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Hello,

Well we made our 1<sup>st</sup> month of winter CSA! We hope everyone is enjoying all of the delicious greens. If you haven't tried the Portuguese soup recipe you really should. It is easy and very flavorful. We used left over pork chops, it was great. We hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving

This week's box:

We have Savannah green beans, Carson yellow beans, crunchy royal radishes, red lamuyo sweet peppers, grappa lettuce, north star green lettuce, T.D. Willy russets potatoes, Ripbor kale, Chioggia & red beets, arrow head cabbage, Fremont cauliflower, arugula, tasty broccoli, garlic chives, parsley, & fennel. We had so many beautiful sweet pepper we dried them. We filled the oven full of sliced and seeded pepper and let them cook at 140 degrees for roughly 20 hours. Prop the oven door slightly for proper ventilation. After dried grind them in the food processor until you like the size of the flake. We store ours in a deli bowl with a lid. They will last for a long time. We like the dried pepper with pasta, salad, soups, or sprinkled on roasting vegetables and meats. We also dried some parsley same way, but not together with the peppers. The house smelled so good.

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Farm Report

The artichokes and leeks are still in the green house. We planted 1,500 bare root chandler strawberry plants. We are working on getting some oranges and rice for next month box. All organic of course. We are placing orders for seed. We would like to start building our memberships for spring starting in January. Share your information with friends & family

We realize everyone is busy this time of the year and we are hoping to have some time off ourselves. We are considering having the CSA for 2 weeks in Dec. the 13<sup>th</sup>, and the 20<sup>th</sup>. Time off for us and vegetable for the holidays for you. Let us know what you think.

Cheers,

Farmer John & Shelby