



TWINTOWNS GARDENERS' MARKET

WAHPETON, ND / BRECKENRIDGE, MN

News from the Market

This year many of our past vendors are back, and we have some new ones joining us.

New vendors include Rebekah Blazek selling handmade washcloths, Jesse Frolek selling produce, and Jessie Monson selling Alpaca yarn. Daryl Traeger is selling honey again after taking a few years off. This time he is joined by his wife, Marketa.

Returning vendors are:

- ◆ Bagg Bonanza Farm selling produce, pickled beets, and cookbooks
- ◆ Stephanie Blazek selling produce, jams, jellies, and breads
- ◆ DAMASA Organics selling USDA certified meats
- ◆ Leanne's Jams, Jellies, Breads and More — the name says it all!

- ◆ Jessica Kostuck selling produce, baked goods, jams, jellies, and crafts
- ◆ Mrs. Fancy Plants, selling flowers, plants, and produce

New vendors are always welcome. And vendors selling for the first or second year are eligible for a \$200 new vendor grant through NDFMGA. For more information about this grant go to www.ndfarmersmarkets.com.

For more information on selling at TTGM, contact Daryl Traeger at 701-210-0176 or Penny Seifert at 701-642-2392

Upcoming Events at the Market

- ▶ Aug. 20 — Local Foods Cookout
- ▶ Sept. 17 — Children's Day

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We're on the Web!
www.twintownsmarket.org



Jesse Frolek and his nieces, Dreah and Olivia

Daryl Traeger of Bee-Friendly Gardens



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Master Gardener Program

The North Dakota Extension Master Gardener Program is not an ordinary education program. An ordinary class would teach you the basics of horticulture. The Master Gardener Program goes beyond ordinary and invests in creating leaders to serve the needs of their communities. Master Gardeners become ambassadors to assist the Extension Service in providing scientifically accurate and environmentally sustainable horticultural advice. Are you ready to be extraordinary?

Registration is now open for our Fall 2015 class that runs from Friday, October 2 through December 11 (no class the week of November 23). Classes will be held at NDSU from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and broadcast live to select sites around the state. If we have enough interested students in other counties, we can arrange to add a class site. We also offer the class online to fit your lifestyle.

Here is the website and registration information: <https://www.ag.ndsu.edu/mastergardener>.

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Note from the Editor: As a Master Gardener, I want to let you know that this program is worth taking.

The course covers a variety of interesting subjects, presented by experts. As a Master Gardener volunteer, I now have access to so much information, both online and in person.

I encourage you to take this course. If you can attend in person, that is great, however the online course is excellent. (I've done it both ways and enjoyed both.)

Gardening Information on the Web

- ☺ Every week the Horticulture/Forestry team of NDSU meets online to talk about gardening. These conversations lead to the **NDSU Yard & Garden Report**. A new issue is published every week during the growing season. You can sign up for weekly email information and view current and past issues at www.ag.ndsu.edu/yardandgardenreport/.
- ☺ If you missed the **Spring Fever Garden Forum**, you can still view YouTube videos by clicking on sessions on the left side, then click on the YouTube icon next to session you want to view: www.ag.ndsu.edu/springfever. The 2014 sessions are also archived on this site.
- ☺ **Prairie Yard and Garden**, a 30-minute television show about gardening in the upper Midwest, is produced by the Media Services Department at the University of Minnesota Morris in association with Pioneer Public Television and appears on Thursday nights at 7:30 p.m.

You can view over 60 episodes at <http://video.pioneer.org/program/prairie-yard-garden/>

Sweetcorn Yield and Growth Responses to Mulch, Planting Date, & Hybrid Variety Field Day

Friday, August 14, 2015

10:00 am-12:00 pm

NDSU Campus, Intersection of Centennial Blvd and 18th St N (South of Greenhouse)

Free

This is a demonstration of an important way to plant and harvest sweetcorn earlier, as well as increase its yield and market value because of planting date, hybrid varieties, and mulch cover.

Registration requested so that adequate food and beverages are available. To register or for more information, call 701-231-5743 or email to debra.baer@ndsu.edu.

Seen at the Market

