

**Spring is like nature's little engine,** revving up to drive flavor forward into the rest of the seasons. It makes sense that it's a slow start, that it takes a few turns to plow ahead with full force. The metaphor is apt for our own internal engines. Sometimes it takes a little bit of time to get that spring in our step after a long winter...even here in our temperate climate. Don't put pressure on yourself to jump into action at the first sign of spring. It's okay to slow down, to take the time

to observe each sprout, bloom and berry as they pop into being. And then,

as you warm and thaw, step out into the market stalls and take advantage of all that new greenery and color at your own pace. The seasons are the ultimate reminder of time. We shouldn't hurry through them.

—Amber Turpin

## Tuesday

### 1 Felton Farmers Market

1:30–5:30pm • May through October 120 Russell Ave. 831.454.0566 santacruzfarmersmarket.org

#### 2 El Mercado

2–6pm • April through October Crestview Drive and Madison Street Watsonville 831.726.4257 • pvhealthtrust.org

## Wednesday

### 3 Downtown Santa Cruz Farmers Market

1pm-5pm • Year-round Lincoln and Cedar Streets • 831.454.0566 santacruzfarmersmarket.org

## Friday

### Watsonville Certified Farmers Market

2–7pm • Year-round Watsonville City Plaza, Peck & Main Streets 831.588.7366 facebook.com/watsonvillefarmersmarket

## Saturday

### **5** Aptos Certified Farmers Market

8am–Noon • Year-round 6500 Soquel Drive • 831.728.5060 montereybayfarmers.org

#### 6 Westside Santa Cruz Market

9am–1pm • Year-round 2801 Mission Street • 831.454.0566 santacruzfarmersmarket.org

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### Scotts Valley Farmers Market

9am-1pm • May through November 5060 Scotts Valley Drive, Boys & Girls Club Parking Lot 831.454.0566 santacruzfarmersmarket.org

## Sunday

#### 8 Live Oak Farmers Market

9am–1pm • Year-round 15th and East Cliff Drive • 831.454.0566 santacruzfarmersmarket.org

#### 9 Corralitos Farm & Garden Market

11am–3pm • Year-round 127 Hames Road • 831.724.1332 wayne@catalyst2001.com

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Monterey & San Benito Counties

## Monday

# 1 Pacific Grove Certified Farmers Market

3–6pm • Year-round Central and Grand Avenues 831.384.6961 everyonesharvest.org

### Tuesday

### 2 Carmel Barnyard Certified Farmers Market

9am-1pm • May through September 3690 The Barnyard 831.728.5060 • montereybayfarmers.org

### 3 Old Monterey Marketplace & Farmers Market

4–7pm • Year-round Alvarado Street • 831.655.2607 oldmonterey.org

## Wednesday

## 4 Natividad Certified Farmers Market

11am-3:30pm • May to October 1441 Constitution Blvd., Salinas 831.384.6961 • everyonesharvest.org

# 6 Hollister Certified Farmers Market

3–7pm • April to October San Benito Street between 5th and 7th 831.636.8406 downtownhollister.org/farmers-market

## Thursday

# 6 Carmel-by-the-Sea Farmers Market 10am-2pm • Year-round

6th and Mission Streets 831.402.3870 • goodrootsevents.com

### **7** Castroville Farmers Market

3–7:30PM • Year-round Castroville Recreation Center 11261 Crane Street ncrpd.org

### **8** Seaside Certified Farmers Market

3–7pm • Year-round Laguna Grande Regional Park 1259 Canyon del Rey Blvd. 831.384.6961 • everyonesharvest.org

### 9 Soledad Certified Farmers Market

4–8pm • April to October 137 Soledad St. • 831.678.3504

### Friday

### Monterey Certified Farmers Market

8am–noon • Year-round 1410 Del Monte Center 831.728.5060 • montereybayfarmers.org

