

News from Thyme Again Gardens

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✓ BEEF

Ground beef, stewing beef, beef roasts, steaks

✓ LAMB

Rosemary Bratwurst Sausages, chops, ground, roasts

✓ CHICKEN

Whole soup chickens, hearts, livers

✓ PRESERVES

Cayenne, Chili Powder, dried herbs, salsa, ketchup, jams, jellies, marmalades, chili sauce, relish and more

✓ EGGS

Please call ahead with your order!

Our Greens are Growing!

We had a big surprise when we went out to the vegetable garden a few weeks ago and found a blanket of green goodness right in the middle of a field of snow!

Much to our amazement, spinach and arugula had seeded itself last year, and was sprouting in the tunnels. We were so inspired by Mother Nature's head start that we added turnip tops, lettuce and kale from seed. The sunny days and warmer nights mean the plastic covered tunnels can sustain moderate temperatures and sufficient humidity to grow great early greens!

And shoot, we also started sprouting peas. We collected our very own peas last year, and have been experimenting with sprouting them. We can't wait to share our very own sprouted pea shoots with you!

The Lambs are Arriving!

It doesn't matter how many times we go through this, we continue to be amazed at the process (and results) of lambing. Not that we don't understand how it happens --- we passed biology 101 (okay, so maybe that was a million years ago, or at least it FEELS like that long ago).

But think about it. Compare the process for lambing, with what humans (okay, women) go through. No doctors, no hospitals, no crazy binge eating, no pain killers, no coaches --- just a bunch of pregnant ewes hanging out in the barn. The one thing sheep and people have in common: in most cases, the fathers are nowhere to be found when the real work starts – hahaha!



Two ewes have given us 4 lambs so far (and there are likely another 10 or so to come). And all came into this world without a hitch. One minute we've got no lambs, and the next time we look, we've got little ones running and hopping all around. We can sit in the barn for hours just watching them!

Upcoming Events: Farm Stand Grand Opening!

This year marks the 5th year for our Farm Stand, and we want to celebrate. So come out on Sunday May 22nd and take advantage of fabulous anniversary specials during our one-day Grand Opening event!

Stay tuned for more information!



Contact us at 613-394-1139 if you are interested in helping

Do you secretly harbor an inner itch to crawl around on your hands and knees and play in the dirt? Or maybe you just want to get away from it all and spend quality time in fresh air.

We can help! Volunteer a couple hours at Thyme Again Gardens, and help us plant strawberries! We're not sure exactly when we'll plant (we don't have the plants yet!!) – but likely in late April.

