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Talk About Fresh!

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Farmer Wannabe

I must admit that I am not much of a gardener. Summer is usually a combined panic of working full time (+) at [Fromaggio](#), marketing and working for the farmers market, going away for chunks of time, keeping up with family/friends and playing with my trusty companion Buddha Bear, not to mention all that "normal" stuff like laundry, dishes, housework etc... I just don't have time for gardening. The Spring is usually no better. I am fortunate in that I can get excellent fresh produce all Season long at Chelan Evening Farmer's Market.



I do my best to support our local farmers because I'd love to have them growing

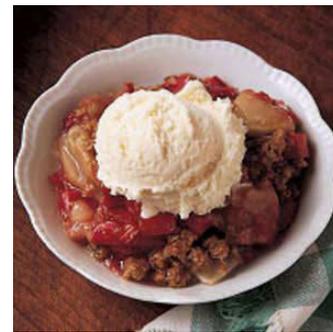
food well into the future. I do on occasion get to play at [Chelan Community Garden](#) out by the airport. Those folks have a ton of fun and do a great job farming together.

The winter is another story. So much free time, and when I look at the fresh greens at the supermarket, they just don't cut it for me. I start imagining growing a garden again, raising bees again and I start to think that I will have plenty of time to do so... then spring comes around again and I see the writing on the wall. I know that at least I will enjoy the bounty of those who can and will be diggin-in-the-dirt.

Recipe of the week

Rhubarb Crisp

4 cups Chopped Rhubarb
1 tsp. Cinnamon
1 cup Sugar
4 to 5 Tbls. Small Pearl Instant Tapioca
Mix and set aside while making topping



Topping

1/2 cup Instant Rolled Oats
1 cube Butter
1/2 cup Sugar
1 Tbls. Vanilla
Enough Flour to make a crumbly dough

Put Rhubarb mixture in baking dish. Cover with cumbled topping.
Bake in a 350° oven for about 45 minutes

Music at the Market

We are excited to host **Joe Guimond** as this Thursday's Music at the Market Series musician!

We are so please that the [Lake Chelan Chamber of Commerce](#) helps make our Music at the Market Series possible. Let them know you appreciate it!



Free gardening advise

Chelan county is blessed with folks who love to grow plants. This year, we welcome back the Master Gardeners every week at the Market's Information Booth. So bring in your wilted leaves and those unidentifiable critters munching wildly in your yard and see what the Master Gardeners have to say.

Children's Story Time!

The Chelan Public Library brings Story Time to each and every market this season. At 4:30 and again at 5:30, our creative and animated readers invite you to share in the fun. All ages.



THURSDAY



Sunny

High: 77 °F

The Forecast for Market Day

Sunny, with a high near 77. West wind around 8 mph becoming north in the late morning. Partly cloudy in the afternoon, northwest wind around 9 mph. The forecast looks great!

Vendors: As with all markets, be prepared with Canopy weights, just in case it gets windy. If you need more info about weights for your canopy, check out our [Vendor Handbook](#). You know that weather forecasters get paid whether they are right or not, and spring is a fickle weather time in our area!

Gardening requires lots of water - most of it in the form of perspiration.

- Lou Erickson

Other Farmers Markets you can support

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Pateros will be holding a farmers market every **Friday, 3-7 PM**. Location is on the Mall in downtown Pateros. For details contact Karen @ 860-0810, klizkoch@gmail.com.

Chelan Saturday Market is every **Saturday** at the Chamber of Commerce parking lot from **9am – noon**

Bark in the Park event Canceled

We hope to be able to bring this event back next year. Sorry little dogs... and dog lovers.



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