

The Green Notebook

Local Yokel Foods

Josh Goodson, born and raised in Powell, Ohio, has a fresh idea on local food. He and his wife, Celeste, and his sister Alexa are working with Ohio farmers to bring local and natural foods to your doorstep through their company Local Yokel Foods.

Here is how it works: you order online via their website (localyokelfoods.com) any day of the week. If you order by that week's cut-off date, your delivery will arrive that same week. There is a \$25 minimum order as well as a \$20 refundable bin deposit for first-time customers (the green bin is what your food is delivered in). Delivery is free and Goodson has a 100 percent satisfaction guarantee. Not bad!

What kinds of things might be available this winter? They carry local and organic grown meats, cheese, eggs, milk, breads, potatoes, apples, pumpkins, greenhouse produce, locally grown canned or frozen fruits and vegetable and many more specialty products. Local Yokel also buys non-local produce during the off-season.

Eco-friendly in everything they do, this new company makes the connection between the farmers and our tables.

For more information, check out their very user-friendly website or email support@localyokelfoods.com. If you are interested in selling your products in their store, email sales@localyokelfoods.com or call 740-817-4098.

Keeping it fresh, keeping it local—now that's what I'm talkin' about!

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