## Bragging Rights

Shop our Oxford County farms and markets, picking up our finest foods and then head home and cook a fabulous #OxfordFresh meal for your friends. Talk about your unique finds and plan your next visit.



## Cheese & Dairy

#### **BLUE COW DELIVERY**

Available for home delivery or at the Woodstock Farmers' Market.

**Open:** On-line, Woodstock Farmers' Market, **On-Farm Shoppe** 

Products: Shopping local is easier than ever with bluecowdelivery.ca. Specializing in glass bottle milk; a modern take on an old-school delivery service. Milk, meat & more right to your door!

Contact: 226-377-1011 hello@bluecowdelivery.ca bluecowdelivery.ca f @bluecowdelivery

## BRIGHT CHEESE & BUTTER MANUFACTURING CO. LTD.

816503 County Rd 22, Bright Open: 🕐 Mon-Fri: 9am-5pm, Sat: 9am-4pm Products: Fresh curds, naturally aged cheddars, flavoured bricks, all cheese is 100% Canadian Milk Contact: 519-454-8600 brightcheeseandbutter.com f 🕑 @brightcheese

#### HE GOLSPIE DAIRY

3 THE GOLSFIE Broodstock 455259 45th Line, Woodstock **Open:** (Opening Summer 2022) Store: Thu-Sat: 10am-4pm

Self-Serve Everyday: 10am-8pm **Products:** On-farm cheese plant specializing in small-batch artisanal British-style cheeses, fresh dairy products, and a milk vending machine! Pasteurized, nonhomogenized whole milk: white or chocolate! Contact: 226-888-4819 golspiedairy.ca f @ @golspiedairy

## **GUNN'S HILL ARTISAN CHEESE LTD.** 445172 Gunn's Hill Rd, Woodstock

Open: (v) Mon-Sat: 9am-5pm **Products:** Several unique varieties of speciality cheese produced with milk from family dairy farm Contact: 519-424-4024 gunnshillcheese.ca f 🖸 @gunnshillcheese

5 MOUNTAINOAK CHEESE LTD. 3165 Huron Rd, New Hamburg **Open:** (v) Mon-Sat: 9am-5pm; Closed Sun & Holidays **Products:** 18+ varieties of artisan gouda made right on the farm with our fresh milk. Contact: 519-662-4967 mountainoakcheese.ca 🕑 @Mountainoak Cheese 😒 @MountainoakC







#### 43 TILLSONBURG FARMERS' MARKET 41 Bridge St W, Tillsonburg

Open: May-Oct: Sat, 8am-12noon Products: Visit our seasonal local market, outdoors at the Station Arts Centre, over 20 vendors featuring top-quality, local farm-fresh products, including frozen chicken, seasonal produce, artisans, crafts & more. Contact: 519-875-3177 tillsonburgfarmersmarket@gmail.com

f @tillsonburgfarmersmarket

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#### 44 TURNER'S FARM MARKET 683655 Oxford Rd 68, Ingersoll

Open: April 1st - mid December: 10am-5pm Daily, **Closed Mondays** 

**Products:** We gather local fruits, vegetables, cheese, jams, preserves, pies, pastries. Seasonal plants, flowers, corn, pumpkins and more Contact: 519-425-0513 turnersfarmmarket@gmail.com

#### 45 YOUR FARM MARKET (YFM) 39 Young St., Woodstock

#### **Open:** (v) 8am–6pm Daily **Products:** Stop into the market and browse the bounty of fresh, locally grown products sourced from our

trusted network of local farms and food producers. Fruit, vegetables, cheese, meat, dairy, preserves, baking and more are awaiting you at YFM. Contact: 519-320-0023 yourfarmmarket.ca f @ @yourfarmmarket

# Plants, Irees & Gardens

#### **46 DEEP PURPLE LAVENDER FARM**

355548 35TH Line, Embro **Open:** (v) Farm & Purple Shop open daily 10am-5pm during bloom in July & by appointment. Shop On-line @deeppurplelavender.ca

**Products:** Find 10 different English & French lavender varieties, providing fragrant fresh/dried bouquets & used in the making small batch beauty care products. Distilled lavender & lemongrass products available.

Contact: 519-535-4361 deeppurplelavender.ca f @ @deeppurplelavender

#### **47 GARDEN IN HARRINGTON (THE)** 336813 33rd Line, Embro

Open: On-farm sales: Thurs-Fri: May-Oct; On-line all year - thegardeninharrington.com

**Products:** Family owned and run cut flower farm growing fresh, local and beautiful in-season flowers year round just for you. Vegetables also available in season. Contact: 519-859-2428 thegardeninharrington.com @thegardeninharrington

#### **48 MAKKINK SUNFLOWER FARM** 164604 Kellett Road, Tillsonburg

Open: Farm store is open from half June till half October: Wed-Fri: 8am-8pm, Sat: 8am-5pm.

Products: Fresh cut field flowers. Cut Your Own Flowers, and Workshops. Book your "Cut your own flowers" and workshop tickets at makkinks.com.

## @MountainoakCheese

### 6 RED DRAGON DAIRY 383723 Salford Rd, Salford Open: (v) Mon-Sat: 10am-5:30pm, Sun: 12pm-4pm

(Apr-Oct) Products: Find a delicious varieties of Sheep & Water

Buffalo milk cheeses using milk from small local farmers. Breads, baked goods, cheese curds, local, Ontario & European cheeses, meats & more. Contact: 519-425-0797 red-dragon-dairy.square.site

f 🖸 @reddragondairy

#### DDERLY RIDICULOUS FARM LIFE 7 UDDERLY RIDIOG 12, Bright 906200 Township Rd 12, Bright

Open: 🕐 Wed-Sat: 10:30am-7pm, Sun: 10:30am-5pm, Spring-Fall - Check website for winter hours or by appt **Products:** The Udderly Ridiculous farm market store is stocked with our Award Winning Goat Milk based Ice cream, cheeses, caramels, soaps & lotions & a full lineup of unique Ontario made products. Unique experiences! Contact: 548-225-1005 udderlyridiculousfarmlife.ca **f** @udderlyridiculous & @udderlyridiculousfarmlife @udderlyridiculous & @udderlyridiculousfarmlife

## 8 VILLAGE CHEESE MILL 333744 Plank Line, Salford

Open: (v) Mon-Sat: 10am-5:30pm **Products:** Variety of local, Canadian & imported cheeses, local honey, maple syrup, jams & preserves. Eco friendly beeswax wraps. Stroll thru Salford Heritage museum. Sit, relax & enjoy a lunch in the tea room. Contact: 519-485-0600 villagecheesemill.com

## Fruit & Vegetables

#### 9 AARDEN FARMS 196709 19th Line, Lakeside

Open: Jul-Oct, Sun-Fri: 10am-6pm, Sat: 9am-6pm **Products:** Fresh sweet corn, tomatoes, peppers, melons, as well as other seasonal fruit and veggies Contact: 519-349-2406 🕑 @AardenFarms

#### 10 BERRYLICIOUS FRUIT FARM 425533 Substation Boad, Burgeson 425533 Substation Road, Burgessville Open: Our hours change throughout the year. Summer hours: Mon-Sat: 8am-6pm, Fall hours: Fri-Sat: 9am-5pm, Winter hours Fri: 1pm-5pm Products: Enjoy Berrylicious fresh and frozen blueberries, raspberries, elderberries, pumpkins and preserves thru on-farm retail and PYO, and Farmers Markets. New: Signature Picnic Experience Contact: 519-424-3147 berryliciousfruit.ca f У @Berryliciousff 🞯 @berryliciousff

BINNENDYK ORCHARD 332700 Plank Line, Tillsonburg Open: 🕐 Mon-Fri: 8am-5:30pm, Sat: 8am-5pm (Aug-

Products: Apples, Sweet Corn, Pumpkins, Squash, Strawberries & Honey Contact: 519-688-9091 bertellenbinnendyk@hotmail.com f

#### 12 BRAEMAR HILLS FARM 844251 Rd 84 Embro 844251 Rd 84, Embro **Open:** Online year round. On-Site Farmgate: May-Nov, 7 days a week: 8am-8pm Products: We offer locally grown vegetables without the use of chemicals. Garlic, onions, lettuce, carrots,

tomatoes and more. Contact: 519-536-0091 braemarhillsfarm@gmail.com braemarhillsfarm.com f @braemarhillsfarm O @braemar\_hills\_farm

## 13 FLEMING FARMS

743804 Rd 74, Embro Open: When in season Mon-Fri: 8am-8pm, Holidays & weekends: 8am- 6pm, Ingersoll Farmers' Market, Jun-Oct: 8am-12pm

**Products:** Farm gate, road side stand with our fresh picked produce: strawberries, sweet corn, pumpkins, squash, garlic, asparagus, rhubarb, maple syrup & emade jams. PYO strawberries while in seaso

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15 LITTLE FIELDS FARM 867207 Township Rd 10, Bright Open: Visit our website to sign up for a CSA share or place an order on-line to pick up at our farm store by appointment. Products: We produce a wide variety of ecologicallygrown vegetables and cut flowers, as well as pasture-

raised organic eggs, chicken, turkey and heritage pork. Contact: 226-927-4440 littlefields.farm 🕜 🞯 @littlefieldscsa

## 16 NITH VALLEY ORGANICS 936754 Blenheim Rd. Platteville

Honey & Maple Syrup

Farmers' Markets & Retail

936754 Blenheim Rd, Plattsville Open: (v) Mon-Sat: 8am-8pm, self serve style Products: Vegetables, Eggs, Chicken and Lamb available year round. Limited walk up selection, or preorder from our full selection on-line for twice weekly pickup. https://www.localline.ca/nith-valley-organics Contact: 519-696-3136 nithvalleyorganics.ca f 🗿 @nithvalleyorganics

#### 17 PLAID SHIRT FARMS LTD 225804 Otterville Rd, Otterville

Open: By appointment or Sat: 9am-12pm while in season

Products: 6 varieties of Black Currants (mid July), 10 varieties of Haskap Berries (mid June). Available pre-picked only, fresh or frozen. Tasty jams/spreads, chutneys, sauces, juice. Honey, garlic, & more. Contact: 519-719-9458 plaidshirtfarms.com f 🗿 @plaidshirtfarms

#### 18 POTTERS ROAD BERRIES

145476 Potters Rd, Tillsonburg **Open:** Jun-Oct, Mon-Fri: 8am-8pm, Sat: 8am-6pm, Sun: 8am-4pm. Products: Strawberries from June - October. Also raspberries, sweet corn, potatoes, rhubarb & garden veggies. We sell frozen strawberries & raspberries. Contact: 519-842-2723 nverbruggen@nor-del.com @Potters Road Berries

## 19 SHELDON BERRIES 276347 Line 27 Lakasida

276347 Line 27, Lakeside **Open:** (y) Jun 1-Oct 31, Mon–Sat: 9am–6pm Closed Sun. Also at St. Mary's (Sat) & Grand Bend (Wed) Farmers' Markets. Off season by appointment. **Products:** U-pick & Ready-pick Strawberries. Summer & fall raspberries, blueberries, green & yellow

beans, peas, rhubarb, squash, pumpkins, jams, honey. Off season frozen berries Contact: 519-283-6025 sheldonberries.com

#### 20 SON IN LAW PRODUCE LTD. 225754 Otterville Rd, Otterville Open: (v) Mid-May-Oct, Mon-Sat: 9am-6pm, Sun:

10am-5pm Products: We grow and produce a wide variety of high quality, hand selected produce. Bringing traditional family garden produce to your table! Feature crops include strawberries, sweet corn, green beans, seasonal veggies and fruits, pumpkins & gourds! Contact: 519-410-6383 thesoninlaw@outlook.com soninlawproduce.ca f @ @son\_in\_law\_produce\_ltd

#### 21 THAMES RIVER MELONS LTD. 775530 Blandford Rd, Innerkip Open: May-Halloween, 7 days/week: 8am-6pm Products: On-Farm Retail Outlet, PYO & Farm Kitchen:

PYO berries & vegetables, plus asparagus, melons, sweet corn, squash, pumpkins & more. From the Farm Kitchen: fresh baked goods, small events & experiences. Contact: 519-469-3636 thamesrivermelons.com f 🖸 @thamesrivermelons





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26 **GREENER PASTURES ECO FARM** 774766 Oxford Road 14, Woodstock

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**Open:** (v) Wed-Sat: 12pm-4pm, and at Woodstock Farmers' Market, Sat: 7am-12pm Products: Our On-Farm Shoppe carries 100% Grass Fed Beef, Lamb & Rabbit, Heritage Pastured Pork & Poultry, Free Range Eggs, & a variety of other local goods. On-Farm Camping, Eco-Farm Tours & All-Inclusive Picnics. Contact: 226-377-1011 greenerpasturesecofarm.ca (f) (i) @greenerpasturesecofarm

#### 27 HELENIAK MEATS (NORPAC BEEF) 11 Robson St, Norwich

**Open:** (v) Mon-Sat: 9am-4pm **Products:** Any cut/selection of beef and pork, sausages and deli meat Contact: 519-468-6280 norpacbeef.com

#### 28 JTK FARMS

293193 Culloden Line, Verschoyle **Open:** Wed: 1pm-5pm, Thurs-Fri: 10am-6pm, Sat: 9am-4pm

**Products:** Farm fresh pork beef and chicken done right. From fresh to frozen meats as well as packages to fill your freezer. We have a fresh counter stocked with amazing steaks and more Contact: 226-228-4566 jtkfarms.com f @jtkmeatshoppe

## 29 MIEDEMA'S MEAT MARKET 129 Huron St, Embro

Open: (v) Mon-Tues: 7am-4pm, Wed-Thurs: 7am-5pm, Fri: 7am-6pm, Sat: 1pm-3pm **Products:** Offering local beef, pork & chicken to Oxford County since 1982. Custom butchering available, and fresh cuts of meat every week! Contact: 519-475-4010 miedemasmeats@live.ca @MiedemasMeatMarket

## 30 ORANGE DOOR ACRES FARM 323804 Mount Elgin Rd, RR #2, Mount Elgin

**Open:** See our website for shop hours or by appt. Also find us at 2 Farmers Markets: Simcoe, Thurs: 8am-2pm (YR), Tillsonburg (mid May-early Fall) Sat: 8am-12pm

**Products:** Chicken with flavour of a by-gone era, antibiotic free, pasture raised with moist, rich flavour appealing to families & foodies alike. Whole/pieces, vacuum packed & frozen to lock in the flavour & freshness.

Contact: 519-425-9061 OrangeDoorAcres.ca ① @orangedooracres

#### lable as well as beef jerky, beef peppe frankfurters. Contact: 519-842-2597 yuranch.com f @yuranch Honey & Maple

Open: Our on-farm store is open for your convenience.

Products: 100% grass-fed, grass-finished beef. All cuts

## Syrup

#### 35 HAYES HAVEN FARMS 244600 Airport Rd Tillsonburg

**34 Y U RANCH** 460 Plowmans Line, Tillsonburg

Please call to set up an appointment

**Open:** Order on-line or by calling 519-983-7842 **Products:** Hayes Maple Syrup, made just the way you like it! Pure sweetness tapped from the farm's sugar bush & cooked to perfection. Also eggs, whole chickens & asparagus (in season), all produced from our farm. Contact: 519-983-7842 hayeshavenfarms.com f 🗿 @hayeshavenfarms

## **36** JAKEMAN'S MAPLE FARM 454414 Trillium Line, Sweaburg

**Open:** Won-Fri: 9am-4:30pm, Sat, 10am-4pm **Products:** *Maple syrup, maple cream cookies, maple* sugar, maple candies, maple tea and coffee, maple popcorn, maple spread & gift baskets Contact: 519-539-1366 or 1-800-382-9795 jakemansmaplesyrup.com f 🕑 @jakemanmaple

37 OXFORD HONEY AND SUPPLIES 384954 Salford Rd, Burgessville Open: (v) Thurs, Fri & Sat: 9am-3pm **Products:** Honey and related products, beekeeping supplies, tours and education and swarm removal Contact: 519-550-1096 oxfordhoney.ca f @OxfordHoneyandSuppliesBurgessville

## Farmers' Markets & Retail

#### 38 BICKLE'S ORCHARD PARK FARMS 96633 Hwy 59, Woodstock

Open: Sep-Jan: Mon-Sat: 9am-5pm, Jan to closing (approx. Apr) Wed-Sat: 9am-5pm. **Products:** Apples, Ontario produce and apple products, US Citrus, Oxford honey and local jams, jellies, relishes. Contact: Tom and Kathy Bickle, 519-462-2947

### 39 BRE'S FRESH MARKET

224276 Ostrander Rd, Tillsonburg Open: Mon-Fri: 9am-6pm, Sat-Sun: 9am-5pm, May

Products: Bre's Fresh Market is your 'One-stop-shop' for local produce, bakery treats, meats, cheeses and more! It is our mission to bring you the freshest local foods available. Come check out our Family run farm market today. Contact: 519-544-2737 bresfreshmarket.com f @Bre's Fresh Market 🗿 @bresfreshmarket

#### 40 INGERSOLL KIWANIS FARMERS' MARKET

130 Oxford St. S., Ingersoll **Open:** Saturdays 8am-12pm, Jun-Oct Products: KFM (Kiwanis Farmers' Market operating over 25 years.) Find farm fresh produce, baked goods, seasonal decorations, soaps, arts & crafts. The market includes themed events, music & entertainment for children Contact: 226-228-4630 ingersollkiwanis.com @Ingersoll Kiwanis Farmers Market

#### 41 MCCULLY'S HILL FARM 4074 Perth Line 9, St. Marys

**Open:** (v) See website for details **Products:** Farm Market specializing in preserves, maple syrup, honey, farm raised and locally sourced meats, baking and fresh produce & Christmas Trees. Contact: 519-284-2564 mccullys.ca 🕤 💙 @McCullysHill

#### 42 SNYDER'S FARM 936685 Blenheim Rd, Bright

**Open:** August-December

#### Contact: 226-993-2048 makkinks.com f @ @makkinkssunflowerfarm makkinks\_sunflower\_farm

#### **49 WILDLIFE GARDENING** 414943 41st Line, Ingersoll

**Open:** By appointment, Garden Parties and Workshops Products: Wildlife Gardening plant nursery, home to over 150 species of native plants. We host various workshops, teaching the joy of working with native plants. Open for special events and by appointment. Contact: 519-532-3818 WildlifeGardening.ca f 
@ @wildlife\_gardening

## Artisanal & Specialty Shops

**EARLY BIRD COFFEE ROASTERY & CAFE** 50 Two locations: 815 Juliana Dr. or 375 Dundas St., Woodstock

Open: (v) Tue-Sun: 8am-3pm **Products:** Roasting specialty coffee beans & offering a world class cafe experience is what we are all about. Enjoy a Sweet B's baked in house treat with a hot or cold drink. Inside or out. See you soon coffee lovers! Contact: 519-495-6020 earlybirdcoffee.ca ① @earlybirdcoffeewoodstock

#### HABITUAL CHOCOLATE

51 389 Dundas St, Woodstock Open: (v) Tue-Sat: 10am-5pm **Products:** 15+ different types of bean to bar chocolates and ice cream Contact: 519-535-1341 www.habitualchocolate.com f 🔽 @habitualchoklat

## Additional Features

#### 52 BIG ASS SLABS - Chainsaw Milling & Timberwork

235606 23rd Line, Thamesford **Open:** (v) Fri: 9am-5pm, Sat: 9am-2pm, Other times by appointment Product: Live edge slabs, milling, custom furniture and timber frames Contact: 519-777-8343 bigassslabs.shop f 🗿 @bigassslabs

#### 53 KINTORE CUSTOM HARDWOODS 155999 15th Line, Kintore

Open: Mon, Wed, Fri: 9am-5pm, Sat: 9am-12pm **Products:** Visit their live edge lumber showroom to find the perfect piece or plan out your next project. Live edge lumber, epoxy and much more

Contact: 519-495-4002 kintorecustomhardwoods.ca f @ @kintorecustomhardwoods

### 54 OAK MANOR FARMS ORGANIC MILL

756907 Oxford Rd. 5, Tavistock Open: (v) Mon-Fri: 8:30-12pm, 1pm-4:30pm, Sat 10am-1pm, Closed Sun. Products: Organic flours, cereals, dried beans, seeds and grains Contact: 519-662-2385 oakmanorfarms.ca

## 55 RALPH MOORE & SONS 245654 Milldale Rd, Otterville

Open: 🕐 Mon-Thurs: 8:30am-4pm, Fri: 8:30am-3pm **Products:** Spray Millet, indoor birdseed, wild birdseed, pigeon feed, a large assortment of finch, hummingbird, oriole, peanut, seed birdfeeders and birdhouses. Contact: 519-879-6588 ralphmooreandsons.com () @Ralph-Moore-Sons () @ralphmooreandsons

## **56** RAMBLIN' ROAD BREWERY FARM 2970 Swimming Pool Rd, LaSalette

**Open:** (v) Sun-Thur: 11am-6pm, Fri-Sat: 11am-8pm Products: Visit Ontario's first Brewery Farm! Enjoy the farm fresh taste of Ramblin' Road beers and Picard's Extreme Kettle Chips along with Original Picard Products! Plan to stay for I unch upstairs at the Roost or out on The Roost patio! OPEN DAILY! Contact: 519-582-1444 ramblinroad.ca f 🕐 @RamblinRoadBeer 💿 @ramblinroadbeer **UPPER THAMES BREWING COMPANY** 225 Bysham Park Dr., Woodstock **Open:** (v) Mon 9am-5pm, Tue, Wed & Thur 11am-7pm, Fri 11am-9pm, Sat 11am-7pm, Sun 12pm-6pm Visit our spacious, rustic taproom and sample a flite of high quality, small batch beer made in house with a slice of artisanal pizza. A perfect place to visit with friends & family. Contact: 519-290-0053 upperthamesbrewing.ca f 🗿 🕑 @UpperThamesBrew



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or pasture tours, call 519-608-3020

157030 15th Line, Uniondale

Market, May-Oct, Sat: 8am-noon

sausages and all beef pepperettes

f @londonareaorganicgrowers

FarmersMarketofStMarys

255395 25th Line, Thamesford

Open: Retail Store, Thurs: 1pm-6pm, For availability

**Product:** 100% Grass Fed Quality Bison Meat

Contact: 519-608-3020 f Buffalo-Ben-Bison

**Open:** By appointment only or St. Mary's Farmers'

Products: Varied cuts of organic, milk-fed red veal,

of organic beef, all beef summer sausage, beef/pork

Contact: 519-349-2783 msslater@quadro.net

organic ground beef plus a limited variety of other cuts

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check Facebook & Instagram for updates. Contact: 519-697-7553 wendy.fleming@hotmail.com f @fleming-Farms 🗿 @fleming.farms

14 KOTELES FARMS LTD. 164700 New Road, Tillsonburg Open: May to beginning of July: Mon-Sat: 8am-6pm, Sun: 9am-4pm Product: Asparagus for sale. Contact: 519-842-5425 kotelesfarms.com @Koteles Farms Ltd. – Oxford County @kotelesandnewroadfarms

22 ALSTEIN FARMS INC. 436455 43rd Line, Embro **Open: (v)** By appointment only Products: We offer a wide range of Black Angus beef cuts customized to suit your family. Beef cuts can be purchased individually, in packages, or as 1/2 or 1/4 beef. Can be purchased as grain finished or grass finished. From farm to fork, we hope to serve you. Contact: 519-788-4391 alsteinfarms.com f @AlsteinFarms i @@alstein\_farms

GOOD NATURE ECO FARM 135148 13TH Line, Thamesford **Open:** (v) Mon-Sat: 8am-7pm, by appointment **Products:** All natural pasture-raised chicken (whole chickens as well as pieces). Farm fresh eggs from freerange chickens, goat meat, and grass-fed beef. Poultry equipment (shelters, feeders, drinkers, transport cages). Contact: 519-993-6606 or 519-719-9489 goodnatureecofarm.ca goodnature.ecofarm@gmail.com f @ goodnatureecofarm

31 PERRY'S CORNERS FARM STORE & MARKET GARDEN 927417 Oxford Rd. 8, Bright **Open: (v)** See website for seasonal hours. **Products:** 100% Grass fed/grass finished beef & lamb. Pasture raised chicken, eggs & heritage pork NON-GMO and soy free. Seasonal organically grown vegetables Contact: 519-897-2605 perryscornersfarm.ca @perryscornersfarm1 @ @perrys\_corners\_farm

**Products:** U-pick pumpkins and Christmas trees with family fun, shopping, amazing food and beverages on a beautiful 100 acre farm. Contact: 519-632-7356 snydersfarm.com f @snydersfamilyfarm 💿 @SnydersFarm

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## Grocery Getaways

Discover these itineraries, each of which has four to five spots within minutes of each other to create a delightful grocery getaway to Oxford's farms and markets. Please note many spots are open during specific seasons and hours. It's always best to call ahead before heading out.

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### Discover the Unexpected Jour

*stops:* Deep Purple Lavender, Fleming Farms, Buffalo Ben Bison, Kintore Custom Hardwoods

#### stop 1 Deep Purple Lavender

Start your day at Deep Purple Lavender where you'll discover lavender products using the lavender straight from their field. If you'd like, end your visit here and enjoy one of their evening yoga sessions in the field.

#### stop 2 Fleming Farms

One minute down the road, Fleming Farms opens early in the season with maple syrup, rhubarb and asparagus, strawberries in June, corn in the summer and goes well into fall with gourds and pumpkins. Throughout the season you'll find everything from strawberries to preserves and more!



# Oxford's Farmers' Markets

For the finest in flavour and quality, and a vibrant community atmosphere, complete your shopping list at the market. Here you'll find seasonal fruits and vegetables, meat, baking, flowers and much more to tempt your senses.

Farmers' markets are a social as well as a mercantile experience. Meet old and new friends. Enjoy the experience of getting your goods directly from the hands of the farmers and vendors who produce them, and hearing about how your food gets from the field to your plate. After several visits, vendors may stock extra of your family's favourite fruit, cut of meat or custom-made recipe.

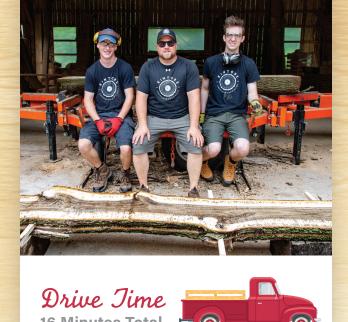
#### stop 3 Buffalo Ben Bison

Try something different when you grab some steaks from Buffalo Ben Bison! Call ahead and Ben himself will take you on a tour to see the bison!



#### stop 4 Kintore Custom Hardwoods

End your day with a visit to Kintore Custom Hardwoods which specializes in kiln-dried lumber, custom furniture, boards and more.



Experience Oxford Fresh

Harvest the ingredients to make a farm-to-

table brunch and dine alfresco at Thames

Reconnect with yourself as you walk alpacas,

feed the chickens and play with the goats at

Discover hands-on experiences crafted

by our Oxford Fresh partners.

ThamesRiverMelons.com

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**Harvest Brunch** 

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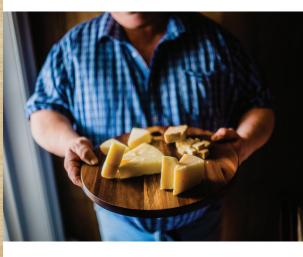


## The Local Buzz Jour

stops: Red Dragon Dairy, Orange Door Acres, JTK Farms, Bre's Fresh Market, Makkink's Flower Farm

#### stop 1 Red Dragon Dairy

Shop for sheep milk cheese as well as other locallymade goods, freshly baked bread and a few United Kingdom treats at Red Dragon Dairy in Salford.



#### stop 2 Orange Door Acres

Around the corner, Tim and Donna Norris sell artisanal chicken at their on-farm shop as well as their BBQ rubs and spices, locally-sourced cheese and more. Pop in for chicken wings, full •--birds and more.



#### stop 3 JTK Farms

JTK Farms in Verschoyle is a grill master's dream. Shop for meat, a huge array of sauces, BBQ rubs and spices, local produce and more. Check out their social media for info on dates when you can enjoy freshly grilled goodness made on site!

#### *stop 4* Bre's Fresh Market

Just off of Highway 19, Bre's Fresh Market is a local market filled with all kinds of produce, milk, cheese meat, treats and more for all your grocery needs open in early spring to late fall. On your way out, be sure to say hello to their goats outside the shop!

#### stop 5 Makkink's Flower Farm

From late spring to early fall, discover Makkink's Flower Farm. They create beautiful flower arrangements from their field. Join them for a cut-your-own flower experience or take part in one of their on-farm workshops (book online)!





#### Tips For Backroad Grocery Runs

- Bring cash for farm gate stands along the way
- Have a cooler for all those goodies Talk to the farmers!
- PYO to save money, experience farm life
- AND get the freshest produce possible



Refer to www.foodland.gov.on.ca for information on the proper storage of food.

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Beans							
Beets							
Broccoli							
Brussel Sprouts							
Cabbage							
Carrots							
Cauliflower							Carlo Arrentik
Corn							

#### How to Enjoy Oxford Fresh in the Winter Enjoy Oxford Fresh foods all winter long with these 7 ideas for going local.

#### 1. Freeze the Day! Several Oxford farmers freeze their berries to be enjoyed year-round.

2. Get Cheesy Oxford is home to six different cheesemakers!

#### 3. Sweet Tooth Don't forget to go sweet! You can get your fix locally with freshly-tapped maple syrup, local honey and local chocolate!

4. Grains Galore Make all those delicious baked goods extra local by sourcing your flours and grains locally from Oak Manor Farms.

#### **5. Local Brews** Oxford is home to two local breweries, an artisan coffee roaster and a tea shop so you can feel good about your sips!

6. Pickled and Preserved Loads of our Oxford Fresh producers make jams, jellies, pickled items, condiments and more that can be enjoyed all year round. It's like summer in a jar!

#### 7. Winter Greens Lettuces, carrots and more can be enjoyed even in the colder months. Check out the backside of this brochure for what each farmer grows



### Pick-Your-Own Farms Enjoy the great outdoors as you get your

hands a little dirty picking-your-own right from the field! It's a great way to guarantee the freshest harvest.

**Berrylicious Fruit Farm** Pick-your-own blueberries & raspberries

**Fleming Farms** Pick-vour-own strawberries

Makkink's Flower Farm Cut-your-own flowers (35 varieties!)



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# Oxford County's guide to farms, food and local fare.

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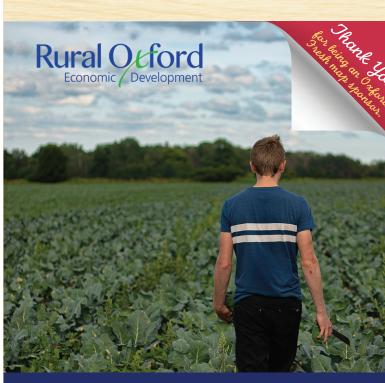
#### Visit one of our vibrant markets and take home a taste of Oxford.

Woodstock Fairgrounds Farmers' Market Saturday mornings, year round

#### **Tillsonburg Farmers' Market** Saturday mornings, May - October

**Ingersoll Kiwanis Farmers' Market** Saturday mornings, June - October





## **WE GROW** TOGETHER

Udderly Ridiculous Farm Life. Then unwind with a few delicious tastings UdderlyRidiculousFarmLife.com

## **Cut-Your-Own Flowers**

Head out into the field at Makkink's Flower Farm to cut a bouquet of beautiful blooms. Makkinks.com

#### **Sunset Campfires** Unwind at a private campfire pod with Ontario wine or beer, fresh pizza, gourmet s'mores and more. SnydersFamilyFarm.com

#### Affinage 101

Flip and wash wheels of cheese and learn about the art of ageing at Gunn's Hill Artisan Cheese. GunnsHillCheese.ca

#### **Picnics in the Patch** Enjoy a picnic in the blueberry patch, pick your own berries and more at Berrylicious Fruit Farm. BerryliciousFruit.ca

## **Roasting Lab**

Visit:

Discover the science behind roasting a great cup of coffee at Early Bird Coffee. EarlyBirdCoffee.ca



Beef, Pork, Poultry, Lamb, Fish, Dairy Products, Honey, Maple Syrup, Eggs Greenhouse Tomatoes, Seedless Cucumber, Lettuce, Peppers, Preserves

#### Potters Road Berries Pick your own strawberries & raspberries

Sheldon Berries Pick-your-own blueberries, raspberries & strawberries

#### **Thames River Melons** Pick-vour-own blueberries, raspberries, strawberries,

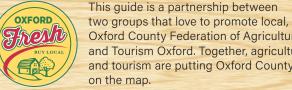
## sunflowers & veggies

### Jips for a Successful Pick

- Bring water, sunscreen, bug spray and a hat
- Talk to the farmer about the best picking techniques and different varieties
- Picking conditions change quickly, call
- ahead to see what's in season
- Many farms have online bookings now, check their website before heading out



#### Meet a grower, shop the farm.



Oxford County Federation of Agriculture and Tourism Oxford. Together, agriculture and tourism are putting Oxford County on the map.

Supporting local food is a lifestyle choice to be in tune with the seasons and the food products our county has to offer. Travel the back roads of Oxford County and sample award winning cheeses, fresh picked produce, the finest meats, syrups, grains and so much more. Meet the farmers, become a regular at the market and experience rural life in Oxford County.

Use this map to shop the farms growing your food, and find the markets supporting Oxford County and Ontario growers.

For more information about this map, please contact: Oxford County Federation of Agriculture at 519-870-6456 info@oxfordag.ca or Tourism Oxford at 1.866.801.7368 #3355 tourism@oxfordcounty.ca. Visit our online map www.oxfordfresh.ca



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The season kicks off early at Koteles Farms who

is open for a short six weeks every year during

asparagus season. Straight from the field, you've

never had these delicious green spears so fresh.

## Family Farm Fun

Come make memories on the farm where visitors can interact with animals and learn about growing food right from the source. Wander through a pumpkin patch, navigate a corn maze or enjoy the view from a hayride, and be sure to take home farm produce and fresh baking for dinner.

## Visit an Oxford County Fair:

**Embro Tractor Pull** embrotractorpull.com Woodstock Fair **McCully's Hill Farm** woodstockfairgrounds.com mccullys.ca **Tavistock Fall Fair Snyders Family Farm** tavistockfallfair.com snydersfamilyfarm.com **Embro Fall Fair Udderly Ridiculous** embrofair.com Farm Life UdderlyRidiculousFarmLife.com

## The Fill Your Plate Tour

stops: Nith Valley Organics, Mountainoak Cheese, Bright Cheese & Butter, Udderly **Ridiculous Farm Life, Thames River Melons** 

#### stop 1 Nith Valley Organics

Nith Valley Organics specializes in delicious produce grown organically on-site all year. They also raise lambs and chicken so be sure to ask about it!





#### **stop 4** Udderly Ridiculous Farm Life

Start your day with a delightful visit to Udderly Ridiculous Farm Life where you can experience everything from alpaca picnics and goat yoga to their signature Taste of Farm Life Experience. Then head to the farm store for all things goat, from ice cream to cheese.



#### stop 5 Thames River Melons



## The Harvest Loop

stops: Plaid Shirt Farms, Son-in-Law Produce, Potters Road Berries, Koteles Family Farm, Hayes Haven Farms

#### stop 1 Plaid Shirt Farms

Ever tried a haskap berry? How about black-currant habanero jelly? Plaid Shirt Farms in Otterville is all about exciting new flavours and you're definitely going to want to check it out.

#### stop 2 Son-In-Law Produce

If variety is the spice of life, then a visit to Son-in-Law Produce is a must. Discover this family farm that's really like a giant garden growing all kinds of goodies like strawberries, tomatoes, asparagus, greens, sweet corn and so, so much more.



#### stop 3 Potters Road Berries

A beautiful backroads drive to Potters Road Berries is just what the doctor ordered! Pick-your-own berries in

stop 4 Koteles Farms

#### stop 5 Hayes Haven Farms

Wind down your visit with a trip to Hayes Haven Farms where they specialize in freshly-tapped maple syrup. A treat that keeps on giving all year round, you'll definitely want to have a few bottles on hand. Also try their eggs, whole chickens & asparagus.





**Drumbo Fall Fair** drumbofair.com





Thames River Melons is the perfect spot to stop and relax. Pick-your-own veggies and fruit from their huge pick-your-own patch, grab a baked good or some produce from their on-farm market and sign up for their Harvest Brunch Experience to get to know your food.





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#### stop 3 Bright Cheese & Butter

Around the corner, Bright Cheese and Butter has been crafting cheese since the 1800s. Known for their old cheddar, they also make brilliant asiagos, havartis and more.

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season or grab some of their pre-picked raspberries and strawberries for that true summer taste.

