# SCARBOROUGH SHEARLING

A COMMUNITY SUPPORTED AGRICULTURE PARTNERSHIP

## Half-Share Membership Agreement

As a member of the Scarborough Shearling CSA, I will receive four months' supply of shearling meat, derived from half a sheep, butchered and vacuum packed, and weighing approximately 10 kilos in total.

## The shearling meat will meet the following criteria

It will be:

- from a sheep born within the North York Moors National Park
- from a sheep of the Swaledale (or Scots) breed, of a hefted flock, kept by a member of the Shearling Pilot Group.
- from a sheep of between 17 and 24 months of age.
- from a sheep that has spent at least half its life on the heather, with no less than six months of moorland grazing, during the year of slaughter.
- from a sheep that has been led as directly as possible from heather to slaughter.
- from a carcass hung in controlled conditions for no less than two weeks.
- logo-stamped and labelled 'North York Moors Shearling'

## Collecting the meat

- The meat must be collected from Le Chat Noir, 10 Eastborough, Scarborough, YO11 1NW, on the last Tuesday of each month (February to May), between 5.00pm and 6.00pm (unless an alternative time has been arranged in advance). The meat can only be collected by the member or their representative. If the member fails to collect the meat, it will be kept at Le Chat Noir. The member must contact the Scarborough Shearling CSA treasurer to arrange a suitable time to collect the meat the following day. Any meat not collected is forfeit.
- A newsletter with recipe suggestions and news about the participating farms will also be distributed.

## __ I wish to join the Scarborough Shearling CSA Partnership

I accept that I cannot cancel my subscription during the four month season. However, I am able to transfer it to someone else at any time.

Name:

Address:

Telephone: Email:

__ I enclose a cheque for £75 made payable to Shearling CSA *or*

__ I would like to pay monthly by Standing Order, £18.75 a month

Please see separate sheet for Standing Order details

Signed: _____ Date:_____

Please return to

Scarborough Shearling CSA, c/o 7 Palace Hill, Scarborough, YO11 1NL

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