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Fresh Produce Update

Week commencing 02 /06 /2025

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Fruit Of The Week

Campach !



Heritage Tomato: UK grown. amazing taste & adds vibrant colour to dishes

Veg Of The Week



Pak Choi: UK grown. Traditionally used in stir-fries but also great in coleslaw

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	14949 14961 75085 75534	Iceberg Lettuce	UK Crop. Early hot weather has caused some internal defects.	Some internal browning to leaf tips (tip burn) seen in iceberg lettuce. Processors increasing grading	Growers have tried to avoid affected areas of fields for whole head
	74942 12433 75293	Blueberries & Raspberries	Seasonal shoulder. End of Moroccan/ Spanish Crop	Reduced life will improve as we move to Portuguese origin	UK Raspberry & Eastern European Blueberry up to full supply within next 2-3 weeks
= (98628 75331 84901	Hydro- Cooled Carrots	End of UK carrot crop. Humid conditions challenging quality	Seeing an increase in defects and reduced life - keep refrigerated & use quickly	Moving to imported crop within next couple of weeks
	23273 83854 49567 14766	Ready to Eat Avocado	Mixed origins S. Africa, Brazil & Peru	Internal cut testing has been good Consistent pressure readings	Information only
/////	98462 98403	Asparagus	Imported crop	Quality is good	Code: 99875 UK origin now

Shipping:

No issues reported

Seasonal Changes:

UK Asparagus has finished early this year due to early hot dry weather. UK carrot is at the end of season with the last of the Scottish crop with imports due mid June to tide us over to the new English harvest. UK Strawberries and fancy leaf continue to be very good. Last full week of imported Broccoli, this should be full UK by WC 9th June. Due to the recent hot weather followed by rain, UK growers are reporting an increase in weeds, insects, plant material & soil in crops so please be extra vigilant when washing both babyleaf and whole head lettuces to remove any field debris

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