



Market Updates
Week of 11/13/17

- Poultry---** Chicken market is lower this week in a strong market. Chicken production has increased again last week. Wings are lower this week in a extremely high market. We are hearing that the forecast is for Wings to will continue to rise with no relief in sight. The wing pricing is not expected to go down to what we have been used too in the last few years. Expect this high price to be the new normal. This is due to the extreme high demand. You may want to explore menu alternatives and portion size changes. Breast, Thighs and Tenders are all down this week.
- Turkey---** Market is stable. Ask your sales rep about our Plainville all natural line of turkey and chicken products. Please consult with your Sales Representative regarding your Thanks-giving needs.
- Beef---** Good Supply but Holiday Demand is driving the market upward. Briskets and Rounds are slightly lower this week. Strips are steady. Ribs are up dramatically. Grinds are also up this week. Trim is lower and Tenders are up as well. Flat meat cuts are the only section showing a softer market
- Pork----** The Pork market is up in a strong market with high demand even with higher produc-tion. Bacon has moved higher this week. Trim and Loins are up. Butts are slightly lower. Hams are up. Rib complex seems to be steady.
- Produce---** **WE ARE PROUD TO BE CARRYING PRODUCE FROM LOCAL FARMS WHEN AVAILABLE**
Please check all produce at delivery. Check with your sales rep with further questions or concerns. Most of our local produce has come to a end. West coast is being affected by extreme heat, while the east coast with some Gap issues along with the effects of hurri-cane Irma is still affecting us. **Greens---** All Leaf Lettuces are rebounding nicely, look for some steady pricing and good quality. *****Apples**— New York State Apples are looking strong with all selections. ****Asparagus**— out of Central America is looking better with some relief in pricing. ****Avocado** Getting better with Pricing, Quality issues and sizing problem. **** Peppers** are up. ****Cabbage**— looking steady.
****Berry market**— Blackberries, and Blueberries are looking fair with high pricing. Rasp-berries are betting better. Strawberries out of Calif. Are showing some heat stress.
****Broccoli**— is lower **** Cauliflower**—is up. **** Cucumbers**— are up due to heat stress
***** Green beans**- are local with good value. ****Tomatoes**— are up this week. The fore-cast looks poor moving forward due to Irma and some gap issues, look for some major issues in the next few week as the Florida crop was lost. ****Potatoes** Quality is good but some higher pricing due to transportation issues ****Citrus**— Navels oranges are

back! Better quality and pricing . **Lemons are getting better out of Chile, pricing is high. **Limes are still looking strong . **Squash— is looking better with lower pricing. **Melons- are rebounding to a more stable market with lower pricing. **Watermelons – more supply in the market is driving the price lower **Eggplant– higher pricing, with quality issues. **Onions– seeing some higher pricing due to transportation issues. **Grapes– are steady **Carrots- are steady coming out of Calif. **Celery– is higher... **Cilantro– looking better with better pricing. **Garlic– steady **Sweet corn-is looking good coming out of the southeast.... Brussels Sprouts –looking better with better quality, lower pricing!!!

Dairy/ cheese--The Market is up this week.

Butter is down very slightly this week.

Heavy Cream and Half and Half is also down as well.

Grains/Flour---- We are seeing a steady Market.

Soy Market — Looks to be strong this week. Soy Futures are driving the market higher.

Sugar--- We are seeing a strong market in the Sugar futures do to the issues in Mexico once again. Look for some higher pricing.

Eggs— Egg market is up this week.

Non Foods-- We are seeing price increasing on all Aluminum, Pet Plastics and Glove products this week.

Seafood--- steady.

New Items:

#002126 Corn Starch, 50# Bag

#005538 Cheese, Wensleydale with Cranberries, 4/2.7#

** **Thanksgiving** is approaching fast. Talk to your Sales Representative regarding to Holiday Needs.

** Cortland Produce will be looking to supply you with all your **Quality Fresh Sea Food** needs in the VERY near future. Please consult with your Sales Representative on what you needs are and look for more information shortly!

** Ask your Sales Representative about these new Manufactures Products Stocked

**** Marzetti Dressings****

**** Jones Dairy Farms****

**** Joseph's Gourmet Pasta's****

**Ask your Sales Representative for a current list of New items.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR BUSINESS AND CONTUINED LOYAL SUPPORT!

Ask your sales representative about our **"NEW" ABF All Natural**
PLAINVILLE and FREE BIRD, Turkey and Chicken lines.

We are now carrying a large selection of Pork Products from **"THE PIGGERY"**
Ask your sales representative for more information.