

4018 Canfield Road Parcel # 02509001100

Lala's Family Farm

Lala's Family Farm, founded by Paula and Mike Glogovac, is a thriving agricultural operation in Sebastopol, committed to sustainable farming and providing fresh, locally grown products to the community. Paula, a Master Gardener since 2010, continues to volunteer her expertise with the Master Gardeners of Sonoma County, further reinforcing our dedication to agricultural stewardship.

Livestock & Egg Production

Since moving to Sebastopol four years ago, we have expanded our poultry operation to include 50 chickens across three coops, dedicated exclusively to egg production. These eggs are sold directly to the community through our Farmstand, and we maintain a sustainable replenishment cycle every two years to ensure consistent production.

As part of our ongoing expansion, we plan to introduce additional livestock, including pigs, milking goats, and sheep, which will be utilized for meat, milk, and breeding. Our pastureland, already home to sugar maple trees and live oaks, will support rotational grazing and natural foraging. Additionally, we will establish a barn to house and manage the livestock, ensuring proper care and sustainable growth of our operation.

Orchards & Crop Cultivation

Our farm features a diverse orchard with a variety of fruit-bearing trees, including cherries, almonds, pluots, apriums, apples, pears, nectarplums, nectarines, peaches, figs, olives, apricots, plums, persimmons, pomegranates, and mulberries. A dedicated citrus grove with avocado trees complements our orchard. These trees are now beginning to produce at scale, allowing us to sell excess fruit through our Farmstand.

We have also developed a fenced garden area with raised beds and drip irrigation for efficient water use. This space is dedicated to cultivating vegetables, herbs, and edible flowers, all of which are sold directly to the community. Our herb garden, housed in metal troughs, includes a variety of mints, dill, oregano, sage, chives, basil, thyme, tarragon, parsley, and lemon balm, with separate plantings of rosemary, edible lavender, and a newly established bay leaf tree.

Additionally, we have four pinon trees, which will become a valuable source of pine nuts as they mature. Our wine barrels, strategically placed along the garden perimeter, support the

growth of artichokes, strawberries, rhubarb, horseradish, and other vegetables. We also maintain four raised metal beds for saffron cultivation.

Greenhouse & Nursery Production

To further enhance our agricultural capabilities, we have recently acquired a commercial-grade greenhouse for plant propagation. This greenhouse will allow us to cultivate a wider variety of plants, ensuring a steady supply for our farm while also offering excess plants to the community at affordable prices. Some plants will be sold in containers for home cultivation, encouraging sustainable gardening practices.

Beekeeping & Future Expansion

Our future plans include establishing beekeeping operations, both to enhance pollination of our fruit trees and to produce honey for sale at the Farmstand. We also aim to expand our farm's offerings to include grains, additional tree plantings, and a broader selection of dairy and meat products, either sold directly or supplied to local producers.

Lala's Family Farm is committed to responsible agricultural growth, community engagement, and sustainable food production. Through our continued expansion and dedication to diverse farming practices, we strive to provide high-quality, locally sourced food while maintaining the agricultural integrity of our land.

Farm Family Dwelling Unit

The new Farm Family Dwelling Unit will be occupied by a member or members of the farm operator's family.



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