

MCDANNELL FRUIT FARM MARKET

APPLE VARIETIES AND HARVEST INFORMATION

| KIND OF FRUIT | VARIETIES | AVERAGE DATE AVAILABLE | DESCRIPTION | BEST USES |
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| Apples - Summer & Early Fall available - thru 9/20 | Lodi | 1-Jul | Medium to large green, tart apple. Excellent for sauce. | S |
| | Summer Rambo | 1-Aug | Large oblate flat apple. Fruit is a green yellowish color often with pinkish red stripes. Flesh is a bit softer than most others. | P,S |
| | Ginger Gold | 8-Aug | A large yellow apple sometimes with a pink blush. Shape similar to Delicious. Highest quality early season dessert apple. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Smokehouse | 31-Aug | Medium sized green-yellow with pronounced lenticils. Flesh is firm, crisp, & aromatic. Great for sauce and pies, cider and fresh eating. | F,P,S, |
| Apples - Early Fall available - thru 10/15 | Gala | 1-Sep | Medium sized conical to rounded shape. Red orange striped over gold background. Sweet, crisp yellow flesh. Very unique flavor. One of the most popular apples for eating. | F,SD |
| | Golden Supreme | 3-Sep | Golden Delicious type apple. Skin tends not to russet as much as regular Golden's. Ripens almost 3 weeks ahead of Golden's. Good for all uses. Keeps well. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Honeycrisp | 5-Sep | Large orange red with a yellow background. Crisp, juicy, sweet with a rich flavor. Very popular among consumers as a #1 fresh apple. Supplies limited. | F,SD,S |
| | McIntosh | 5-Sep | Medium large with bright red blush over greenish yellow skin. White crisp flesh. Slightly tart. Juicy & aromatic. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Jubilee Fuji | 10-Sep | Large with reddish blush color. Creamy white flesh with the typical very sweet, crisp, firm, juicy taste. 5 - 6 weeks ahead of regular Fuji. Same great qualities as regular Fuji. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Jonamac | 10-Sep | Medium sized attractive McIntosh type dessert apple with 90% dark red skin. Blend of tart and sweet with firm, crisp, white flesh. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Cortland | 12-Sep | Large round, red with almost a bluish tint. Pure white flesh, with mild flavor. Very slow to brown. Crisp texture & slightly tart. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Jonathan | 12-Sep | Medium sized, red faintly striped over a yellow cream background. Tart, crisp & juicy. Good for eating. Very good for candied or caramel apples & sauce. | F,S |
| Apples - Mid-Season available - thru 11/25 | Idared | 18-Sep | Medium to large flat topped red over yellow base. White flesh is crisp, mildly tart, & juicy. Good for all uses. Excels as a baking apple. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Sweet Paradise | 20-Sep | Medium sized yellow-cream color with sometimes a pink cheek. Appearance hard to tell from Winter Banana. Very good for drying. Considered an antique apple. | Drying |
| | Jonagold | 20-Sep | A large yellow apple with varying degrees of red stripes. Can be totally red. Blend of tart Jonathan & sweet Golden. Crisp & juicy. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Red Delicious | 20-Sep | Totally red apple tapered toward the blossom end with 5 points. Very sweet for eating & desserts. Once the most popular eating apple known for its sweet flavor. New varieties are lessening its popularity. | F,SD |
| | Golden Delicious | 24-Sep | Yellow medium large conical shaped. Sweet with a slightly tart & mellow, crisp & juicy. A standard variety good for all uses. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| Apples - Late Season available - thru 11/25 | Empire | 25-Sep | Very pretty bright - dark red color. Flesh is white, crisp, & juicy sweet with a slight McIntosh taste. An excellent eating & salad apple | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Northern Spy | 25-Sep | Red over yellow, large with cream colored flesh. Crisp, juicy, aromatic flavor. Good for eating fresh & cooking. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Winter Banana | 1-Oct | Cream color with a red-pink blush. Fine grained flesh, subacid & crisp. Excellent for desserts. Tree is often planted for pollination, as it is an excellent pollinizer. Blooms for a long time | F,SD |
| | Red Rome | 1-Oct | Solid red large nicely shaped. Slightly tart, firm & juicy. Popular for cooking, excellent baking apple. | P,S,B |
| | Staymen / Winesap | 1-Oct | Dark red medium to large, moderately tart. Flesh very crisp, firm & white. Good for all uses. Keeps well especially when refrigerated. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Red York | 5-Oct | Red medium to large slightly oblong apple. Very solid, excellent processing/cooking. Keeps well especially when refrigerated. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Granny Smith | 5-Oct | Dark green sometimes with a pink cheek. Late apple, very tart, crisp & juicy. Excellent for cooking. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Nittany | 5-Oct | P.S.U. York type processing. Orange-red with yellow background color. Refrigerated, can be kept for up to 6 months. Pies & sauce. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Crispin / Mutsu | 10-Oct | Very large, green, flavorful dessert & processing quality apple. Cooks superbly and is one of a small number of varieties which really is dual purpose. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| | Cameo | 10-Oct | Shape similar to Delicious, bright red stripe over creamy background. Firm, crisp & highly a highly appealing subacid sweet-tart flavor. Resists browning. | F,SD,P,S,B |
| Autumn Rose Fuji | 12-Oct | Large, very firm with prominent red stripe over yellow background. Very sweet & juicy. Keeps exceptionally well, especially refrigerated. Flavor increases in storage. | F,SD,P,S,B | |
| Pink Lady | 1-Nov | Red with yellow background, crisp sweet tart flavor, long storage life. One of the last apples to be harvested. Flavor increases in cold storage. | F,SD,B | |

* See key below

F = Fresh Eating
SD = Salads & Desserts
P = Pies
S = Sauce
B = Baked

Dates of availability may vary due to seasonal weather conditions.