

IMPORTANT UPDATES FOR THE OHG FARMERS & ARTISANS MARKET

Dear OHG Community,

For the last 9 years, the Orange Home Grown Farmers & Artisans Market has been your treasured community resource to connect you with sustainable family farmers and food artisans, who work to bring us weekly fresh, nutrient-dense, delicious local food.

These past three months have been challenging for us all, and we want you to know that **right now, in this moment, you are needed more than ever to make sure our markets and organization can weather this uncertainty.**

As a grass-roots mission-driven nonprofit, OHG sustains itself through farmers' market stall fees, fundraising events and donations/sponsorships—many of our events are on pause for the foreseeable future. We are asking for your support to help us bridge the next few months so that we can continue to provide critical access to healthy, local food.

We at OHG have never been more determined to protect our farmers and make sure you and everyone in our community is well fed, and has access to shopping for food in a safe way during this crisis. We continue to review state and county protocol and we have put in place a plan that we feel is safe for our community, our vendors, and our staff and volunteers. The farmer's market will continue to respond and adapt as the situation changes, so we ask that you support our safety efforts and follow the regulations listed below:

COVID-19: Updated June 18, 2020- PLEASE READ BEFORE ATTENDING THE FARMERS MARKET

Regular updates to market operations will be provided on both the OHG Facebook and Instagram accounts. In addition, please sign up for our weekly eblast through our website that goes out every Friday at 8am.

Please DO NOT visit the Orange Home Grown Farmers & Artisans Markets (OHGFAM) if you are experiencing any symptoms of respiratory illness, including fever and cough or have a fever.

We need your help to keep our community informed. Please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/> for accurate and timely information on COVID-19.

As an essential service, the Farmers Market REOPENED on 4/18/20 as an option for shoppers to continue having access to fresh produce in an open-air setting while maximizing social distancing. The farmer's market continuation of service helps to minimize economic impacts to participating small farmers, so they remain able to serve the market community in the months and years to come. At this time, OHGFAM continues to offer **CalFresh/EBT** for low income shoppers to access healthy produce. We will open 30 minutes earlier than normal (8:30am to accommodate early morning shoppers).

WHEN VISITING THE MARKET

If you choose to visit the OHGFAM, we ask that you follow these rules:

1. Please do not visit the markets if you are experiencing **ANY** illness.
2. **Face coverings are required** for market patrons, vendors, and staff/volunteers as an additive measure to prevent the spread of respiratory illness per [California Department of Public Health](#). Please visit [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention website](#) for more information.
3. Specific entry/exits points have been implemented, and a **limited number of customers** will be allowed into the market at one time.
4. Please SEND 1-2 HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS to the market if possible to minimize attendance.
5. Limit your time in the market to **under 30 minutes**, to help with others waiting in line to enter.

6. **NO DOGS ALLOWED** at this time. Park Your Paws will not be operating during COVID-19.
7. Maintain **SAFE PHYSICAL DISTANCING** OF 6 FEET OR MORE from all persons while in the market and in line at a vendor booths.
8. Do not touch produce unless you intend to purchase what you touch.
9. **NO SAMPLING** of any kind will take place at the farmers market during COVID-19.
10. Please refrain from eating your market purchases while on site.
11. Wash produce upon returning home.
12. Stay calm, stay healthy, stay informed, and most of all, stay happy.
13. Additional hand sanitizer and temporary handwashing stations available at both the entrance and exit locations of market.

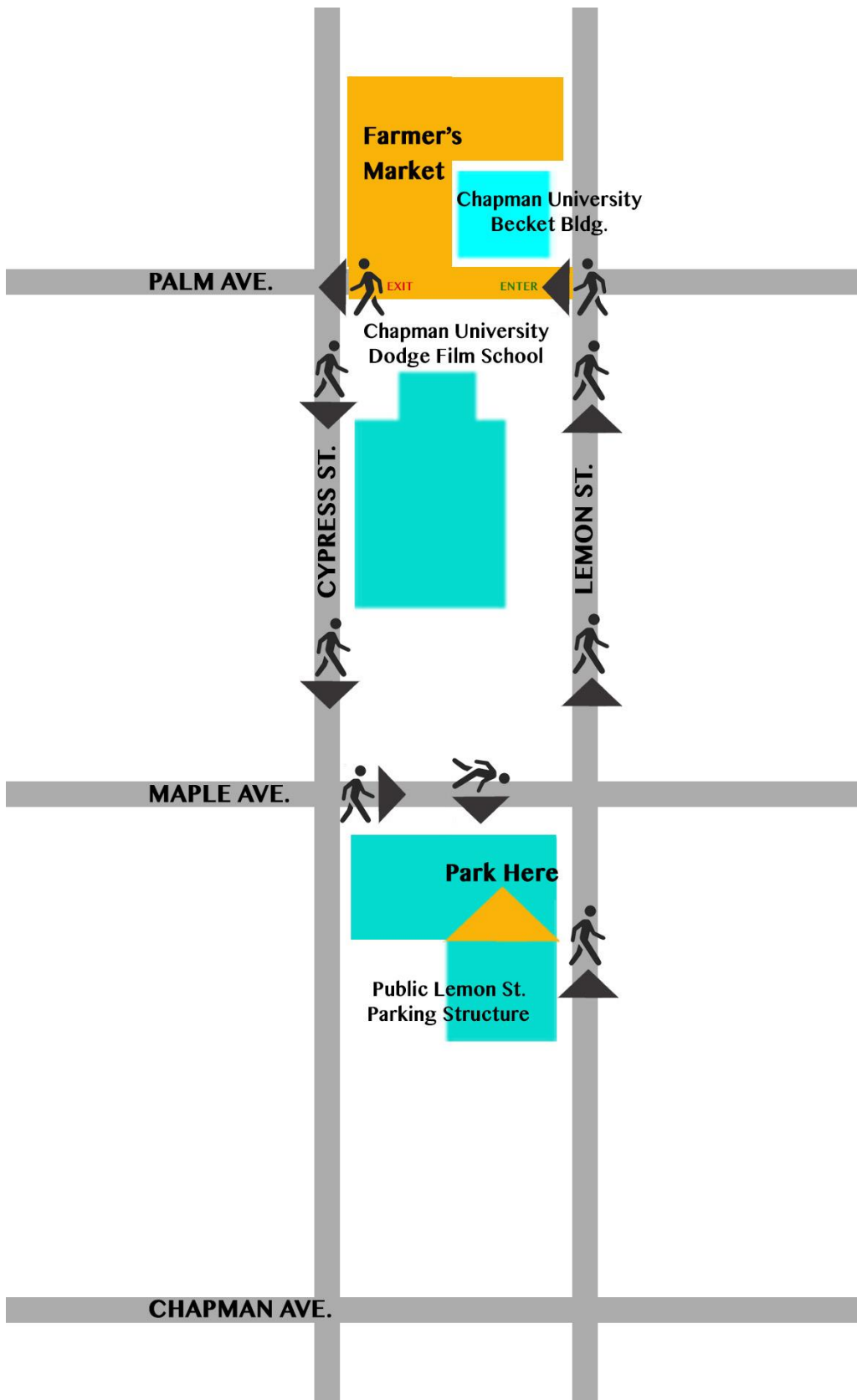
What Products are Available at the Market?

You will find California farmers and a select group of food artisan providing products they grew or made including fresh fruit, vegetables, shelled nuts, dried fruit, dairy (cheese, yogurt, eggs), honey, meats, seafood, processed farm products (olive oil, jams, juices, pickles, salsa, etc.), fresh pasta, juices, artisan breads and baked goods dips, prepared meals, teas, and more. **Products vary and are based on seasonality and weather conditions.**

NEW MARKET LAYOUT AND CIRCULATION INSIDE MARKET



PARKING AND CIRCULATION AROUND MARKET AREA

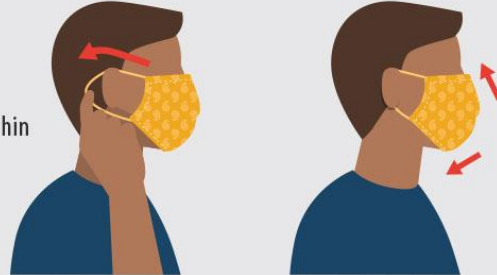


How to Safely Wear and Take Off a Cloth Face Covering

Accessible: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/diy-cloth-face-coverings.html>

WEAR YOUR FACE COVERING CORRECTLY

- Wash your hands before putting on your face covering
- Put it over your nose and mouth and secure it under your chin
- Try to fit it snugly against the sides of your face
- Make sure you can breathe easily
- Do not place a mask on a child younger than 2



USE THE FACE COVERING TO HELP PROTECT OTHERS

- Wear a face covering to help protect others in case you're infected but don't have symptoms
- Keep the covering on your face the entire time you're in public
- Don't put the covering around your neck or up on your forehead
- Don't touch the face covering, and, if you do, clean your hands

FOLLOW EVERYDAY HEALTH HABITS

- Stay at least 6 feet away from others
- Avoid contact with people who are sick
- Wash your hands often, with soap and water, for at least 20 seconds each time
- Use hand sanitizer if soap and water are not available



TAKE OFF YOUR CLOTH FACE COVERING CAREFULLY, WHEN YOU'RE HOME

- Untie the strings behind your head or stretch the ear loops
- Handle only by the ear loops or ties
- Fold outside corners together
- Place covering in the washing machine
- Wash your hands with soap and water



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Cloth face coverings are not surgical masks or N-95 respirators, both of which should be saved for health care workers and other medical first responders.

For instructions on making a cloth face covering, see:

[cdc.gov/coronavirus](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus)