



Event Announcements

SUN December 11th, 2016, 05:30 p.m.: Family Church Service
in cooperation with the *Gemeinde am Glemseck* (venue: Hotel-Restaurant Glemseck). Lay preacher Sebastian SOINÉ and his wife Dagmar hold the service and offer a special children's program. Afterwards, for a voluntary contribution, a meal will be served. –The sermon will be translated into English language, and we invite you and your family cordially!

Christmas Holidays

From December 24th, 2016 –January 08th, 2017 we won't deliver our Philadelphia Boxes, and our farm shop and office will be closed. We would be happy to bring additional products to you with your last delivery before Christmas.

Farm Shop Opening Hours

TUE: 10:00 – 12:00 a. m. + 02:00 – 04:00 p. m.
FRI: 10:00 – 12:00 a. m. + 02:00 – 06:00 p. m.
SAT: 10:00 a. m. – 01:00 h p. m.
and on appointment*

* Would you prefer to visit our farm shop at another time? – Just let us know your order not later than 06:00 p. m. on the previous day. In this case, please, mention "pickup on [date]".
We'll be happy to arrange everything to your satisfaction.

Changes / Interruption / Termination

At any time, you can interrupt, change or terminate the delivery. Therefore, you only need to inform the Philadelphia-Gärtnerei **not later than three days previous** to the concerning delivery date. – TY!
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Farm Newsletter Autumn/Winter 2016/2017

Dear customers,

two years ago, we informed you already about our upcoming reorganization. Meanwhile, many meetings and conferences happened; we reflected and prayed, discussed and decided many things. The year 2017 will be a test run: At the end, our economic data shall prove that our concept works. – Therefore, we need your help: Every shopping, every additional customer shows us, that we are on the right way. Your feedback by e-mail or phone also helps us and is good for us.

**The Soiné family and all staffers wish you
blessed Christmas and a happy New Year!**



New Customers for us – Apple Juice for you

For every new subscriber you recruit for our Philadelphia-Biokiste, you'll get a Bag-in-Box (5 l) of our delicious apple juice. The new subscriber needs to mention on their placed order "recruited by N. N.", and we will bring your premium with your next delivery.

School Fruit Program

Since a short time, we deliver our products to pupils, within an agreement of the School Fruit Program. The children and youngsters get in contact with fresh fruit and vegetables, and they learn that a snack doesn't necessarily have to come out of a bag. Motivated teachers furthermore convey knowledge about nutrition and agriculture.

You may ask your school or child day care center management whether they want participate in the School Fruit Program!

Royal Rangers on Philadelphia Farm

In cooperation with the *Gemeinde am Glemseck* (www.Gemeinde-am-Glemseck.de), the Christian scouts "Royal Rangers" gather on our Philadelphia Farm every Friday. Children and youngsters from German families meet persons of the same age from refugee families from Syria, Afghanistan, and from Iran. While playing, learning and laughing with each other, they hear about God's love for every person, and they learn: All mankind can live together peacefully.

Harvest Success

After preparation of the soil with green manures (peas, field beans), especially cauliflower and broccoli could flourish well this year.

About the overabundant moisture in Spring, we had already told you. As expected according to this, the strawberry harvest was short this year.

Due to the dry and hot Summer, the Kirschesigfliege (*Drosophila suzukii*) didn't damage our berries as much as last year. Therefore, we could be content with the raspberry harvest.