

City Opens Gladstone Farmers Market



On May 1, 2010 at 7:00 AM the Gladstone Farmers Market will open for business. Located at 525 NE 70th Street the market will feature locally grown produce, plants and flowers along with a variety of locally produced products. Breads, eggs, jam and jellies will also be available at the market.

The market will be open twice a week on Wednesdays from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM and Saturdays from 7:00 AM to Noon. Opening day will bring some special activities for those families who choose to shop with their families. There will be balloon animals, clowns, sidewalk chalk activities and other things to tempt and entertain the kids while parents shop. There will also be live music at the market from 9:00 to 11:00 AM.

On opening day one would expect to see things like green onions, lettuce, fresh spinach, radishes, cut flowers, and perennials. Fresh herbs are anticipated and should provide some tempting additions for your cooking pleasure. Several varieties of Hostas will be available as well as Daylilies, black-Eyed Susans and Daisies.

The Gladstone City Council and the Gladstone Area Chamber of Commerce will host a ribbon cutting marking to mark the opening of the market at 9:00 AM on May 1st. Make plans now to attend and take advantage of the great things the market has to offer.