



Red Tomato Farm Quarterly Newsletter



Summer 2019

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HAPPENINGS AT THE FARM

Red Tomato Farm Helps Others

by Deborah Shaffer

"Somewhere along the way, we must learn that there is nothing greater than to do something for others."

One of the values at Red Tomato Farm has always been to help others. We find so often that we help each other everyday during our regular farm routine. It can be as simple as lending a hand when someone is carrying something to lessen their load to offering a hand to someone so they feel steady when they walk.

When we extend the idea of helping others in the community we find ourselves reaching even further to make an impact.



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Borough this summer to add to the summertime splendor when visiting local businesses downtown. Additionally, we care for a community garden at the Carlisle Alliance Church. All of the produce from this garden benefits those in need.

We also volunteer at the James Burd Elementary School where tan bark was spread on their playground so students have a safe place for recess and gym.

Participants regularly volunteer at the Carlisle Arts Learning Center (CALC) and Shippensburg Arts Programming and Education (SHAPE). At CALC, we clean tools so artists can keep their focus on making beautiful artwork. At SHAPE we help with set up of art shows.

We lend a hand at the local food bank in Newville, helping to distribute food once a month.

In August, our participants were honored to present a check to the Friendship Hose Company of Newville from a benefit fundraiser. (See photo above.)

We are proud to see our efforts leave such significant footprints in the community.



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Join us for the **ARTS LIVE GALLERY SHOW**

September 27, 6-8 pm

The Penny Gallery at Pat Craig Studios
30 West Pomfret Street, Carlisle



Red Tomato Farm & Inn
Real Farm. Real People.

Backyard Bash Chili Cook-Off

Saturday, September 28 from 6-8 pm
3581 Ritner Highway, Newville
Proceeds donated to Carlisle Arts Learning Center

FREE Concert in the barn with the Front Porch Rockers!



CONTESTANTS
BRING THE HEAT!
TWO TOP PRIZES
AWARDED FOR THE BEST CHILIES

ATTENDEES
YOU BE THE JUDGE!
\$5 TO TASTE ALL CHILI SAMPLES AND VOTE

CALLING ALL COOKS! CONTESTANTS NEEDED!
Call Red Tomato Farm & Inn at 717-559-3276 to sign yourself, your team or your business up to compete. Doors open at 6 pm for taste testers, voting, and the concert. Contestants arrive anytime between 4:30 and 5:30 pm for set up. See our website for official rules and more details.

SIGN UP, RULES, & DETAILS
CALL 717-559-3276
OR VISIT HEMPFIELDDPA.COM

Please **JOIN US** on September 28th!