

H^ॐme Lake Cooperative

2018 Harvest Report



Saranagati Farms Winter was long, spring was hot then cold, summer was rainy but we still had good results. Our best crops were kale, parsley, beet, carrot, potato & strawberry. Corn was slow & small, perhaps due less sun & smoke. In the greenhouse tomato, cucumber, pepper & flowers were abundant. The 4 acre community field was fallow, so production was down 80%.

Animals No major losses to birds, beef cows, deer or bear this year. Potato beetle were controlled with diatomaceous earth powder. Grasshoppers were back, but not a threat to crops planted before June.

Marketing Produce was distributed via farm gate sales, u-pick, and some home delivery. Most of our 2018 sales were last year's carrots, stored in peat moss until August.