# Stuckmeyers Think Spring Volume 13, Issue 1

- Mark Your Calendars --Come out and **Enjoy Spring** 

 Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup> – Open House -10am to 4pm

March 30, 2015

- Saturday, April 11th - 13th Annual **Gardening Seminar** starting at 1pm
- Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup> -Stuckmeyer's Vegetable Market Opens.
- Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup> and Saturday May 2<sup>nd</sup> -Oberweiss Dairy free chocolate milk for kids. Starting 10 am while supplies last.
- · Saturday, May 9th -Mother's Day prep -Kids come out and plant the perfect flower pot for Mom -Free

10 am to 3:00 pm

# Stuckmeyer's **Gift Certificates** are Available

Gift Certificates are available for that "hard to buy for person" who loves to garden. We also have giftware and a large assortment of potted containers. Stop in and see what is happening at Stuckmeyer's. We have been busy getting things ready for this Spring!

Stuckmeyers, Inc Farm Market & Greenhouse Located off 141 & 21. Fenton, Mo Hours: Mon-Fri: 9-6, Sat: 9-5, Sun: 10-4 636-349-1225 www.stuckmeyers.com

# **News for 2015 at Stuckmeyer's!**

We have been busy this winter getting ready for another season at Stuckmeyer's. Our greenhouses are starting to fill up with bedding plants and vegetables. Did you know the plants that we grow and sell are the same plants that we use in our fields? We try to produce the best products available so that everyone can be successful in the garden!

Every year is different as everyone that has been gardening in the St. Louis area knows. This year has so far been a slow start getting out

into the fields. We have onions planted, spinach both both the Arnold Farmers sowed and wintered over, peas planted, asparagus just waiting to pop. We have also planted many varieties of lettuce including red romaine (new for 2015 "looks tasty!"). Strawberries markets. are just starting to bloom. Every day we are doing a little more. It will be a mad dash again to get all of our fields full, but it is nothing new, we go through this every year. We enjoy this life, which is why we have done this for 4 generations.

We are also signed up for Market and Old Towne Fenton Farmers Market starting in May on Saturday mornings. We will be selling our local homegrown produce at both of these

We are looking forward to seeing all of our customers that have been coming to Stuckmeyer's for years!

Like we always end this section - Got to run "There is never enough daylight to get it all done!"

## Come out and Join our Gardening Seminar— "Timing Is Key"

This will be our thirteenth year to hold the Gardening Seminar. Again, this year the staff of Stuckmeyer's will be conducting the seminar. This year's topic will be on "Timing is Key." Many ask when can we plant? When do you put out onions or potatoes? What flowers can be planted now? Hopefully we can give some insight on planting times.

Tips on when to fertilize, water, and soil preparation. There are many varieties of perennials, so knowing the blooming times is key.

Also, during the seminar the staff of Stuckmeyer's will show what is new for this year. If you have never made it to a seminar, there is always a tip or two that can

be picked up. Plus many questions are discussed from those in attendance. The seminar will be held Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup> starting at 1:00 pm. Refreshments, door prizes and discounts will be available during the seminar. Please join us and bring a friend. This should be very informative and enjoyable for everyone that attends!

## Back by Popular Demand- Kid's Day

Dads - bring the kids out on Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> to design and plant a free Mother's Day container for your special someone. All supplies, including the card are furnished by Stuckmever's for FREE!

The staff at Stuckmeyer's will be available to assist the kids planting the containers. Last year we had over 750 kids that enjoyed decorating their very own specially designed pot.

This is always a very popular event; hope to see all of you.

A tent will be set up for this special event. Hours for this event are 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

# **Our Vegetable Market Opening April 24th...**

### **Stuckmever's Farm Market and** Greenhouse

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#### **About Stuckmever's...**

Our goal is not only to grow an expansive selection of quality annuals, perennials and herbs, but to share information and inspiration with our valued customers. "Where Quality is Home Grown"

We're on the Web! See us at:

www.stuckmeyers.com

Stuckmeyer's Homegrown Schedule
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	April	May	June	July	Aug	
Asparagus	Х	Х				
Beets		Х	Х			
Blackberries			Х	Х	Х	
Cabbage			Х			
Cantaloupe				Х	Х	
Cucumbers			Х	Х	Х	
Dill			Х	Х		
Eggplant				Х	Х	
Green Beans			Х	Х	Х	
Okra				Х	Х	
Peas		Х				
Peppers				Х	Х	
Potatoes					Х	
Radishes		Х				
Rhubarb	Х	Х				
Strawberries		Х	Х			
Sweet Corn				х	Х	
Tomatoes				Х	Х	
Watermelon				Х	Х	
Zucchini			Х	Х	Х	

Our customers are ready for fresh fruits and vegetables. Coming soon we will have our own lettuce, green onions, radishes, and asparagus. Soon after this our strawberries will be in.

Stuckmeyer's Farm Market is just like having a farmer's market 7 days a week. No need to wait for the weekend to go to the farmer's market (but we will be there too!). We grow a large variety of vegetables. We also fill in with other locally grown items.

Time to start planting your onion sets/plants, potatoes, lettuce, cabbage, broccoli, cauliflower and sweet peas.

# Did You Know Stuckmever's Market Has More Than Just Fruits and **Vegetables?**

- Something new this year! We intend on carrying milk and other products from Oberweis Dairy. On May 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>, an Oberweis representative will be at our market giving away chocolate milk samples to kids starting at 10am, while supplies last.
- Two Men and a Garden Salsa made right here in Fenton! We can't keep it on the shelf! Best Local Salsa – EVER. Hand chopped. Fresh Ingredients. Yum. Currently available in 5 varieties. Mild, Medium, Hot, Screaming Hot and Peach. They also have a line of homemade pickles.
- Local Honey from High Ridge, Missouri. Available in pints and quarts.
- Mrs. Miller's Homemade Jams from Ava, Illinois jams (both regular and sugar free), apple butter, seedless blackberry jam, strawberry jam to name a few. New for 2015 - sorghum molasses, and honey.
- Fazio Bakery, serving fresh baked bread since 1902. Delivered daily to our market. Fazio's Bakery carries the largest variety of bread products in the area. Their specialties range from old world style Italian and French bread to Kaiser rolls.
- Fresh local eggs.
- Behrmann Meat from Albers, Illinois "Country Style" bacon, link pork sausage, and bratwurst.