

Becoming a Pasture Patterns Egg Share Site Host

If there is not an egg share pick-up location near you and you think others would appreciate one in your area, consider becoming a site host. Site Hosts provide the necessary link between the producer and the consumer of local foods.

The benefits include:

- Being a part of a community that is on the ground floor of an effort to put fresh, healthy food back into people's kitchens and diet.
- Supporting small farms and local economies that emphasize keeping our wealth within the community.
- Receiving a 50% discount on egg purchases. (The discount is limited to 2 dozen eggs per delivery). This discount is available for all sites that receive at least 15 dozen eggs (not including the site hosts) per delivery. If a site becomes popular, we will not deliver more than 30 dozen eggs to a site without additional permission from the site host.

The responsibilities include:

- Providing a place where customers can pick up their egg share from a cooler that we provide. This may be outside or in an enclosed area such as a porch or garage. The cooler is kept at the site in between deliveries.
- Removing eggs from the cooler that did not get picked up and distributing them appropriately. This might include: dropping them off at a food pantry, using them yourself or giving them to a friend. We just don't want them to go to waste. Some site-hosts will call or e-mail the person who did not pick up their share. This is appreciated but not required. Each time eggs are delivered, a new list is left at the site for people to cross their name off to indicate that they have picked up their eggs.
- Site hosts do **not** have to be present when shares are picked up, handle financial transactions or deal with delivery problems (e.g. there wasn't enough eggs for everyone). Occasionally, someone may call the site host to arrange a time to pick up their eggs outside the normal pick-up time of 4-7pm.

Other Information

- The shares are distributed every two weeks on Thursday. The designated pick-up time is 4 to 7PM.

Please contact us if you have any other questions. Thank you!