LIST OF SILENT AUCTION ITEMS benefiting SNAP, Tuesday Sept. 16th at Lex. Farm Mkt.

PLEASE Come to Lexington Farmers' Market on Tuesday,16th to participate in this tradition. The LFM community holds this event annually so we can double SNAP \$ (food assistance) for our SNAP customers. If you can't make it to the market, you can BID on these awesome foodie creations NOW....

send your bid to: rose@lexingtonfarmersmarket.org

(to bid: list item name and #, as well as your \$ BID amount, and contact info). Winners will be notified at 6 pm on 16th September

1. APPLES, APPLES AND MORE APPLES

Looking forward to the delights of Fall? Receive a 1/2 bushel of freshly picked Charlton Orchard apples, a 1/2 dozen cider donuts and a beautiful Jar of Carr's Cider House's mouth-watering Apple Cider Syrup, and APPLE napkins!

Bidding starts at \$50

2. FAMILY APPLE PICKING AT RED APPLE FARM

Take the whole family to Red Apple Farm, this Fall, for a day in the orchard, climbing trees, picking a variety of delicious apples. Gift certificate for a 1/2 bushel of "pick your own" apples, 4 hay wagon rides and 2 cups animal feed. Also, receive a lb Jar of Niemy's Apiary Hive Honey. Good thru October 2014 **Bidding starts at \$50**

3. HOST A HARD CIDER AND APPETIZER PARTY FOR YOUR FRIENDS THIS FALL

This item includes a Saturday tour and tasting at Downeast's Brewing facility (bring your friends), a growler, a glass, and a t-shirt! Buy your favorite Brew to fill your growler, return home and pull out your already prepared appetizers. Appetizers include: Two bags of Taralli (1 Rosemary and 1 Gluten Free Olive Oil and Salt), 1-16 oz. Patti's guacamole (GC), 1-12 oz.Patti's Pico Di Gallo (GC) and 2-4 oz. filets Smoked Fish from Matts Amazing Smoke House (GC) Bidding starts at \$60

4. A FARM-FRESH BREAKFAST, IN A COUNTRY BOWL, and a free range chicken...why not?

Enjoy a dozen pasture raised eggs from Copicut Farm with 30\$ of bacon &/ or sausage (GC) from Chestnut Farm. If you like something sweet for breakfast, feast from a 12 0z. bag of Roasted Granola, a Pound cake and a Jar of Jam from Hi-Rise Bakery...finish the day with a chicken to roast, from Copicut...to boot!

Bidding starts at \$70

5. HAPPY HIPPIE BREAKFAST BASKET

You're bound to have a great day when it starts with a 12 oz. bag of Roasted Granola, a pint of Blueberry Goat Farm's Grade A Goat Milk (GC), a lb. of fresh raspberries that you pick at Wright Locke Farm, a jar of Hive Honey from Neimy's Apiary AND \$25 of Busa Bucks to purchase veggies with so you can make your own green juice! Fill the 2 Blueberry Goat Farm bottles and off you go!

Bidding Starts at \$60

6. SERVE AN "UNCOMMONLY" DELICIOUS MARKET FEAST

Warm up this Savory Mushroom and Cheese tart from Uncommon Feasts in the fluted tart pan and serve alongside a freshly grilled \$25 piece of fish...your choice from Boston Sword and Tuna (GC)

Bidding Starts at \$35

7.KIDS...GET COOKING...MAKE YOUR OWN PIZZAS!

Get your own pizza stone, serving rack and pizza cutter as well as toppings for your pizzas. Toppings include 2 jars of Organic tomato-basil "gravy" donated by Guys Homemade, \$20 of fresh Fiore Di Nonna mozzarella (GC), and a jar of Rita's, Herb Farmacy, Tuscan Herb Salt. Start by making your favorite pizza dough recipe and finish your dinner with a seasonal crisp for dessert from Flora (30\$ GC) ... with that you can even pick up a side salad or 2! **Bidding Starts at \$65**

8. LAMBS WOOL BABY BLANKET

Signal Rock Farm donated this gorgeous local wool babies blanket **Bidding Starts at \$50**

9. COASTAL WINE VINEYARD TOUR AND TASTING FOR 4

Annually Coastal Vineyard donates this wonderful day to help us raise money for SNAP. Four of you are invited to beautiful DARTMOUTH, MA. to spend an afternoon with David touring his Vineyard, learning about his passion for wine making and tasting a variety of wines. Please arrange directly with David; limited to Friday, Saturday or Sunday.

*Corkscrew and cocktail napkins & Nantucket Basket included **Bidding Starts at \$75**

(Pls. bid in 5\$ increments for this item)

10. AUTHENTIC INDIAN DINNER READY ON THE FLY!

Our beloved new vendor SEASONED AND SPICED has donated a Gift Certificate for 4 containers of her mouth-watering Indian delicacies.... pair these with a \$25 gift certificate from Boston Sword and Tuna for fresh fish and dinner is ready! *Leaf placemats included

Bidding Starts at \$40

11. BAG OF FREE RANGE BEEF, A SELECTION OF SWISS BAKERS BREAD AND A BOUQUET OF GARDEN HERBS

Do some creative cooking with a variety of cuts of beef from River Rock Farm. Start by making a marinade with garden fresh herbs. Swiss Bakers has donated \$25 Gift Certificate for a selection of their baked goods to be picked up at their READING store. *Grilling tongs included

Bidding Starts at \$65

12. FUN PARTY IDEA FOR BAKERS: BREAD BAKING CLASS AT SWISS BAKERS FOR 10 GUESTS PLUS A \$25 GIFT CERTIFICATE

The class takes place in their Allston location and is for up to 10 people (valued at \$25/person, so \$250 total). The guests will receive a tour of the entire production facility and then will have a baking class. You will make rolls and while they are baking, the class will make butter. When the rolls are finished, your party can enjoy their roll & butter in our café. The class is 1.5 hours long. Savor your selection of \$25 of bakery items to take home (GC) with a jar of Hi-rise Apricot Preserves.

*Woven bread basket Included

Bidding Starts at \$225

(Pls. bid in 5\$ increments for this item)

13. GET READY FOR THANKSGIVING WITH VEGGIES FROM FIRST ROOT FARM, LOCATED ON HISTORIC MINUTEMAN FARM LAND

Pick up a basket worth \$25 of root vegetables such as potatoes, sweet potatoes, leeks, carrots, turnips, brussels sprouts, garlic, shallots, etc. all grown by First Root Farm. Included is a booklet of fun recipe ideas for the Thanksgiving veggies (about 10 recipes) and a few hand-drawn vegetable celebrities (Shallot Bronte and Abraham Leekoln come to mind...) for kids to color. *Pumpkin Pot Holders Included.

Bidding Starts at \$20

14. GOODIES GIFT BOX: A DOZEN ASSORTED HOMEMADE COOKIES

Goodies, a web-based gift box cookie company, makes homemade cookies using the finest ingredients and loaded with chocolate, fruit and nuts, with no preservatives or trans fats.

Bidding Starts at \$20

15. HAVE YOU EVER WANTED TO TRY A CSA? NOW IS YOUR CHANCE... RECEIVE A BOX OF SEASONAL and NUTRITIOUS FARM VEGGIES TO GO!

Stillmans Farm has donated a BOX OF CSA veggies....for you to sample, you might want to sign up for their CSA next season!

Bidding Starts at \$20

16. KEEP YOUR GARDEN GROWING ALL WINTER LONG!

Bid on this terracotta pot filled with exotic and easy-to-care-for succulents from the Herb Farmacy, designed and planted by Leslie Wilcott-Henrie of Terrafirma, Creative Container Gardens

Bidding Starts at \$30

17. "CHE BUONO" FRESH LINGUINE PASTA AND ORGANIC TOMATO-BASIL SAUCE WITH FRESH GOAT CHEESE

Nella Pasta has donated 2 boxes of their specialty handcrafted Linguine (GC) to be paired with Guys Homemade Organic Tomato and Basil "Gravy", top off your bowls of steaming pasta with crumbles of Blueberry Goat Farm's Goat Cheese, Gift certificate for 1 -5 Oz. container. Also, enjoy a bottle of Carr's Apple Cider Vinegar on salads and more...it is delicious and nutritious! PLUS, receive a hand carved wooden spatula from Lexington's Meadowmist Farm. *Retro pasta bowl included.

Bidding Starts at \$35

18. SPRING PLANTING WITH RITA OF HERB FARMACY

Rita has offered to have you come up to Salisbury MA. to her HERB NURSERY, voted "BEST" by Yankee Magazine, in the Spring to learn by her side and assist in Spring planting. Plant your own pot of herbs to take home.

Bidding starts at \$35

19. TOUR AND TASTING WITH KIP AT TURTLE CREEK WINERY FOR UP TO 12 ADULTS IN LINCOLN, MA.

(Pls. redeem within months by March 1st, 2015)

Bidding starts at \$150