

# Brownsville Co-op News - October 23, 2006

## **Last Farmers Market October 28th**

It's been a great growing season and a terrific start for the Co-op's Farmers Market. What a pleasure to have fresh local produce each week! Is this a new Brownsville tradition?.....we hope so. Our last Farmers Market for the year will be held on October 28th from 9-12 To celebrate our success we're going to have a mini-parade, where we march the Co-op canopy back to Anne Stein's yard (where it will go into retirement over a wood pile...thanks for the loan Anne!). Starting around 1:00pm we'll need 8 people to carry the canopy and a number of others to play kazoos and other musical instruments and to carry the Farmers Market banner. Come join the fun as we wind up the season.

## **Second Buyer's Club order arrives October 23rd**

We had a few less orders this month but we were still well over the \$465 minimum order amount. We now have a refrigerator at the delivery site so we can keep the cold stuff cold. Pallets are now laid out to keep the boxes off the ground. Things are looking good but we could still use a few volunteers to help out monthly with our deliveries.

Azure Standard offers a wide selection of healthy food products and other household necessities mostly at below retail prices. For those who haven't made an order yet, you can find out the details of setting up an Azure Standard account at [brownsvillemcoop.com/buyers](http://brownsvillemcoop.com/buyers). If you need help with starting your account and/or making your first order, contact Steve Brenner at [sbrenner@archetype.org](mailto:sbrenner@archetype.org) (or 466-3060). You will need to be a supporting member to participate in the Buyers Club.

Please note that next order deadline is 4:00 pm, tuesday, November 14th for a November 20th delivery. This is a departure from our normal wednesday deadline.

## **Co-op Logo Contest**

You still have the rest of October and all of November to get your Brownsville Co-op logo designs in. We have a few logos already submitted and on display at <http://www.brownsvillemcoop.com/coop/logo/> . Lets get a few more choices up there. You can get some design ideas from a collection of sample logos from other co-ops at <http://www.brownsvillemcoop.com/coop/logo/samples.png> .

And for those of you who are better at word smithing than graphic artistry, how about coming up with that perfect tagline? Taglines are submitted and voted on separately

from the logos. Don't feel timid, corporate giant Whole Foods has the motto "Whole Foods, Whole People, Whole Planet"; I think we can do a whole lot better than that! :-)  
We could do something with political edginess like "Local Food - Get used to it!" or something more philosophical like "I eat, therefore I am", or something more new age like "Be here now, be here later, eat healthy" or something noble borrowed from our forefathers like "We swear upon the altar of God, eternal hostility to every form of nutritional tyranny in the body." On a serious note, there are no bad entries, so curb your inhibitions and let your imagination run wild and send us your creative notions. I personally would like to see something humorous, but all approaches are welcome.

Send all entries to [sbrenner@archetype.org](mailto:sbrenner@archetype.org).

### **Minutes from the 10-09-06 meeting**

The minutes from our last meeting can be found in the following url:

<http://www.brownsvillecoop.com/coop/minutes/minutes%202006-10-06.pdf>

Minutes from previous meetings can be found at

<http://www.brownsvillecoop.com/coop/minutes/>

Our next meeting is 7:30 pm, Monday, November 6th at Bramble House Restaurant (209 N. Templeton).