747-8543
E: glenrosa@telus.net
W: www.quesnelmarket.com
Sat 8:30am-1:00pm (May 5 to Oct 13)

South Cariboo Farmers' Market - 100 Mile House

Royal Lepage Parking Lot on Hwy 97
T: 250-396-7150
Fri 8:30am-1:30pm (May 4 to Sept 28)

KOOTENAY ROCKIES

Cranbrook Farmers' Market

10th Ave. South,
Dwtn adjacent to Rotary Park
T: 250-427-9360
E: manager@cranbrookfarmersmarket.com
W: www.cranbrookfarmersmarket.com
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm (June 2 to Sept 1)
Sat 10:00am-1:00pm (Sept 8 to Oct 6)

Creston

- Spring & Summer Farmers' Market
Millennium Park, 16th Ave at Cedar St
Sat 8:00am-12:00pm (May 5 to Sept 29)

- Fall Farmers' Market

Morris Flowers & Garden Centre,
1403 Erickson St
Sat 10:00am-2:00pm (Oct 6 to Dec 22)

- Mid-Week Farmers' Market

1220 Cook St. (behind Chamber of
Commerce and Visitor Centre)
Thu 10:00am-2:00pm (July 5 to Aug 30)

T: 250-977-5362

E: cvfarmersmarket@gmail.com

W: www.crestonvalleyfarmersmarket.ca

Fernie Mountain Market

Rotary Park
T: 250-423-6674
E: info@mountainmarket.ca
W: www.mountainmarket.ca
Sun 10:00am-2:00pm (July 1 to Sept 2)

Golden Farmers' Market

Dwtn Golden
T: 250-344-5678
E: info@goldenfarmersmarket.com
W: www.goldenfarmersmarket.com
Wed 2:00pm-7:00pm (June 13 to Sept 29)
Open Saturdays in September

Jaffray-Baynes Lake Farmers' Market

Baynes Lake
T: 250-429-3519
E: threebears@cyberlink.bc.ca
Sat 9:00am-12:30pm (June 16 to Sept 1)

KOOTENAY ROCKIES

Nelson

- Cottonwood Community Market
Cottonwood Park
T: 250-354-1909
Sat 9:30am-3:00pm (May 19 to Oct 27)

- Nelson Downtown Local Market

400 Block, Baker St
T: 250-551-3549
Wed 9:30am-3:00pm (June 13 to Sept 26)

E: markets@ecosociety.ca
W: www.ecosociety.ca

New Denver Friday Market

Corner of 6th Ave & Kildare
E: ndfridaymarket@gmail.com
Fri 10:00am-2:00pm (June 1 to Sept 28)

Revelstoke Farmers' Market

Grizzly Plaza
T: 250-814-3663
E: revelstoke.market@gmail.com
Sat 8:30am-1:00pm (May 5 to Oct 27)

VANCOUVER, COAST & MOUNTAINS

Abbotsford Farm & Country Market

Montrose Ave at George Ferguson Way, Dwtn
T: 604-996-1542
E: info@abbotsfordfarmandcountrymarket.com
W: www.abbotsfordfarmandcountrymarket.com
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm (May 12 to Oct 13)

Agassiz Farm Fresh Market

Pioneer Ave Parking Lot, Dwtn
T: 604-796-3496
E: agassizfarmfreshmarket@gmail.com
W: www.agassizfarmersmarket.com
Thu 3:00pm-6:00pm (June 7 to Sept 27)
Sat 9:00am-12:00pm (month of July)

Ambleside Farmers' Market - West Vancouver

Bellevue between 13th & 14th
T: 604-318-0487
E: info@artisanmarkets.ca
W: www.artisanmarkets.ca
Sun 10:00am-3:00pm (May 6 to Oct 28)

Burnaby Farmers' Market

Burnaby City Hall Parking Lot,
4949 Canada Way
T: 604-318-0487
E: info@artisanmarkets.ca
W: www.artisanmarkets.ca
Sat 10:00am-3:00pm (May 5 to Oct 27)

Chilliwack Farmers' Market

10015 Young Rd North
T: 604-795-5544
E: info@chilliwackfarmersmarket.com
W: www.chilliwackfarmersmarket.com
Sat 9:00am-2:00pm (June 23 to Sept 15)

Coquitlam

- Coquitlam Farmers' Market - Poirier St Market
624 Poirier St at Winslaw St
Sun 9:00am-1:00pm
(May 13 to Oct 28)

- Port Moody Winter Market
Port Moody Recreation Centre
Sun bi-weekly 10:00am-2:00pm
(Nov to April)

- Spirit Square Farmers' Market
3005 Burlington Dr
Fri 3:00pm-7:00pm
(June 15 to Sept 14)

T: 604-318-8966

E: info@makebakegrow.com

W: www.makebakegrow.com

Fort Langley Village Farmers' Market

Garden of the Bedford House Restaurant
T: 604-728-2080
E: info@fortlangleyvillagefarmersmarket.org
W: www.fortlangleyvillagefarmersmarket.org
Sun 10:00am-3:00pm (April 21 to Oct 6)

Gibsons Landing Sunday Market

Holland & Winegarden Parks,
Lower Gibsons
Sun 10:00am-3:00pm (June 3 to Sept 30)

Haney Farmers' Market - Maple Ridge

Memorial Peace Park at 224th St, Dwtn
T: 604-467-7433
E: hfminfo@haneyfarmersmarket.org
W: www.haneyfarmersmarket.org
Sat 9:00am-2:00pm (May 12 to Nov 3)

VANCOUVER, COAST & MOUNTAINS

Ladner Village Market

48th Ave, Ladner Village
T: 604-946-8590
E: info@ladnervillagemarket.com
W: www.ladnervillagemarket.com
Sun 10:00am-4:00pm (June 10, 24,
July 8, 22, Aug 12, 26, Sept 9)

Langley Community Farmers' Market

Kwantlen University,
Langley Campus Courtyard
T: 604-613-7139
E: info@langleycommunityfarmersmarket.com
W: www.langleycommunityfarmersmarket.com
Wed 2:00pm-6:00pm (May 23 to Oct 3)



Lonsdale Quay Farmers' Market - North Vancouver

Lonsdale Quay at East Plaza
T: 604-318-0487
E: info@artisanmarkets.ca
W: www.artisanmarkets.ca
Sat 10:00am-3:00pm (May 5 to Oct 27)

Mission City Farmers' Market

Lane Creek Park, 2nd Ave
T: 604-302-5561
E: mission.market@gmail.com
W: www.missioncityfarmersmarket.com
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm (May 5 to Sept 29)

Pemberton Farmers' Market

7438 Prospect (Legion parking area)
T: 604-894-5149
E: farmersmarket@pembertonfarmers.com
W: www.pembertonfarmers.com
Wed 4:00pm-7:00pm (June 20 to Oct 3)



Pitt Meadows Farmers' Market

12007 Harris Rd, in Spirit Square Dwtn
T: 604-467-7433
E: hfminfo@haneyfarmersmarket.org
W: www.haneyfarmersmarket.org
Sun 10:00am-2:00pm (June 10 to Sept 30)

Port Coquitlam Farmers' Market

2253 Leigh Square off Shaughnessy St Dwtn
T: 604-467-7433
E: hfminfo@haneyfarmersmarket.org
W: www.haneyfarmersmarket.org
Thu 3:00pm-7:00pm (May 31 to Sept 27)

Powell River Open Air Market

Paradise Valley Exhibition Park,
McLeod Rd
T: 604-344-0021
E: jesseblack@gmail.com
Sat 10:30am-12:30pm, Sun 12:30pm-2:30pm
(April 28 to Oct 7)

Royal City Farmers' Market - New Westminster

Tipperary Park
T: 778-928-RCFM (7236)
E: info@rcfm.ca
W: www.rcfm.ca
Thu 3:00pm-7:00pm (June 7 to Oct 4)

Sechelt Farmers' & Artisans' Market

Cowrie & Shomcliffe
E: secheltmarket@gmail.com
W: www.secheltmarket.org
Sat 9:00am-2:30pm (April 7 to Sept 29)

Squamish

- Squamish Farmers' Market
Downtown at Cleveland Ave & Victoria St
Sat 10:00am-3:00pm (May 12 to Oct 27)

- Squamish Winter Market

WestCoast Railway Heritage Park
Sun 10:00am-3:00pm
(See website for dates & details)

T: 604-815-0928

E: info@squamishfarmersmarket.com

W: www.squamishfarmersmarket.com



Steveston Farmers' & Artisans' Market

Corner of 3 Ave & Moncton St
T: 604-729-7326
E: marketmanager@shaw.ca
W: www.sfam.ca
Every 2nd Sun
10:00am-4:00pm (May 20 to Sept 30)
10:00am-3:00pm (Oct 7 to April 28,
2013, Inside the Cannery)

Surrey

- Surrey Urban Farmers' Market - City Centre
North Surrey Rec Centre Courtyard - 10275 City Parkway
Wed 1:00pm-6:00pm (June 13 to Oct 3)

- Surrey Urban Farmers' Market - City Hall
Surrey City Hall, 14245 56 Ave
Thu 11:00am-1:00pm
(June 28, July 12, 26, Aug 9, 13,
Sept 6, 20, Oct 4)

T: 778-228-FARM (3278)

E: info@surreymarket.org

W: www.surreymarket.org

Vancouver

- Granville Island Farmers' Market
Across from the Public Market in
Triangle Square, Granville Island
T: 604-666-6477 (option 4)
E: coordinators@granvilleisland.com
W: www.granvilleisland.com
Thu 9:00am-3:00pm (June 7 to Oct 11)

- Oak Street Farmers' Market
Unitarian Church, Oak St & W 49th Ave
E: manager@oakstreetmarket.ca
W: www.oakstreetmarket.ca
Wed 3:00pm-7:00pm (June 6 to Jan 30, 2013)

- UBC Farm Market
UBC Farm, Vancouver
T: 604-822-5092
E: ubcfarm.market@ubc.ca
W: www.ubcfarm.ubc.ca
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm (June 23 to Oct 13)

Vancouver Farmers' Markets

- Kerrisdale Village Farmers' Market
East Boulevard between 37th & 41st Ave
Sat 10:00am-2:00pm (July 7 to Oct 6)

- Kitsilano Farmers' Market

2690 Larch St at 10th Ave
Sun 10:00am-2:00pm
(May 20 to Oct 21)

- Main Street Station Farmers' Market

1100 Block Station St at Thornton Park
Wed 3:00pm-7:00pm (June 6 to Oct 3)

- Trout Lake Farmers' Market

North Parking Lot of John Hendry Park
Sat 9:00am-2:00pm (May 12 to Oct 20)

- West End Farmers' Market

1100 Block of Comox St
Sat 9:00am-2:00pm (June 2 to Oct 20)

- Winter Farmers' Market

30th Ave at Ontario St
Sat 10:00am-2:00pm
(Nov 3, 2012 to April 27, 2013)

T: 604-879-3276

E: info@eatlocal.org

W: www.eatlocal.org

Whistler Farmers' Market

Base of Blackcomb Mountain
T: 604-905-8886
E: info@whistlerfarmersmarket.org
W: www.whistlerfarmersmarket.org
Wed 3:00pm-7:00pm (July to Sept 5)
Sun 11:00am-4:00pm (June 17 to Oct 7)

White Rock Farmers' Market

Miramar Plaza 15154 Russell Ave
T: 604-897-3276
E: wrfm2008@gmail.com
W: www.whiterockfarmersmarket.ca
Sun 9:00am-1:00pm (May 27 to Oct 7)



MAY 2012-APRIL 2013

BC FARMERS' MARKETS

Fresh, Healthy, Local



Celebrate the seasons,
farmers, freshness & flavour.

Over 100 farmers' markets
are bustling with neighbours,
families, food, farmers and
artisans across BC.

Visit a farmers' market near you

bcfarmersmarket.org

What can you find at a farmers' market? Freshly baked bread, heirloom vegetables, raspberries picked that day, artisan cheeses, pasture raised meat and poultry, sustainably harvested seafood, honey, and wild harvest products.



You can also find homemade preserves, locally produced sausages, crêpes, and one-of-a-kind artisan products, including pottery, jewelry, hand-spun wool, personal care products and more.



Farmers' markets are the place to meet the people who make, bake, grow, catch and raise the food you eat—find out when those tomatoes were picked, what's the difference between free-range and organic chicken and more.

THOMPSON OKANAGAN

All Organic Farmers' Market - Salmon Arm

Deo Lutheran Church, 1801 30th St NE
T: 250-838-7447
E: hermann@wildflightfarm.ca
Wed 3:00pm-5:30pm (May 2 to Oct 24)
Every 2nd Wed through the Winter
3:00-5:00pm

Armstrong Farmers' Market

Fairgrounds, Armstrong
T: 250-546-1986
E: henkden@shaw.ca
Sat 8:00am-12:00pm (April 28 to Oct 27)
Oct hours 9:00am-12:00pm

Barriere Farmers' Market

(Sam's Pizza), Hwy 5 South
T: 250-672-5159
E: jerdonbrown1@gmail.com
Thu 10:00am-2:00pm (May 3 to Oct 25)



Blind Bay Farmers' Market

2600 Fairway Dr
T: 250-675-5165
E: gibsonda2012@gmail.com
W: www.blindbayfarmersmarket.webs.com
Thu 10:00am-2:00pm (May 10 to Sept 13)

Cherryville Farmer's Market

1187 Hwy 6
E: farmersmarket@cherryville.net
W: www.cherryville.net
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm (May 12 to Oct 6)

Clearwater Farmers' Market

Grounds of Interior Whitewater Expeditions
T: 250-674-3444
E: schoolcreekfarm@gmail.com
Sat 9:00am-12:00pm (May 5 to Oct 27)

Grand Forks Farmers' Market

Gyro Park on Hwy 3
E: gffarmersmarket@hotmail.com
Tue & Fri 8:00am-1:00pm
(May 1 to Oct 30)

Hedley Farmers' Market

Heritage Park, Daly Ave
T: 250-292-8511
E: hedleyfarmersmarket@nethop.net
Sun 9:00am-1:00pm (June 17 to Sept 30)

Kamloops

Kamloops Farmers' Market -Saturday
200 Block St. Paul St &
Stuart Wood Schoolyard
E: info@kamloopsfarmersmarket.com
Sat 8:00am-12:00pm (April 21 to Oct 27)

Kamloops Farmers' Market -Wednesday
400 block Victoria St
E: wednesdaymanager@kamloopsfarmersmarket.com
Wed 8:00am-2:00pm (May 2 to Oct 31)

T: 250-682-7975
W: www.kamloopsfarmersmarket.com

Kelowna

Kelowna Farmers' Market
Dilworth & Springfield
Wed & Sat 8:00am-1:00pm
(April 4 to Oct 31)

Indoor Winter Market
Parkinson Rec Centre
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm (Nov to March)
Check website for dates

T: 250-878-5029
E: kelownafarmersmarket@shaw.ca
W: www.kelownafarmersandcraftersmarket.com

Naramata Community Market

Wharf Park
Wed 3:30pm-6:30pm (June 6 to Sept 12)

Nicola Valley Farmers' Market - Merritt

Corner of Garcia St & Coutlee Ave
T: 250-378-4124
E: car_crazy01@hotmail.com
Sat 9:00am-2:00pm (May 12 to Oct 6)

Oliver Country Market A-Fair

Lion's Park, Hwy 97 North of Oliver
Sat 8:30am-12:30pm (June 21 to Sept 27)

Osoyoos Market on Main

Town Square
Sat 8:00am-1:00pm (May 19 to Sept 29)

THOMPSON OKANAGAN

Penticton

Penticton Farmers' Market
Main St, 100 Block
Sat 8:30am-12:00pm (May 5 to Oct 27)

Winter Market
Shatford Centre on Main St
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm
(Nov 10 & 24, Dec 8 & 22)

T: 250-770-FARM (3276)
E: pentictonfarmersmarket@gmail.com
W: www.pentictonfarmersmarket.org

Scotch Creek Farm & Craft Market

3874 Squilax-Anglemont Rd
T: 250-675-5165
E: gibsonda2012@gmail.com
Sun 10:00am-2:00pm (May 20 to Sept 9)

Shuswap Farm & Craft Market - Salmon Arm

Centenoka Park Mall - 5th St & 5th Ave
W: www.shuswapfarmersmarket.com
Tue & Fri 8:00am-12:00pm
(April 27 to Oct 5)

Sorrento Village Farmers' Market

Trans Canada Hwy & Notch Hill Rd
T: 250-515-1265
Sat 8:00am-12:00pm (May 12 to Oct 6)

VANCOUVER ISLAND

Campbell River - Pier Street Farmers' Market

Campbell River Fishing Pier Lot
T: 250-203-1399
E: market@pierstreet.com
W: www.pierstreet.com
Sun 10:00am-2:30pm (May 6 to Sept 30)

Cedar Farmers' Market

Crow & Gate Pub field
2313 Yellowpoint Rd
W: www.cedarfarmersmarket.com
Sun 10:00am-2:00pm (May 13 to Oct 28)

Courtenay

Comox Valley Farmers Market
Exhibition Grounds
4835 Headquarters Rd
Sat 9:00am-12:00pm (April 14 to Oct 20)

Sun Peaks Farmers' Market

Sun Peaks Village
E: activities@sunpeaksresort.com
W: www.sunpeaksresort.com
Sun 10:00am-2:00pm (July 1 to Sept 2)

Two Rivers Farmers' Market - Lytton

4th St
E: tworiversfarmersmarket@live.ca
Fri 10:00am-4:00pm (June 1 to Oct 12)

Valemount Farmers' Market

South of the Valemount Visitor Centre
on Hwy 5 South
T: 250-566-1450
Thu 4:00pm-7:00pm (July 5 to Sept 27)

Vernon Farmers' Market

Wesbild Centre Parking Lot,
3445 43rd Ave
T: 250-549-1588
E: info@vernonfarmersmarket.ca
W: www.vernonfarmersmarket.ca
Mon & Thu 8:00am-1:00pm
(April 19 to Oct 29)

Vernon Friday Night Farmers' Market

Village Green Mall Parking Lot -
4900 27th St
T: 250-546-6267
Fri 3:00pm-7:00pm (May 11 to Oct 5)

Duncan Farmers' Market

City Square & Ingram St
T: 250-732-1723
E: themarketmanager1@gmail.com
W: www.duncanfarmersmarket.ca
Sat 9:00am-2:00pm (year round)



Errington Farmers' Market

Errington Community Park,
1390 Errington Rd
W: www.erringtonfarmersmarket.ca
Sat 10:00am-1:00pm (May 5 to Sept 29)

Metchosin Farmers' Market

Metchosin Municipal Grounds,
4450 Happy Valley Rd
E: metchosinfarmersmarket@gmail.com
W: www.metchosinfarmersmarket.blog.com
Sun 11:00am-2:00pm (May 13 to Oct 28)

Nanaimo

Bowen Road Farmers Market
Beban Park
T: 250-751-5313
E: bowenfarmersmarket@gmail.com
W: www.bowenfarmersmarket.com
Wed 4:00pm-6:30pm (May 16 to Oct 31)

Duke Point Farmers' Market
Duke Point Ferry Terminal
T: 250-722-2780
E: rareessence@live.ca
Everyday 8:30am-5:30pm
(June 1 to Sept 12)



VANCOUVER ISLAND

Lantzville Farmers' Market
St. Philips Church-7113 Lantzville Rd
T: 250-390-4487
E: lantzvillefarmersmarket@gmail.com
Sun 1:00pm-4:00pm (May 27 to Oct 28)

Nanaimo Downtown Farmers' Market
Pioneer Waterfront Plaza, 90 Front St
W: www.nanaimofarmersmarket.com
Fri 10:00am-2:00pm (May 11 to Oct 5)

North Saanich Farm Market

10990 West Saanich Rd
W: www.northsaanichfarmmarket.ca
Sat 9:30am-12:30pm (June 2 to Oct 6)

Peninsula Country Market

1528 Stelly's X Rd, Saanichton
T: 250-216-0521
E: peninsulacountrymarket@gmail.com
W: www.peninsulacountrymarket.ca
Sat 9:00am-1:00pm (June 2 to Oct 13)

Port Alberni Farmers' Market

Harbour Quay
W: www.portalbernifarmersmarket.com
Sat 8:30am-12:00pm (Year Round)

Qualicum Beach Farmers' Market

Qualicum Beach on Veterans Way
T: 250-248-8005
E: qbfrmmanager@gmail.com
W: www.qbfarmersmarket.com
Sat 8:30am-12:00pm (March 3 to Dec 8)

Saltspring Tuesday Farmers' Market

Centennial Park, Ganges
T: 250-931-6336
E: sstuesdaymarket@gmail.com
W: www.saltspringtuesdaymarket.com
Tue 3:00pm-7:00pm (June 5 to Oct 30)

Victoria

Goldstream Station Market
Bryn Maur Rd - DwtN Langford
T: 250-507-5767
E: info@goldstreamstationmarket.ca
Sat 10:00am-2:00pm (May 26 to Oct 13)

VANCOUVER ISLAND

Moss Street Market
1330 Fairfield Rd
T: 250-361-1747
E: info@mossstreetmarket.com
W: www.mossstreetmarket.com
Sat 10:00am-2:00pm (May 5 to Oct 27)

Oaklands Sunset Series
Oaklands Community Centre
1-2827 Belmont Ave
T: 250-370-9101
E: alex@oaklandscommunitycentre.com
W: www.oaklandscommunitycentre.com
Thu 5:00pm-9:00pm
(July 4 & 18, Aug 1 & 15)

Victoria Downtown Farmers Market
Market Square
T: 250-884-8552
E: marycarmack@victoriapublicmarket.com
Wed 12:00pm-5:00pm (April 4 to Oct 31)
Sat 11:00am-3:00pm (Nov to March
1st & 3rd Sat of the month)



NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Bulkley Valley Farmers' Market - Smithers

Hwy 16 & Main St
W: www.bvfarmersmarket.com
(see website for Winter schedule)
Sat 8:00am-12:00pm (May 12 to Sept 29)



Chetwynd Farmers' Market

Chetwynd Recreation Centre
E: chetwyndfarmersmarket@live.ca
Thu 2:00pm-6:00pm (May 17 to Oct 18)

Dawson Creek Farmers' Market

Co-op Mall parking lot, 10200 8th St
T: 250-782-1969
E: cordjohn@shaw.ca
Sat 8:00am-12:30pm (May 5 to Oct 6)

Fort St. John Farmers' Market

North Peace Arena Lobby
T: 250-785-5051
E: onehotmamabear@hotmail.com
Sat 9:00am-3:00pm (May 5 to Dec 15)

Hazelton Farmers' Market

Tourist Info Centre, Hwy 16, New Hazelton
T: 250-842-0088
E: market@hazeltonfarmers.ca
W: www.hazeltonfarmers.ca
Sun 10:00am-2:00pm (May 13 to Sept 30)

Pleasant Valley Community Market - Houston

Steelhead Park, Hwy 16
Fri 10:00am-3:00pm (June 1 to Sept 21)

Prince George Farmers' Market

3rd & George St
(new location TBA starting Oct 2012)
E: info@farmersmarketpg.ca
W: www.farmersmarketpg.ca
Sat 8:30am-2:00pm (year round)

Salmonberry Farmers' Market - Prince Rupert

Court House Lawn (100 Market Place)
W: www.salmonberrytrading.com
Thu 4:00pm-8:00pm (May 10 to Sept 15)

Skeena Valley Farmers' Market - Terrace

Market St
Sat 8:00am-12:00pm (May 5 to Oct 27)

Vanderhoof Farmers' Market

Riverside Park
T: 250-570-3122
E: vanderhooffarmersmarket@gmail.com
Thu 11:00am-3:00pm (June 7 to Sept 7)

FARMERS' MARKETS ARE...

GOOD FOR YOU & YOUR FAMILY

When you provide your family with juicy peaches, hormone-free chicken and crisp baby carrots, eating healthy becomes very easy, not to mention incredibly enjoyable. By spending your food dollars at the market you are investing in your family's health.

GOOD FOR BC FARMERS & COMMUNITIES

When farmers sell at the market they get to bring home 100% of the retail price—this means that your money stays and works in the community. By supporting local farmers you are voting with your dollar to keep BC farmers farming, and safeguarding BC's agricultural land for future generations.

BETTER FOR OUR ENVIRONMENT

The fresh produce sold at BC farmers' markets travels less than 300 km to get to you. Compare this to the average North American meal, which travels 2,400 km to get from field to plate and contains ingredients from 5 countries in addition to our own. All that transporation results in a lot of fossil fuels being burned which contributes to air pollution, acid rain, and climate change.



The BC Association of Farmers' Markets is a non-profit organization representing over 100 farmers' markets and their vendors who make, bake, grow, catch and raise the products they sell at the market.



Visit our new website to search for local BC products, vendors and markets.

