

Solaris Valhalla CSA 2009 Sliding Scale Application

Applicants Information:

Name: _____

Number in household: _____ Children Under 18: _____ Adults: _____

Total monthly income for entire house: \$ _____

Average monthly bills for entire family: \$ _____

Please check the boxes below that apply:

- I can afford the normal fee of \$150 for my share on payments
- Receive financial assistance
- Utilize local food pantries
- Willing to do Work Exchange for shares
- Afford payments of \$20 per month for 7 months
- Afford payments of \$12.50 per month for 12 months
- Afford payments of \$50 per month for 3 months

We will use the above information to determine what we can do about getting assistance from other Members to help pay for your Membership. Please be honest, we work on a very tight budget at Solaris Valhalla, and will do all we can to help.

Other information you would like us to consider:

Work Shares for sliding scale applicants:

Solaris Valhalla does offer "Work Shares" for low income households if there is someone over the age of 18 whom is willing to work in exchange for a weekly share. This individual would work 6 hours per day 2 days a week in exchange for a weeks share. These low income Work Shares are limited to 7 per year. You must commit to a minimum of 12 weeks out of the growing season to qualify. Please indicate which work days you would like to work below. We only allow Sliding Scale Work Share commitment on these days.

- Friday & Saturday Monday & Tuesday
- I can only do work shares on the days selected above
- My schedule is flexible and could work other days if the farm needs me to.

Information for you about Sliding Scale Shares:

Solaris Valhalla will do all we can to find the funds to help assist any low income family, or individual to obtain a CSA share.

We may not be able to find enough funding to supply the entire share amount of \$150, which is the normal cost of a reduced price share.

We do accept Work Exchange for some of the sliding scale applicants, but please understand that the work can be hard. We will do what we can to accommodate any health, and/or disability issues if needed.

All of the information that we receive from you is completely confidential, and we do not share any personal, and/or financial information.

No one will be aware of anyone who receives a Sliding Scale Share, or Work Share except the applicant, and Solaris Valhalla.

Ok just a few more questions and were done

- I need home delivery (Cabool City Limits)
- I would be willing to help at the farmers market in Mt. Grove
- I would like to be informed of job openings at Solaris Valhalla, and other farms
- I would like to receive starter plants if I am not eligible for the Sliding Scale Share program.

All of the above information is true to the best of my knowledge, and I agree to inform Solaris Valhalla if there is any change in my situation.

Signature: _____

Mail this form along with the other application to:

"Kelsey D Denning"
Solaris Valhalla
14996 Hwy U
Cabool, Mo 65689
417-254-3084
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We will process your application in a timely manner. It usually takes two to three weeks to complete the process.

Thank you,

Kelsey Denning