

ISLANDS WEST PRODUCE WEEKLY SPECIALS SEPTEMBER 7TH - 13TH, 2024



Marvelous 😤 Mushrooms

# PORTABELLA

British Columbia



A deep, meaty texture and complex flavor. Substantial flavor that's great for roasting or grilling.

Rich and Hearty.

For a meatless main, roast and stuff with sauteed greens and warm grains.

## WHITE BUTTON

Washington



Mild and Versatile.

Mixes well with other mushrooms.

Classic flavour for salad, pizza or pasta.





Firm and Flavorful.

Stands up to almost any cooking method. Roast or sauté for a

satisfying side.



Savory and Satisfying.

A super soup mushroom that stands up to long cooking times.

Always remove stems before cooking.



Mild and Sweet.

Cook briefly to preserve delicate flavor.

Add to omelets, quick soups, and stir frys.

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# **ISLANDS WEST PRODUCE** MARKETSCOPE **SEPTEMBER 7TH - 13TH, 2024**

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We're looking forward to a hot weekend here in Victoria. This week, we have a range of products on sale, including Green Beans, Honeydew Melon, and Green Peppers. Don't miss our Portabella Mushrooms, perfect for grilling or adding to a veggie sandwich.

Squash season is in full swing, featuring local Spaghetti, Acorn, Banana, BC Butternut, and Kabocha varieties. We'll continue to offer local Green and Yellow Zucchini for the next few weeks, weather permitting. We're also well-stocked with a variety of Hot Peppers, such as Jalapeno, Anaheim, Poblano, Serrano, and Habanero.

Here's hoping the warm weather sticks around as long as possible!



### LETTUCE

ICEBERG: We will have 24ct liner and cello available, and we continue to offer our in-house chopped product.

**ROMAINE**: Due to import restrictions, the pricing on Romaine will be increasing later this month. We have a good supply of the 24ct California, and Romaine hearts. We continue to offer our in-house chopped product.

LEAF: Local and Californian Leaf prices are stable. We have 24ct California Green and a limited supply of Vancouver Island grown Green and Red.

BUTTER: We have the California 24ct field Butter Lettuce available as well as the clamshell Butter Lettuce.

TUSCAN SPRING MIX: Plenty available.

ARUGULA: We continue to stock the 2 x 2lb Arugula, good quality with strong supply.

**ARTISAN:** Good quality with strong supply.

SPINACH W&T: There is a limited supply of wash n trim Spinach available. The quality continues to be good.

### **ONIONS/ POTATOES**

**ONIONS**: The Red and Yellow Onions we have are all new crop from Washington. We will

continue to stock the 25lb White Onions. Green Onions are available, stable price.

SHALLOTS: 8x5lbs mesh available.

POTATOES: All colors are new crop from Vancouver Island. Kennebec's are coming down in price. White and Yellow Nuggets are available in 50lbs and 5lbs. 100ct Russets on sale!



## **PEPPERS**

GREEN: On sale this week!

RED: BC Hot House 11lb Red Peppers available. **COLOURED**: With the BC Hot Houses in full swing, we will have both the 11lb and 25lb Orange Peppers and mixed 2lbs bags.



### SQUASH

HARD: Local Spaghetti, Acorn, BC Butternut, Banana, and Kabocha. Diced Butternut on sale! **SOFT**: We continue to stock local Green and Yellow Zucchini.



### TOMATOES

There is a heatwave going on in California right now, decreasing supply, increasing prices. We have both the 5 x 6 and 6x7 Californian product available, Romas, Yellow and Red on the Vine.

SMALL: We will have the 12/1pt Grape, Medley and Red Cherry available, as well as the last of the 10lb bulk Medleys.

#### **BROCCOLI/CAULIFLOWER**



BROCCOLI: We will have both the Domestic and Asian cut crowns as well as the 14ct, stable in price.

CAULIFLOWER: We are seeing a strong and stable supply of Cauliflower. We will have both the 9 & 12ct available.

BROCCOLINI: Steady supply of great quality Broccolini available.

#### **CITRUS**

**ORANGES:** We will continue to have a good supply of the 56ct, 113ct, and 138ct Valencia's Oranges. The Navels will return come November.

LEMONS: We will have the 115ct Californian Lemons in stock. LIMES: Lime prices continue to climb. We will have the 175ct available.

### **MELONS**



**CANTALOUPE**: We will have a good supply of California 12ct available, the price continues to climb.

HONEYDEW: Same as the Cantaloupe, the Honeydew price will be increasing. We will have 6ct available.

WATERMELON: We have the last of the Watermelon available for the week, keeping the price stable. Quality remains very aood.

#### BERRIES



We will have a mix of local and Driscol Strawberries, 12/6oz Blackberries and 12/1pt BC Blueberries. Gooseberries are available but in limited quantities. Frozen Blueberries on sale this week!



# ISLANDS WEST PRODUCE LOCAL SHEET SEPTEMBER 7TH - 13TH, 2024

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# LOWER MAINLAND

## **BC Fresh**

Radishes Rhubarb Savoy Cabbage Carrots Gold Beets Brussel Sprouts

## **BC Greenhouses**

Long English Cucumbers Beefsteak Tomatoes Grape Tomatoes Medley Tomatoes On the Vine Tomatoes Roma Tomatoes Orange Peppers Red Peppers Yellow Peppers

# Champs / Avina Mushrooms

#1 Jumbo Organic – Brown, Medium Oyster Portabella Portabellini White, Shitake

### Badyal Farms Corn

# RGR

Bunched Beets Bok Choy Broccoli Crowns Bunched Carrots Bunched Spinach Green Zucchini Romaine Lettuce Sui Choy

# VANCOUVER ISLAND

## **Michell Farms**

Green Leaf Lettuce Red Leaf Lettuce Large Beets Kale Large Parsnips Green Zucchini Yellow Zucchini Green Cabbage Red Cabbage Galey Farms Corn

Hilltop Farms Long English Cucumbers

### **Echo Farms**

Corn Kennebec Potatoes Yellow Potatoes Red Potatoes

### IVCA Large Yukon VI Carrots

# COMING SOON

BC Leeks BC Rutabagas BC Turnips