



Tour Coyote Hill Farm

April 26th at 1:00pm

250 Martindale Road, Bernardston

They have parking for 8-12 vehicles. Carpool if you can!

Gloria and Ervin Meluleni started Coyote Hill Farm after taking early retirement from their careers in Boston and moving to Bernardston. They grow an assortment of veggies, fruits, and flowers, including 25 types of apples. They are the facilitators of the Bernardston Farmers' Market and also attend Northfield's. They have a small CSA and accept Senior Coupons and SNAP/HIP benefits. www.coyotehillfarm.com



Visit Couch Brook Farm

May 17th from 1:00-4:00pm

184 Couch Brook Road, Bernardston

Elaine Morley and her husband Peter Cevasco have a beautiful organic farm that feels like it's on top of the world. For many gardeners, going to Couch Brook Farm to pick up veggie, herb, and flower plants marks the true beginning of the season when we get to stick our hands into dirt. Summer is a time for blueberries, and Elaine's handcrafted pottery is available whenever they are open. www.couchbrookfarm.com



Visit Cheshire Garden

May 24th at 1:00-4:00pm

277 Burt Hill Road, Winchester, NH

Parking is limited. Carpool if you can!

Cheshire Garden is a small organic farm producing farmstead preserves, mustards, and more from their harvest. They sell their products at their charming Tiny Farmstand, on their website, through mail-order, and at farmers' markets and festivals. Tour the beautiful farm Patti Powers & her husband, Ralph Legrande, have been growing for more than 40 years.

www.cheshiregarden.com



Tour Picadilly Farm

May 12th at 4:00pm

264 South Parrish Road, Winchester, NH

Picadilly Farm is a 71-acre family farm owned by Jenny and Bruce Wooster. They, along with a great crew of workers, the size of which morphs with the seasons, grow vegetables and some fruits for their CSA and local wholesale. Their produce is available at local Coops, including Green Fields Market and Upinngil's Farm Store. Picadilly Farm is Real Organic Project certified as well as USDA certified organic.

www.picadillyfarm.com



Visit Cat's Croft

May 20th from 1:00-4:00pm

35 Cross Street, Bernardston

Parking is limited. Carpool if you can!

Cat's Croft is a woman-owned, small organic farm that provides quality, sustainably grown specialty crops, including 50 varieties of garlic, five varieties of shallots, vegetables, soft fruits, stone fruits, flower and herb seedlings, and cut flowers. They also produce high quality, small-batch preserves. Find Cathryn Thomas and Jessica Byrnes at the Bernardston Farmers' Market, Scarecrow in the Park, and Garlic & Arts Festival. www.facebook.com/catcroftma



Tour RootsStones&Bones

May 28th at 3:00pm

100 River Road, Gill

Parking is limited. Carpool if you can!

Hilary Graves & Alisa Houle are wildcrafters who create beautiful garlic braids, handcrafted broomcorn brooms, gourd birdhouses, herbal teas, salves, smudge bundles, lavender wands, and more from what they grow. Their mission is to reestablish traditional crafting as an art form, working closely with the earth in taking concepts from seed to final product. With their tutorials & videos, they hope to make earth artistry exciting & accessible to all.

www.RootsStonesandBones.etsy.com

Welcome to *The Dirty Life*!

As our part of the Libraries in the Woods (LITW) Community Read of *The Dirty Life: A Memoir of Farming, Food, and Love* by Kristin Kimball, Cushman has arranged tours and open house visits at seven local farms that are either female-owned and run, or female-driven in tandem with spouses, other family members, friends, and/or employees. There is no need to pre-register. This brochure has all the information you will need.

If a farm has limited parking, which will be noted in the description, please consider carpooling.

Cushman Library has copies of *The Dirty Life* available for folks to borrow. We'll be discussing it on **Monday, May 16th from 6:30-7:30** on the patio, weather permitting. Otherwise, it will be on Zoom. Drop by for a copy, and **Enjoy the Farms!**

Thank You for participating!



Tour Upinngil

April 22nd at 11:00am
411 Main Road, Gill

If the parking lot is full, park along the white fence between the road and garden. Carpool if you can!

Sorrel Hatch, along with her father Cliff, husband Isaac Bingham, and a team of wonderful farmers and bakers, makes Upinngil a part of the lives of so many local folks. They offer delicious raw milk and cheeses made from it, berries and veggies of all sorts, fresh eggs, baked goods made with the grains that they grow, and more, at their farm store and bakery. Join the tour of this multi-faceted farm!

www.upinngil.com

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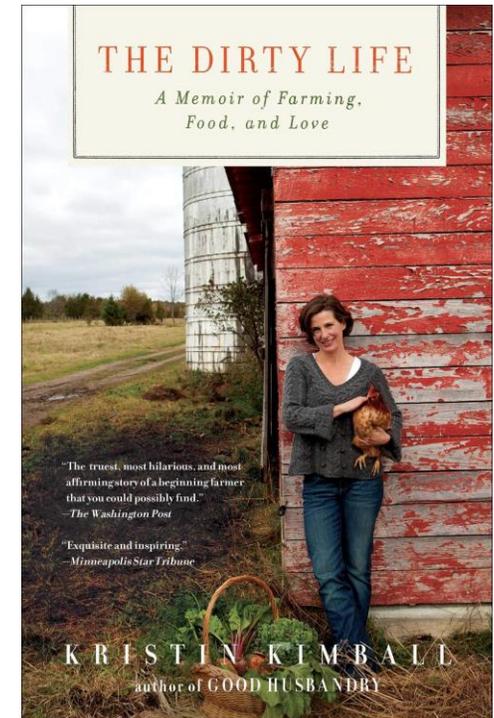


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