

Newsletter 2/23/2024

This is National CSA week! We will start promoting to fill the spots we have left. Sign up now to go into the season worry free!

Send checks, paperwork and other things to: Plato Dale Farm, 6009 Curriers Rd. Arcade, NY 14009. You can sign up from the website and choose to send in a deposit by check or credit card. Please get your deposits in to reserve your place.

The long awaited roof project has started. Sunrise Builders moved in this week to start. The first aspect of the job is to take down insulation that has created a moisture problem in the rafters. We hope to reuse the insulation to insulate the vegetable processing, utilities and storage area. The aluminum roofing is being recycled and will help a little in paying for the new roof.

The Geode fund raiser is going well. We anticipate the high end cuts being used up by the middle of March. Get your orders in soon.

Kent and Jenny go to South Carolina for a couple weeks in March. We are attending a farm to table dinner held by a community in Sumpter. We are looking forward to visiting friends and seeing/experiencing how a small community is celebrating spring!

We hope to start tiling floors in the new kitchen this coming week. Drains have been installed and the concrete cutting has been cleaned up. Lots to do!

We will be working with our former employee and new neighbors at **From This Valley Farm** to supply mushrooms. They are building out growing space for this coming year.

I have been thinking about the small farm growth in our area in the last 10 years. It is really gratifying to see our community grow around local food and support for local food systems. We have more to do, but we can take pride in how far we have come.

Thanks for supporting our farm.

