

Freeman's Country Market

Email Newsletter May 2011

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Now Operating with Summer Hours

Mon – Fri 9-7, Sat 9-5

Closed Sundays – except October

Spring has arrived and even a few days of sunshine with it!

We are all so glad to see that.

Of course, we need to continue to pray for those that have been devastated by flooding, tornados and Japan's Tsunami.

Many crops have and will continue to be effected by all of these natural disasters.

As fuel prices continue to increase, so the trickle down to all food commodities.

We are trying to keep our price increases to a minimum as our inventory and transportation costs rise.

Some farmers have been able to get some crops in and others are starting to see glimpses of hope if the weather cooperates.

The late plantings will affect produce availability some but we won't know the full extent until we get closer to crop harvest times.

Rhubarb and Asparagus are available now for a short time.

Strawberries should be starting in the next few weeks for those farmers who grow under "tunnel" and have had the crops protected from the cooler spring temperatures.

As soon as they are available, we will have information on our Facebook fan page.

Remember we have gift certificates available and can also make custom gift baskets for your school year-end appreciation gifts.

Weekly Deli Specials

Week of May 9th Virginia Ham \$3.99/lb Guggisberg Swiss Cheese \$4.99/lb	Week of May 16 th Oil Turkey \$4.99/lb Butter Cheese \$5.29/lb
Week of May 23 rd German Bologna \$2.99/lb Pepper Jack Cheese \$4.29/lb	Week of May 30 th Honey Roasted Turkey \$4.69/lb Yogurt Cheese \$ 5.29/lb

Freeman's Deli special of the month

Beef Bologna \$3.99/lb

Mild Cheddar Cheese \$3.59/lb

We will be closed Memorial Day – Monday, May 30th

The barn and meadow area at Freeman's Farm are available for rent from May thru Mid September. The rental includes the inside use of the barn, including electrical outlets and lights, portable toilet, trash cans, up to 10 picnic tables (each seating 8 persons), meadow area that group can use as they wish, volleyball set up & ball and campfire ring (weather permitting). (Adult supervision must be provided at all times). Rental fee for day use of area is \$400.00. Use of the barn & meadow is available by reservation only with a \$75.00 deposit is required \$25.00 non-refundable). For availability inquiries, please contact Lois Freeman at (740) 548-7866 or by email at freemans-farm@insight-bc.com. Effective: May 2011

May is National BBQ & Salsa Month!

Remember Freeman's stocks many of your picnic needs:
BBQ & steak sauces and rubs, 4 types of salsa and chips to compliment.
Dips for your favorite veggies; snack mixes, dessert mixes
and of course cheese for your burger toppings or snacking while grilling.

Gluten Free items are coming in the next few months.
Have a request? Let us know so I know what items to order!
Email us or just let a cashier know and they will relay the message to me!

Produce Is Back!!!

Florida tomatoes, citrus, salad items and other fruits and vegetables
are once again available in our produce section.
Check it out today!!!

Local Produce has arrived!

Rhubarb and Asparagus is now available.
Watch our Facebook fan page for weekly updates on local produce arrivals.

Freeman's Country Market Café

Now available on Saturdays is a featured sandwich special
from 11am-3pm. Check out the featured weekly café specials on our Facebook fan page at Freeman's Country
Market.

COUPONS

<p>Week of May 16th 15% off pint jars of Amish Wedding Salsa Present coupon at time of purchase. Coupon is not valid with other discounts/ sale items. One coupon per day per customer. Coupon valid for one item only.</p>	<p>Week of May 23rd 15% off any dip mix Country Home or Bulk Dip Mix Present coupon at time of purchase. Coupon is not valid with other discounts/ sale items. One coupon per day per customer. Coupon valid for one item only.</p>
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Are you looking for a nice setting to host a small or large gathering this summer?
Check out Freeman's Farm rentals.

Country Market Loft Rental Guidelines:

Groups of 50 people or less are welcome to rent the Country Market loft during our market operational hours (Mon-Fri 9-7/ Sat: 9-5). The area is a semi-private area with

WI-FI available in the market. Groups can utilize the food menu offered at Freeman's Country Market or bring in your own food. No alcohol permitted.

Rental fees are as follows: \$100.00 fee if Freeman's food service billing is less than \$150.00.

\$ 50.00 fee if Freeman's food service billing is more than \$150.00.

Drinks Available: Bottled 7-up beverages, cold tea, water, coffee & hot water for hot tea or hot chocolate. Ask for our deli tray menu or our box lunch menu options. If you have other food requests, ask us and we will see how we might accommodate your group.

Use of Country Market loft available by reservation only with \$15.00/ non-refundable deposit. For availability inquiries, please contact Lois Freeman at (740) 548-7866

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Freeman's Farm Rental Options:

Rustic Birthday Cabin rental: Available May-October. Cabin includes 2 tables, 15 chairs and trash can inside. Outside are 2 picnic tables, portable toilet and a campfire ring with adequate wood supply (weather permitting). (Adult supervision must be provided at all times). Groups will also be provided with a private group hayride. Maximum reservation time is 2 ½ hours. The cabin is not provided with any electrical options or lights. Rental fee is \$125.00 for the first 25 persons and \$2.00 for any additional attendees. Use of the rustic birthday cabin is available by reservation only with a \$25.00/ non-refundable deposit. For availability inquiries, please contact Lois Freeman at (740) 548-7866 or by email at freemansfarm@insight-bc.com.
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