# SPECIALTY FOOD DIRECTORY



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**Regions Supplied:** Lower mainland Thompson okanagan

**Company Notes:** 

## **Products Available:**

# Certified Organic Plums - Summer

Available Seasonally, Early Italian, Late Italian, Green Gage, Shiro, Canada, Red Heart, Santa Rose, Friar

### Certified Organic Apples - Fall Summer

Available Seasonally, Jonagold, Granny Smith, Russet Free Golden Deliciuos, Golden Deliciuos, Red Gravenstein, Cox Orange, Royal Gala, Red Max Macintosh, Summerland Macintosh, Spartan, Sunrise, Mutsu, Empire, Akane, Golden Russet, Fuji

# Certified Organic Apricots - Spring Summer

Available Seasonally, Skaha, Goldstrike, Perfection, Moorpark, Goldbar, Blenheim

# Certified Organic Cherries - Spring Summer

Available Seasonally, Van, Bing, Lappin, Lambert, Royal Anne, Sam, Schatten Morello, Montmorency

# Certified Organic Peaches - Fall Summer

Certified Organic Peaches: Veteran, Harbrite, Cresthaven, Early Red Haven, Red Haven, pacific Gold, Harrow Diamond, Raritan Rose, White Hale, J.H. Hale, Glohaven

### Certified Organic Pears - Fall

Available Seasonally, Comice, Red Anjou, 20th Century, Flemish Beauty, Chojuro, Anjou, Bosc

# Iron Gates Natural Farm & Pottery - 250-453-2273

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Regions Supplied: Lower mainland Thompson okanagan

### **Company Notes:**

Most of our squashes and melons are grown from seeds collected by Native Seeds/Search of Tuscon, Arizona or the Seeds of Change organization. Our focus is in crops that have adapted to our northern growing conditions and have unique qualities of flower and storability.

### **Products Available:**

### Melons - Heirloom - Fall

Black Mountain watermelon: a black, red-fleshed watermelon. Sweet Siberian watermelon: an elongated, yellow-fleshed watermelon. Santo Domingo deep ribbed: a large, heavy, orange-fleshed melon, green to light yellow coloring, excellent rich melon flavour and aromatic. Oka melon: a Canadian heirloom from the Montreal area. Deep-ribbed, netted skin with orange, very sweet flesh and very aromatic. Banana melon: elongated, orange-fleshed melon with a green skin, on trial this year. Emerald gem melon: light-green, slightly netted skin with orange flesh, on trial this year. Prescot Fond Blanc melon: a deep-ribbed, warty-surfaced melon with orange flesh, on trial this year. Charentais melons.

### Apples - Fall

Mackintosh, Gravenstein, Transparent, Gala, Kings, Bramley, Empire, Wealthy, Sunrise, Belle de Boscoop, Spartan, Roxbury Russet, Newtown Pippin

#### Beans - Summer

Green and Yellow Beans

#### Beets - Fall Summer

Firnabiva Beets (cylindrical beet, very sweet flavour and a good keeper)

### Butter Lettuce - Spring Summer

**Butter Lettuce** 

### Carrots - Fall Summer

Nantes and Touchon Deluxe Carrots

# Corn - Fall

Golden Jubilee corn

### Cucumber - Fall

Armenian Cucumber: a long, thin, lime-green cucumber having an edible skin and mild flavour.

### Fruits - Fall Spring Summer

Raspberries, Red and Black Currants, Nanking Cherries (a small red or white, semi-sweet cherry). Make excellent jams and sauces, whites look like large pearls. Bing and Van cherries, Apricots, Peaches, Green Gage Plums, Japanese Plums (small red plum with an orange flesh), Bartlett Pears.

#### Garlic - Fall

Italian Red garlic, hard necked; Chesnook garlic, hard necked; Georgian Fire garlic, hard necked; Russian Red garlic, hard necked; Lorz Italian garlic, soft necked; German red garlic, hard necked (in development, available in 2006).

#### Onions - Fall

Utah White onion (large, sweet white onion that is also used as a green onion when young), Utah Yellow onion (large, sweet yellow onion), Red Whitherspoon onion (flattened sweet red onion), Egyptian onion (a top setting onion, small in size, used as a shallot, pink colour when peeled, pungent when raw.) All onion varieties are good keepers.

#### Peas - Summer

Sugar and Standard Peas

## Peppers - Fall

Buran (a medium sized pepper with a tender skin and sweet flesh); Napoleon Sweet (a larger sweet pepper); Lemon Drop (a hot, small yellow pepper); Cyklon (an elongated, hot red pepper).

### Potatoes - Fall Summer

White Rose potato (fine textured potato having an elongated shape, much favoured by European customers in the West End farm market). Victoria yellow potato.

# Spinach - Summer

Spinach

### Squashes - Heirloom - Fall

Early Canadian Crook Necked Squash: a yellow, warty-surfaced, summer squash that doesn't cook down to mush. Penasco: a flattened, white to bluish, hard skinned Hubbard-like squash, fine textured and sweet. Average weight 15 lbs (heirloom). Mayo Blusher: a bluish, elongated squash with pinkish or orange colouring washing over the undercolour. Fine-textured with a flavour similar to sweet potato. Average weight 15-20 lbs (heirloom). Fordhook Acorn: a buff-coloured acorn-type squash. Guatemalan Blue Banana squash: an elongated, bluish-coloured squash (heirloom). Thelma Sanders Sweet Potato squash: a teardrop-shaped squash (heirloom). Kobacha: a buttercup-style squash with dense flesh and small seed cavity. True Pie Pumpkin, 4-7 lb: pumpkin that has a dense flesh that makes superior pumpkin purees (heirloom). Guatamala Blue Banana Squash: a large, dark orange-fleshed sqash having a cylindrical shape (heirloom). Spaghetti squash.

# Tomatoes - Fall

Black from Tula (a greenish, black to purple tomato having a fantastic flavour); Cherokee Purple (a greenish, purple tomato with great flavour); Brandywine (a large-sized red tomato with great flavour).

# Klippers Organic Acres - 250-499-2050

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Regions Supplied: Lower mainland Thompson okanagan

# **Company Notes:**

We pride ourselves in picking everything vine ripened and tree ripened, which brings out more flavours. We sell only fresh items.

### **Products Available:**

# Dried Peaches - Year Round

Different sized bags available.

# Apple Chips - Year Round

Different sized bags available. Apples are kiln dried making them very crisp. Apple Nuggets are great for adding to dishes.

### Apple Juice - Year Round

48 oz jars. Mixture of organic apples. Cases 6 X 48 oz. Juice is made with all fresh apples.

### Apples - Fall Summer

Mutsu, Spartan, Golden, Red, Fuji, Macs.

## Dried Prune Plums - Year Round

Different sized bags available.

# Dried Tomatoes - Year Round

Different sized bags available.

## Eggplant - Fall Summer

4 different varieties. All picked vine ripened.

# Heirloom Tomatoes - Fall Summer

37 different varieties. All have unique flavours and are picked vine ripened.

## Italian Prune Plums - Fall Summer

Picked tree ripened

## Melons - Fall Summer

Cantelope, Honeydew, Watermelon, Musk melons. All picked vine ripened.

# Peppers - Fall Summer Winter

17 different varieties. Sweet peppers - Hot peppers. All picked vine ripened.

# Peppers - Fall Summer

17 different varieties. Sweet peppers - Hot Hot peppers. All picked vine ripened.

# Squash - Fall

12 varieties from Butternut - Spaghetti.

# Silverhill Orchard - 604-820-7957

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Regions Supplied: Lower mainland

### **Company Notes:**

All the products we sell are grown by us on our own property or made from produce we grow. Using non-invasive, integrated pest management techniques and zero pesticide use, we grow as naturally as possible. Visitors are encouraged to visit our orchard and to see for themselves. All of our produce is grown as nature intended. We do not use any pesticides, synthetic or organic, under any circumstances.

#### **Products Available:**

## Garden Produce - Fall Summer

A wide selection of produce, which includes our own special salad blend with arugula.

### Apple Cider Vinegar - Winter

Natural, double-fermented, unfiltered Apple Cider Vinegar including Raspberry and Blackberry.

### Apple Juice Syrup - Year Round

Great on pancakes.

### Free Range Eggs - Year Round

"Happy Hen" free range eggs - our 100 chickens have 4 acres of fenced land to roam on.

# Heirloom Tomatoes - Fall Winter

We have seed for more than 100 varieties, so selection varies from year to year.

## Heritage Apples - Fall Winter

35 varieties of Heritage Apples including culinary types such as Bramley, Boskoop, Glockenapfel, Sunrise, Elstar and Creston. The last three are just great in waldorf salad, are really crisp and resist browning.

### Jams, Jellies and Chutneys - Year Round

Apple Ginger Chutney, Quince, Crabapple, Blackberry and Raspberry jams and jellies.

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Regions Supplied: Kootenay Lower mainland Thompson okanagan Vancouver island

### **Company Notes:**

The purpose of Russ and Tony's Fresh Sliced Apples is to provide fresh sliced produce for health conscious people. Consumers are taking active measures to improve their diet through avoiding foods that are high in carbohydrates, fats and sugars. Apples are high in fibre, low in fat and easy to enjoy - a perfect snack!!

# **Products Available:**

# Fresh Sliced Organic Apples - Fall Winter

Packaged in 60 gram to 454 gram poly food service sizes. Available seasonally (fall to spring).

# Fresh Baby Carrots - Year Round

Fresh packaged (60 gram

# Fresh Sliced Peppers - Year Round

Fresh sliced and peeled peppers for food service or fresh diced as well, packaged in 60 gram (snack size) up to 454 gram (food service) poly bags.

# Fresh Sliced Apples - Year Round

Fresh sliced apples packaged in 60 gram, 114 gram (snack size) with or without Caramel dips, or Cheese cubes, up to 454 gram (food service) poly bags.

# Fresh Sliced Pears - Fall Winter

Fresh sliced pears packaged in 60 gram (snack size) up to 454 gram (food service) poly bags.

Available: November to March