The future of agriculture is growing at Chumash Farms

Chumash Farms grows food in modern greenhouses using native knowledge and new techniques to produce the best, natural edible plants in the world. Your purchase of goods from Chumash Farms supports the efforts of the Northern Chumash Tribal Council (NCTC) to expand its research, development and education of modern farming – trying to advance American agriculture into the 21st century with the ambition of feeding the growing world nutritious food. So, thank you for supporting your local Native Americans – the Chumash! We truly appreciate the San Luis Obispo community and all the individuals and companies who promote our goals.

The ambitious goals of the Northern Chumash

The NCTC, a non-profit, Native American organization, is not associated with the Santa Ynez Band or any Chumash who rely on casino earnings. Instead, the NCTC seeks to build a self-sufficient community based on agriculture, preserving our environment, and educating people about nature, native culture, and farming. The NCTC goals include: reclaiming and preserving land, for learning-parks, educational centers, and shared space to benefit the environment and communities; to work with universities and government advancing California’s largest industry – agriculture – into the 21st century with modern farming; and finally, to support community developments that promote environmentally friendly & culture nurturing ventures. Together with you, we aspire to make long-lasting improvements.

A very, very long history of native & natural farming

Everything grown at Chumash Farms is all natural and grown by Native Americans. Director of Operations, Fred Collins, a Native American Chumash, grew up on a farm in See Canyon where his family raised apples and other produce for over 100 years. Fred’s ancestors go back in history around San Luis Obispo thousands and thousands of years. Chumash Farms uses ancient knowledge with modern techniques to grow natural plants using 1/20th the water and less than 1/10th the area of traditional agriculture. This soil-less, sealed environment uses no pesticides or herbicides and only the highest quality, organic nutrients with deep-well water to grow natural lettuce, herbs, fruits and vegetables that are daily blessed in Chumash ceremony.

Support of our goals is greatly appreciated

Chumash Farms is more than good, natural foods. The benefits and demand of modern farming will grow more important in the near future, as will the value of preserving our land and history. Very soon more people will think about what they eat – where and how their food is grown. We desire to educate the public about the benefits of locally grown, natural, fresh foods – and to supply communities with best-in-class produce. The future of farming is growing here in central California at Chumash Farms. We encourage your participation and support in our goals. Thank you!