Community Food Initiatives

Summer Internship 2013
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What is CFI

• Mission: “...to support a local food movement that expands fair access to fresh and nutritious foods for all people in our region.”
• High poverty rates and food insecurity in Athens and surrounding counties correlates to negative health impacts.
Donation Station

• Athens Farmers Market
• Chesterhill Produce Auction
  • Vinton County
• Monetary donations spent at auction/market to purchase food
• Food distributed to about 40 organizations in and outside of Athens county
YEAH Kids Program

• Garden
  • Maintain/assist with Hope Drive garden and creation of lesson plans

• Food production
  • Facilitate preparation of value added products at the ACEnet kitchens

• Farmers Market
  • Facilitate the marketing and sale of goods at the market

• Profits go to the kids
Celebrating a Successful Season
Market Goods
Community Garden Coordinator

- Maintain and improve CFI’s community gardens in Athens, Nelsonville, and Guysville
- Hands on position that involves all aspects of gardening from sowing seeds to setting up water capture mechanisms. Anything you can dream up to help the gardens run smoothly
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