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**Kilmarnock Farmers' Markets Opens 2010 Season May 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Kilmarnock, VA - May 17, 2010** - Kilmarnock Farmers' Market opens its 2010 season Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>. The Kilmarnock market operates the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month, rain or shine, from May 22 through October 23, 9 am to 1 pm, and is located on the corner of Main Street and Town Center Drive. Parking is readily available. This first event will have the theme of "Carrots and Corvettes".

"We will have a good selection of vendors at the first market of the season with the number growing as the season progresses," said Carrie Barrack, the farmers' market Chair person. "Customers can expect to find farm fresh produce, baked goods, plants, and crafts, not to mention the Corvette Car Show."

The June 26<sup>th</sup> event will be the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Wine Festival featuring four Northern Neck Wineries; Athena Vineyards, Belle Mount Vineyards, Oakcrest Vineyards and Vault Vineyards. Hours will be extended for the wine tasting until 5 pm. Tickets for the tasting are \$5 in advance - \$7 at the gate and include a souvenir glass.

As part of the Lancaster by the Bay Chamber, there will be an information tent at the farmers' market to also help promote local businesses and upcoming events throughout the county.