THE FFVP THYMES



A monthly newsletter to support and inspire your USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program!



NH Products for Your FFVP Program This Month



- Apples
- Beet Greens
- Beets
- Brussel Sprouts
- Cabbage
- Onions
- Parsnips
- Potato
- Pumpkin

- Rutabaga
- Salad Greens
- Spinach
- Swiss Chard
- Tomatoes
- Turnips
- Winter Squash

Share FFVP photos, taste tests or program stories with us! Email Bridget Resse (Bridget.R.Resse@doe.nh.gov)

ONPS Staffing Update

Bridget Resse joined the ONPS team in December and will be working with the NSLP and FFVP. She previously worked with the CACFP and SFSP for the state of Wisconsin. She graduated with a degree in nutrition & dietetics from the University of New Hampshire and a master's degree in public administration and policy from American University. Welcome, Bridget!

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FFVP Updates & Reminders

Beginning with December 2023 claims, all SAUs claiming reimbursement for fuel surcharges must submit the invoice(s) showing the total fuel surcharge amount. This is to ensure the amount for surcharges included on the FFVP claim is being prorated correctly.

The cost for fuel surcharges must be included under small supplies/other and should be minimal.

Example:

- \$48 total fuel surcharges for December 2023 (all invoices)
- FFVP produce = 20% of all invoices
- \$9.60 included under the Small Supplies/Other category on the monthly claim described as, "Fuel Surcharge."



Monthly Spotlight

Upcoming Farm to School Webinar Series!

Partners around the state including NH Agriculture in the Classroom, NH Farm to School, and NH School and Youth Garden Network are putting on a series of webinars in the coming months!

Topics will include how to integrate agriculture lessons into the classroom, school garden seasonality, NH Harvest of the Month, and more! Consider sharing this opportunity with teachers at the SAU who may be involved with your FFVP!

Learn more and register here: https://nhfarmtoschool.org/202/4-webinar-series/

**Reminder: If your SAU has a November FFVP claim, it must be submitted by January 29th, 2024. December FFVP claims must be submitted by March 1st, 2024.