

Currituck Grown

Local Foods Newsletter



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The Local Foods Newsletter is published to provide you with the source of fresh local agriculture commodities that are produced by small farm growers in Currituck County.

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Currituck Roadside Markets are now open for the summer season. The roadside markets carry a wide variety of seasonal local fresh fruits and vegetables.

Currituck Roadside Markets

Grandy Greenhouse & Farm Market, Grandy
Morris Farm Market, Barco
Newbern Farm Market, Jarvisburg
Powell's Roadside Market, Sligo
Tar Heel Produce, Jarvisburg
The Farm Market, Powells Point
Seaside Farm Market, Corolla



In Season . . .

Support Currituck County's direct marketers and local growers (red).

Muscadine Grapes (Late August)

Soundside Pick-Your-Own Grapes, Grandy, 252-453-8276

Martin's Orchard and Vineyards, Knotts Island, 252-429-3542



Tomatoes

Andy Newbern, Jarvisburg, 252-202-1578

Fresh Eggs

The Egg Place, Maple, 252-453-4850

The Brumsey Farm, Currituck, 252-202-3790

The Chicken Lady, Powells Point, 252-202-3796

Diedrich Farms, Moyock, 252-207-4096



Seasonal Fruits & Vegetables

George Weaver, vegetables, Powells Point, 252-619-6792

The Farm Market, fruits and vegetables, Powells Point, 252-491-2181

Coinjock Creek Farms, fruits and vegetables, Maple, 252-267-1691

Martin Orchard & Vineyards, fruit, Knotts Island, 252-429-3542

Andy Newbern, fruits and vegetables, Jarvisburg, 252-202-1578



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Currituck Small Farm Growers' Profile

Dennis and Andy Newbern

Dennis and Andy Newbern are fourth generation farmers on their family farm located at 7026 Caratoke Highway in Jarvisburg, North Carolina. For over 35 years, Andy, Dennis and their families have grown local, fresh fruits and vegetables on their farm. They sell their produce directly to the public at the farm, and sell wholesale to retail roadside markets in the area. During earlier years, they grew vegetables using the conventional row methods. In 1997, realizing the importance of irrigation to enhance crop performance, they began using the plastic culture system for growing produce. With plastic culture, the row is covered with plastic, plants are transplanted through a hole in the plastic, and a water line is placed under the plastic to maintain consistent soil moisture for the plants. Andy and Dennis Newbern grow many varieties of seasonal fresh produce. They are recognized for growing sweet corn, tomatoes, cantaloupes and seedless watermelons in the summer, cabbage, broccoli and collards in the fall and strawberries in the spring. Call 252-202-1578 for what is in season. Thanks for being Currituck County local foods growers.

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