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Space Available in Cal Poly Organic Farm’s Community Supported Program

SAN LUIS OBISPO – The Cal Poly Organic Farm is accepting new members for the fall-winter season of its Community Supported Agriculture Program, which provides members with a weekly “share” of the farm’s harvest.

The 24-week season runs from Monday, Sept. 24, until mid-March. Along with fresh produce, members will receive a weekly newsletter including recipes and farm announcements. Members are encouraged to use the farm as an educational and recreational resource, said Mallory Tipple, Organic Farm sales and marketing supervisor.

Members can purchase a large share, designed for a family of three to five and available for $636, or a small share, which feeds a family of one to three people for $458. Payments may be made in up to three installments.

In addition to buying shares, a limited number of work-trade shares are available, enabling individuals to work for produce. Quarter-long student shares are also available.

Members can pick up their produce on either Monday or Thursday at the farm, or they may have their share delivered to a countywide drop-site location.

Fruits and vegetables in the box vary weekly depending on what is seasonably available. Fall-winter crops include lettuce, leafy greens, onions, arugula, leeks, carrots, tomatoes, corn, bell peppers, broccoli, chard, kale and more.

For more information, contact Tipple at 756-6139, orgfarm@calpoly.edu or go online to www.calpolyorgfarm.com.

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