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## Community Supported Seafood 2018 Membership Enrollment Form

www.communitysupportedseafood.com

### Make check payable to: Community Supported Seafood. Mailing address: P.O. Box 15230; Phila, PA 19125

This is a Purchase Order that is subject to delivery only after the payment has been received and processed for each share selected. CSS Seasonal Harvest Programs may remain OPEN for enrollment for up to 9 months. Deliveries will be scheduled for individual CSS members upon availability of the specified annual harvest. Please refer to the "ETA" column below for approximate dates to begin expecting your email "Arrival Notification". You must call or email Otolith to schedule your CSS distribution after you have received the "Arrival Notification" email. Dates, times and available locations for delivery are posted on Otolith's online calendar and are subject to harvest availability, transportation limitations due to weather or unexpected delays and the discretion of Otolith Sustainable Seafood's local distribution network. CSS Program e-receipts will be sent by email prior to CSS Arrival Notification. Welcome to Otolith's Seasonal Harvest Member Programs - aka Community Supported Seafood! You may enroll online at www.communitysupportedseafood.com

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: HOME: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL: \_\_\_\_\_ WORK: \_\_\_\_\_

#### CSS Seasonal Harvest Program(s):

Indicate # Shares	CSS Programs	Share/lbs	FREE Deliveries	"ETA"	Details	Price*
	Cans of Sockeye Salmon	24 cans	1	May 2018	Contains Edible Bones and Skin 7.5 oz wild sockeye salmon No water or oil added	\$100
	2018 Spring Rockfish	10 lbs	2	May 2018	10 lbs total weight of avg. wt. ¼-1# vacpac boneless/skinless fillet portions	\$150/80
	2018 Spring Sablefish	10 lbs	2	May 2018	10 lbs total weight of avg. wt. ¼-1# vacpac semi-boneless fillet portions	\$200/105
	2018 Spring Halibut	10 lbs	2	May 2018	10 lbs total weight of avg. wt. ¼-1# vacpac boneless/skinless fillet portions	\$250/130
	2018 Spring Dungeness Crab	10 lbs	2	May 2018	10 lbs IQF Dungeness Crab Clusters Half Crab Cleaned 2 lb - 3 lb packages	\$150/80
	2018 Spring Sidestripe Shrimp	10 lbs	2	May 2018	10 lbs total weight of 1# Pack IQF Sidestripe Shrimp Tails	\$150/80
	2018 Summer Coho Salmon	15 lbs	2	September 2018	15 lbs total weight of avg. wt. ¼-1# vacpac semi-boneless fillet portions	\$180/95
	2018 Summer Sockeye Salmon	15 lbs	2	September 2018	15 lbs total weight of avg. wt. ¼-1# vacpac semi-boneless fillet portions	\$200/105
	2018 Summer King Salmon	10 lbs	2	September 2018	10 lbs total weight of avg. wt. ¼-1# vacpac semi-boneless fillet portions	\$250/130
	2018 Fall Spot Prawns	10 lbs	2	November 2018	10 lbs total weight of 1# Pack IQF Spot Prawn Tails	\$200/105

\*\*Half shares not available. \*\$5 HALF SHARE FEE APPLIES FOR ANY ½ CSS PURCHASED AND PRICED AS INDICATED.

**Total Amount Due** \_\_\_\_\_

Required Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you accept your responsibility to call or email Otolith and request you delivery after receiving the "Arrival Notification" email ?** [Circle Only One Answer]    **YES**    **NO**

**Indicate your most likely delivery location(s):** [In order of your preference, 1st & 2nd ]

\_\_\_ Headhouse Farm Market, 2 St. and Pine, Phila, PA; Sunday Schedule, 10am-2pm - September 9, 2019 through January 20, 2019.

\_\_\_ Other, [home or business delivery, etc.] \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Otolith Sustainable Seafood, 2133 E. Huntingdon St., Phila, PA 19125, Hours: Mon - Sat, 9am-6pm, By Appointment Only. GONE FISHIN! 6/26-9/2/19

**Read and Sign the CSS Purchase Order Membership Terms**

## Terms

By purchasing a Community Supported Seafood, CSS, membership you agree to: 1) become a member of Otolith LLP's CSS program accepting your annual seasonal seafood purchased by Otolith LLP as compensation for your Membership Purchase Order Agreement for a term of no more than one year, 2) accept the shared risk of allowing Otolith LLP to contribute a portion of all CSS funds to the upfront costs of any CSS harvester's limited access fishery permit or quota, gear, transportation, fish storage, fish handling, and/or any cost except fuel prior to your annual CSS distribution, 3) accept responsibility for keeping your fish frozen after each CSS delivery, and 4) indemnify Otolith LLP or its affiliates of any responsibility to repay your CSS investment in the event of any loss essential to the successful harvest, transport or distribution of the CSS including but not limited to the loss of vessel, crew member, gear or loss of fish quality through any means after or during its harvest or purchase rendering it unsuitable for consumption or sale.

Otolith may provide information regarding your harvester including live webcast after the harvest begins and online streaming video of your actual CSS harvest throughout the open fishing season. Otolith may provide area of harvest information upon request provided it is within the ability of Otolith LLP to fulfill and does not jeopardize the proprietary and local knowledge of the CSS harvester. Otolith will provide online updates and links for information pertaining to fishery management protocol, fishery gear type, thawing, handling and cooking of your highest quality available wild fish at [www.otolithsustainableseafood.com](http://www.otolithsustainableseafood.com). Your CSS wild fish or shellfish will be sourced from a low environmental impact sustainable harvesters in Southeast Alaska or Gulf of Alaska, and may be purchased directly from the CSS harvester(s) or licensed processor(s). Otolith may provide the CSS harvesters' vessel name in a confidential email to you identified as follows: F/V [fishing/vessel] "Name of Vessel". Further vessel information may be available online at [www.otolithonline.blogspot.com/](http://www.otolithonline.blogspot.com/).

## Quality Assurance

Otolith guarantees your CSS fish or shellfish to be harvested within each of that same year's annual fishery. Your CSS fish will arrive in average weight 1 pound or less blast-frozen packs providing the highest quality sustainably harvested U. S. fish or shellfish on the market. Your CSS crab will arrive in 2-3 pound packages containing Individually Quick Frozen half-crab clusters that have been partially cooked both to stabilize and maintain their quality during shipping and prevent over cooking during the final cooking process. Otolith's premium fish and shellfish once thawed and stored between 34-40 degrees F may maintain its quality for up to 3 days and can be cooked and eaten up to 7 days after it has been thawed. Otolith's fish is sushi-grade and may be eaten raw up to 6 hours only after it has been thawed using Otolith's Quick Thaw© method and provided it has been kept dry and stored between 34-40 degrees F using refrigeration to control the temperature of your sushi grade fish. Fish and shellfish thawed under refrigeration for durations in excess of 6 hours or improperly held at temperatures above 40 degrees will not be suitable to consume raw or for use as ceviche, pickling and/or brining. It is the responsibility of each member to learn and use Otolith's Quick Thaw© method before serving Otolith's fish as sushi or other raw service food. \_\_\_\_\_ [Initial here] **Otolith recommends that you put your CSS directly into a freezer after it has been picked/up, and cook all frozen crab without thawing.**

## Delivery

CSS delivery is available to your home, business or (as listed on form page 1) available farm market. Members must phone or email all delivery requests. Weekend deliveries must be requested by Thursday at 5pm prior to the delivery date requested. Each CSS provides a specific number of FREE deliveries. You will receive no less than 10 lbs per delivery; and all delivery expenses up to the agreed number of FREE deliveries are included in your CSS purchase price. Additional deliveries will cost \$10 per delivery and are payable upon receipt. CSS can be delivered all at once or 7.5-10 lbs. per delivery [subject to scheduling availability].

## Objective

The preferred abundant species sourced through this CSS shall be wild Alaskan seasonal hook and line harvested fish and pot/trap gear harvested shellfish. Otolith's goal is to assist the sustainable commercial harvester with upfront costs of participating in specific sustainable limited entry fisheries governed by International Pacific Halibut Commission, Regional North Pacific Management Council and/or the Alaska Dept. of Fish and Game and to contribute responsibly toward the costs of effective fishery management while improving access to the best domestic sustainable fish for the benefit of the market Otolith serves. Otolith guarantees that your CSS will not be harvested by trawlers and will be the result of a low environmental impact harvest.

## Limitations

Otolith assumes responsibility for the purchase, process, and transportation of your share to your designated delivery location excepting for any unforeseeable loss of the CSS fish as a result of circumstances beyond our control as stated above. You are guaranteed only up to your purchased portion of all fish on behalf of any CSS program's membership up to the aggregate weight specified in pounds on this Purchase Order for each season average weight 1 lb. or less portion fillets upon payment received in full before the harvest or transport of the CSS fish or shellfish. Owing to the experience of Otolith's General Partner, Amanda Bossard, combined commercial fishing experience of more than 10 years and direct market sales established in 2001, it is estimated and not guaranteed that CSS Program(s) annually provide up to the total pounds specified on the CSS Enrollment Form for each CSS membership you purchase. Otolith reserves the right to purchase from multiple harvesters and/or processors for seasonal harvested fish to meet CSS enrollment weight. In the event that the harvest of available exvessel fish does not fulfill the presold CSS weight according to the combined Purchase Orders then either 1.) Each CSS member will receive only a portion of their purchased weight up to and until either more fish of the same species may be harvested and purchased on their behalf or 2.) The CSS program shall close after no more than two years from the Purchase Order's date and refunds shall be issued by check for the CSS value of the undelivered weight of fish.

## Closing Date

Otolith will close each CSS upon its harvest or full participation. Otolith will sell up to 250 memberships of each CSS Harvest Program between the period beginning 1/26/18 and ending on or before 12/30/18. All members are to expect CSS distribution to begin during the first two weeks immediately following the arrival of the CSS fish into Philadelphia. The arrival will be announced to each member as an "Arrival Notification" via email, posted on <http://www.otolithonline.com/css-2/>, and posted via Otolith's accounts with Facebook and Twitter.

## Refunds/Cancellation

Otolith reserves the right to cancel AND refund your money if the market value of the species defined does not support the CSS Program details or for insufficient CSS funds due to limited member participation. Otolith guarantees the refund of your CSS payment in the event Otolith cancels the CSS due to limited participation. In the interest of Otolith LLP and other membership interests, with respect to the limited time offer of CSS, requests for refunds will be honored up to one month prior to the "ETA" harvest date. If you are dissatisfied with the quality of your CSS, Otolith's CSS Manager will review your complaint in which case refunds will be subject to approval. A \$30 administrative fee applies to all refund requests. Refunds may take up to two weeks to receive, and all refunds will be issued in the form of a check from Otolith LLC. **To enroll: Print and mail this completed and signed Membership Agreement along with your check to Community Supported Seafood, P.O. Box 15230; Philadelphia, PA 19125.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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**Community Supported Seafood, P.O. Box 15230; Philadelphia, PA 19125. Office: 215-426-4266 or [css@otolithonline.com](mailto:css@otolithonline.com).**

**Amanda Bossard, CSS Program Manager's cell: 215-531-0922.**