



Muirhead Canning Newsletter

Pick-Up Starts Oct. 15th
Fall Delivery Starts Oct. 21st

Greetings from Muirhead Canning

I have spent the winter and spring months building a ripening room, recovering from breaking ribs, while building a ripening room, and the regular cannery winter maintenance. My ribs are feeling much better just in time for the busy summer canning season.

Some of this off-season has been spent writing cannery stories and updates to share with our customer email subscribers. I enjoy being able to put a few thoughts down to keep our customers informed. A good number of people write back to say they enjoy my stories and learning more about the magic of getting really delicious canned fruit to their doorstep. In the past you had to place an order with us before getting included in our email list to be able to read about the adventures of running a historic Northwest fruit cannery.

Due to the miracles of modern technology, you may now easily sign up for our email list by sending an email to info@muirheadcanning.com and saying: **"Please add me to your email list."**

All past stories are also available on our website at: www.muirheadcanning.com/muirhead-canning-blog

I hope to share a few adventures and hopefully arrive at your door with your preserved fruit this Fall.

Have a great Summer!
Russell Loughmiller, Owner & Operator,
 Muirhead Canning Co.



Rita, Anna, Rhett, Russell & Jenny Loughmiller. Not pictured: Grant.

Order & Pay By **July 15th For Discounted Prices** **on All Products!**

In keeping with our annual tradition, we will be rewarding our loyal customers with a **DISCOUNT** when they pay for their order by **Monday, July 15, 2024**. Thank you for supporting our small cannery.

MUIRHEAD CANNING CO.

Now Accepting Orders for Upcoming Season
Mail, Phone or Email Orders!

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*So long to The
Best-Ever Printing Rep:*
**Patrick
Quigley**



This past Fall I received a phone call from Don at Brown Printing (the company who printed this mailer) telling me his sales rep., Patrick Quigley, had died. I was stunned. Hadn't I just seen Patrick the week before, healthy and loving life at 75 years of age?

A couple of years after I purchased the cannery Patrick Quigley called me about printing the cannery's fruit labels and I shot him down. He was confident that he could get me good pricing and great service on printing labels in Portland. His service might have been good, but I thought his pricing was in the wrong zip code and I told him so.

A couple of years later, Patrick stopped by to let me know that he had better pricing, but I had a different label problem. Now, I didn't have a price problem, but a keeping my labels adhered to the cans problem. Patrick took about 5 seconds to determine the problem and then a minute to explain it. My labels had clear coat on the label (used to protect the ink and make the label glossy) all of the way to the end of the label. The printing and clear coat should have ended 1/4" from the end allowing the label glue to adhere to the paper stock. I ordered labels from Patrick that year and every year since. The labels stayed on the cans, looked great and his service was impeccable as promised.

One year, in the middle of July, Patrick told me it was his birthday and asked me to guess his age. I didn't just fall off of the turnip truck so I aimed low. "55 years old" I said, figuring that he was really about 60. Imagine my surprise when he told me that he was turning 70! Patrick was not one to keep a secret and he told me about a book that had changed his physical health. He told me that not only did he ski in the winter and wind surf in the summer but when he was working he would take breaks to knock out 25 push-ups multiple times a day.

I purchased a copy of this book and realized that I had some work to do. I started off with a push-up challenge and have adapted from there. Now when I pick up 10 gallons of fruit waste to dump in the wheelbarrow (lift with your legs and bend at the knees!!) I thank Patrick for getting me on the path to a stronger body.

Patrick wasn't earning a sales commission on that book but he was solving a problem for me because he cared. Patrick was a great salesman because he cared and I believe that was his recipe for life, caring about people and helping them solve problems. Patrick died last Fall in a windsurfing accident at the age of 75, he was still working and playing full time. He is missed by all who had the pleasure to know and work with him!

P.S. the book is "Younger Next Year" by Chris Crowley.

**Tell Us What You Like
About Our Company**

We really are in the business of serving our valued clients with our line of preserved fruit products and, hopefully, with our service. We love to hear what keeps you coming back for more, please write us a note on the back of your order form or email us at:

info@muirheadcanning.com

Thank you and we appreciate your time and your support!

2024 Pricing & Discounts

**SAVE BIG by Ordering & Paying
By Monday, July 15th!**

- **10% OFF 7+ Boxes or more.**
- **20% OFF 28+ Boxes or more.**
When you **order 28+ boxes**, you will receive **20% Off Your Order**. Plus, **if you live in our Muirhead Truck Delivery Area in Oregon, Washington and Western Idaho** you will automatically receive **FREE FALL DELIVERY!** [See Muirhead Truck Delivery Area Map On Page 3.](#)
- **FREE Delivery on 14 Boxes or more.**
Order 14-or more boxes and you will receive **10% Off Your Order** and we will **Deliver Your Order For FREE** to your door during our Muirhead Truck scheduled delivery dates **if you live in Oregon, Washington and Western Idaho.**
NOTE: If you live in our delivery area and **order less than 14 boxes** the delivery cost via our Muirhead Truck is: **\$11 per box with a minimum 3 box order.** [See Map On Page 3](#)
- **SAVE by Combining Friends' & Families' Orders**
Feel free to combine orders with friends, family and neighbors to **submit one big order- over 14 boxes for FREE Muirhead Truck Delivery-See Map On Page 3** so you can share the discounted offers written in above paragraphs.
- **Thank You** to everyone who participates in our annual **Early Order and Payment Offer** as this helps us run efficiently while covering our cannery's costs during our most expensive part of the year.



Thank you! We truly appreciate your support of one of the last small family-owned canneries in the USA!



**Preserving Northwest Fruit in
The Dalles, Oregon Since 1946**



2024 Fall Muirhead Delivery Truck Schedule

Watch Your Email for Weather Related Schedule Updates

- 1 Oct 21-26..... S Idaho, E Oregon
- 2 Oct 28-Nov 2 E Washington & N Idaho
- 3 Nov 4-9..... Central & NW Washington
- 4 Nov 11-16 Seattle Area & SW Washington
- 5 Nov 18-Nov 23 .. Oregon Coast & SW Oregon
- 6 Dec 2-7 Willamette Valley
- 7 Dec 9-14 Portland Area & Columbia Gorge

*Schedule is subject to weather conditions- check your email for updates.



Be Informed of Delivery Schedule Updates, Cannery News,
Special Offers, New Products, Contests & More ...

Sign up to receive our emails. We protect your privacy and don't share or sell our lists.
Request to be included by emailing us at: info@muirheadcanning.com



**Hood-Crest's
100% Pure
Wisconsin,
Grade "A" Amber
Maple
Syrup**



We believe that our delicious **single-sourced, tapped in the USA Maple Syrup** is the best available and you will too when you taste this supreme syrup! **No brag . . . just fact!**

**Our Quality is The Best &
Our Prices are Great!**

Save \$1.00 Per Bottle When You Buy a Box

32 oz Bottle = \$25 each or Box of 12 = \$288

Order a Box to Share With Family and Friends as This Maple Syrup Makes Great Birthday and Holiday Gifts!

See Pages 6 & 7 For Discounted Pricing Offers.

Canned Fruit Gift Pack

Our delicious Canned Fruit Gift Pack is always a wonderful gift for anyone at anytime of the year and a great way to sample our fruit.

Choose Your Canned Fruit Selection:

Cannery's Choice of Assorted Six 28oz Cans ... **\$46** per box

Your Choice of Fruit for Six 28oz Cans..... **\$48** per box

Gift Pack Ship For Only\$18 each

Shipping and Handling anywhere in the contiguous US.



See Pages
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**DISCOUNTED
PRICING
Offers!**



Our Gift Pack Makes Holiday Shopping & Shipping Easy!

ORDER NOW FOR CHRISTMAS 2024!

Your Information: *Please Print Clearly*

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: (_____ - _____) _____

Email: _____

Total Assorted Gift Packs Ordered _____ @**\$46** ea = \$ _____

Total Your Choice Gift Packs Ordered _____ @**\$48** ea = \$ _____

TOTAL Gift Packs to Ship _____ @**\$18** ea = \$ _____

TOTAL Gift Packs & Shipping _____ \$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD *Please Print Clearly*

PREFERRED: CHECK Enclosed \$ _____

Credit Card: Visa _____ MasterCard _____ Discover _____ AMEX _____

Card No.: _____ EXP: _____

Credit card payments will be made in full at the time we receive your order.

Full Payment requested when ordered for Gift Packs as all are shipped Pre-Paid UPS or USPS in the USA.

Name on Card: _____

Signature: _____ CVV# _____

FILL OUT ONE FORM BELOW FOR EACH GIFT PACK TO BE SHIPPED

Shipped via UPS or USPS in the USA • **Add \$18 Shipping Per Gift Pack**

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Christmas Ship _____ Other Ship Date _____

Sign Card: _____

Canned Fruit Syrup Wanted: _____ Light _____ Heavy _____ Water

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Christmas Ship _____ Other Ship Date _____

Sign Card: _____

Canned Fruit Syrup Wanted: _____ Light _____ Heavy _____ Water

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Christmas Ship _____ Other Ship Date _____

Sign Card: _____

Canned Fruit Syrup Wanted: _____ Light _____ Heavy _____ Water

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Christmas Ship _____ Other Ship Date _____

Sign Card: _____

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Ordering is as Easy as A B C

A Choose Your Fruit, Then Choose The Type of Liquid It's Packed In

Our delectable canned fruit comes from the heart of the Northwest fruit growing country. We use only the ripest, mouth-watering fruit so it's fresh-picked flavor is preserved no matter which liquid you select for it to be packed in. We use only the most delicious Non-GMO fruit.

Once you have decided on your canned fruit choice, you need to choose what kind of liquid you want it packed in. Here are the descriptions of our different syrups.

LIGHT SYRUP offers a hint of sweetness for your discriminating taste. We use real cane sugar, not corn sweetener, in both our sweetened syrups. We never use any artificial preservatives in any of our fruit products.

HEAVY SYRUP contains more sugar and blends well into many of your favorite recipes.

WATER PACK is especially good for sugar-free diets. It allows the full natural flavors of the fruit to come through. You may also add your own sugar-free sweeteners if you desire more sweetness without the added calories.

B Choose How Much to Order

Be sure to order an amount that you will be able to use in 3 years or less as that is when canned fruits are at their peak flavor.

Note: A cool storage area will prolong the shelf-life of canned goods.

Want to be informed of Special Offers, New Products, Contests, Delivery Schedule Updates & More?

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C Choose How You Will Receive Your Order - 3 Choices!

There are three great options for receiving your order. Please choose one on your order form on the following page.

#1 Pick-Up Oct. 14- Dec. 23, 2024

If you live close to The Dalles, Oregon or will be in the area in October through December, you may pick-up your order at the cannery. Just check that box on the order form.

We also have limited inventory throughout the year. Please call ahead to check availability and schedule a pick-up.

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Directions to Muirhead Canning Co. from 1-84

The cannery is about 10 minutes from the freeway.

East-Bound I-84

Take Exit #83

At stop sign turn left.

Turn right at light onto Webber St.

West-Bound I-84

Take Exit #84

Take off-ramp and merge onto W. 2nd St. Turn left at light onto Webber St.

Both Directions: From Webber St., go to Stop Sign at 10th St. Turn left on 10th to second Stop Sign. Turn right on Mt. Hood St. which becomes Mill Creek Road.

Travel 3 miles on Mill Creek and Muirhead Cannery will be on the right hand side. We look forward to seeing you!

#2 Fall Delivery Via Our Truck

Oct. 21 - Dec. 14, 2024

If you live in **Oregon, Washington or Western Idaho**, your Hood- Crest fruit order, a minimum of 3 boxes, can be delivered directly to your home or business. Our delivery service will deliver your order **Oct. 21th through Dec. 14th**. Please see chart on page 3 for delivery schedule. **Orders of less than 3 boxes will be shipped via UPS.**

Delivery Cost Per Box \$11 each, 3 box minimum
Orders of 14 or More Boxes FREE SHIPPING!*

***If you live in our Muirhead Truck Delivery Areas in Oregon, Washington and W. Idaho- [see map on page 3.](#)**

#3 Shipping via UPS/USPS

If you live outside our delivery area or want to place an order during different times of the year, we will ship your order for you. Due to UPS' complicated pricing structure we cannot provide an accurate shipping cost without a zip code. **The total shipping cost will also be in your order confirmation letter.** Here is a rough estimate of shipping 1 box of canned fruit:

West Coast: \$22 - 32 East Coast: \$35 - 58

Please call us at **541-298-1660** for accurate shipping rates!

Pre-July 15th, 2024 Order Form

MUIRHEAD CANNING CO.

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PHONE ORDERS: **541-298-1660**

MAIL ORDERS/PICK-UP: 5267 Mill Creek Road, The Dalles, OR 97058

Same Prices as Last Year!

EMAIL ORDERS: info@muirheadcanning.com PLEASE CHECK IF: NEW CUSTOMER Existing Customer with NEW ADDRESS

NOTE: Muirhead Cannery will send you a confirmation of your order including shipping charges if we are shipping to you. Please immediately check your invoice against the order you receive.

BILLING ADDRESS Please Print Clearly Check if NEW ADDRESS

Name: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____
 State: _____ ZIP: _____ Phone: (____) _____
 Email: _____ Check if NEW EMAIL

SHIPPING/DELIVERY ADDRESS If Different Than Billing

Name: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____
 State: _____ ZIP: _____ Phone: (____) _____
 Message on Gift Card (Optional): _____

SHIPPING CHOICE **CHECK ONE** UPS

Here's a rough cost estimate of 1 box of canned fruit shipped via UPS:


West Coast: \$22-\$32 East Coast: \$35-\$58

Call us at 541-298-1660 for accurate shipping rates! Pick-Up at Cannery NW Muirhead Truck Delivery: 3 Box Min. at \$11 per box, **14+ Boxes = FREE Delivery!**

PAYMENT METHOD Please Print PREFERRED: CHECK ENCLOSED: \$ _____ Credit Card Payments will be made in full when your order is received.

Credit Card: Visa ___ MC ___ Discover ___ AMEX ___ Card #: _____ EXP: _____ CVV# _____

Orders of **28+ Boxes** Get **20% Off Entire Order!** **FREE Truck Delivery on 14+ Boxes!** Orders of **7+ Boxes** Get **10% Off Entire Order!**

		EARLY PRICE ORDER & PAY Before July 15	Additional 10% Off ORDER 7+ Boxes & PAY Before July 15	Additional 20% Off ORDER 28+ Boxes & PAY Before July 15	Light Syrup QTY	Heavy Syrup QTY	Water Pack QTY	TOTAL Cost of Products	Delivery Charge	TOTAL COST Product & Delivery
CANNED FRUIT 12 PER BOX										
Light Sweet unpitted CHERRIES	28oz cans	\$68	\$61.20	\$54.40						
Dark Sweet unpitted CHERRIES	28oz cans	\$68	\$61.20	\$54.40						
APRICOTS	28oz cans	\$68	\$61.20	\$54.40						
Halves unpeeled	15oz cans	\$52	\$46.80	\$41.60		NA	NA			
Bartlett- Halves	28oz cans	\$68	\$61.20	\$54.40						
PEARS	15oz cans	\$52	\$46.80	\$41.60		NA				
Purple PLUMS - unpeeled	28oz cans	\$68	\$61.20	\$54.40						
Elberta- Halves	28oz cans	\$77	\$69.30	\$61.60						
PEACHES										
Elberta- Slices	28oz cans	\$79	\$71.10	\$63.20						
PEACHES	15oz cans	\$59	\$53.10	\$47.20		NA				
GIFT PACKS Box-6 Assorted	28oz cans	\$44	\$39.60	\$35.20	QUANTITY					
APPLE SAUCE CANS & JARS- 12 PER BOX										
A- CHUNKY with Maple Syrup & Cinnamon	28oz cans 16oz jars	\$68 \$53	\$61.20 \$47.70	\$54.40 \$42.40						
B- SMOOTH with Maple Syrup	16oz jars	\$53	\$47.70	\$42.40						
C- SMOOTH Unsweetened	16oz jars	\$53	\$47.70	\$42.40						
D- SMOOTH with Cinnamon	16oz jars	\$53	\$47.70	\$42.40						
APPLE BUTTER 9oz JARS-12 PER BOX										
A- Just Apples- Nothing Else!		\$53	\$47.70	\$42.40						
B- Sugar & Spice- Brown Cane Sugar & Spices		\$53	\$47.70	\$42.40						
DICED TOMATOES 16 oz Jars- 12 PER BOX		\$53	\$47.70	\$42.40						
MAPLE SYRUP Single Bottle		\$24	\$21.60	\$19.20						
32oz bottles Box -12		\$276	\$248.40	\$220.80						

Thank You for Your Order!

TOTAL of All Products & Delivery \$

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