



## Fill Your Freezer Chicken Share 2024

From last August's (2023) newsletter:

*"I harvested the last of this year's broilers this morning. This year's birds averaged 4.66 lbs. I promise an average of at least 4 pounds. So the average cost was \$5.54/lb for pastured broilers fed certified organic feed and harvested gently. The single bird price is \$7.50/lb so those purchasing the Fill Your Freezer Chicken Share saved 25% off the per bird price (and we only have a few extras to sell as single birds). I know of a local farm feeding "chemical free" feed charging \$7.50/lb and a farm feeding certified organic feed charging \$8.25/lb. Those are the closest to our quality."*

The \$260 price for ten whole, fresh, never has to go into our freezer, birds' per pound price is a max \$6.50 for a 4 pound "dressed" (as in clean and ready to cook) bird. In reality is usually around \$5.50 because the birds are bigger than 4.0 pounds. Yes, that is much more than for a non-organic grocery store bird, but you get meat that 1) is raised on pasture with care, 2) fed certified organic feed, and 3) is gently harvested with no transportation stress.

A "Fill Your Freezer" share consists of ten (10) fresh, ready to cook, chickens.

Ten whole chickens individually packaged \$260

Ten chickens cut and packaged as halves \$320

Ten chickens cut into boneless breasts, legs, thighs, wings, and stock parts for you to package as you prefer \$320

Our first 200 (20 memberships) will be ready for harvest in mid- to late-June. When we have filled the first 20 memberships we will open for an additional chick order and memberships.



Vegetable CSA Shares \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$300 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Fill Your Freezer Chicken Shares

Whole Chicken \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$260 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Chicken packaged as halves \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$320 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Chicken cut into pieces \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$320 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Large Flower Share \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$150 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Medium Flower Share \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$100 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Delivery \$100 (if not picking up) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please send completed form and payment to:

Rehoboth Homestead

66 Jabez Allen Road

Peru, NY 12972 or email form to [csa@rhomestead.com](mailto:csa@rhomestead.com)

*You may include cash or check, send a bank check, Zelle (518-572-0922), or Venmo (@Beth-Spaugh). You may pay with a credit card at [mkt.com/rhomestead](http://mkt.com/rhomestead). The prices at [mkt.com](http://mkt.com) include a ~ 3% convenience fee. Please send me the completed form though ([csa@rhomestead.com](mailto:csa@rhomestead.com) or mail).*

*I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to pick up our chickens (and vegetables or flowers if applicable) promptly after being notified when they will be ready.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_ Email(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number/or text: \_\_\_\_\_

*Thank. I look forward to providing you with great tasting, healthy food this year.*