Bluebird Garden Entry and Situational Entry Display Area

Event Center Patio, Outdoor Kitchen, and Apple Orchard Trail

Event Center Gathering Area with Shelter Belt Backdrop

Bluebird Gardens Addition
The addition provides opportunities for people to visit the farm to pick up produce, learn about the inner workings of the farm, and about how food is grown locally. This addition can also provide the opportunity for the surrounding community to have access to live healthy lifestyles through activities in the garden. The event center and patio provide a space for large events or barbecues.

The educational center allows for the opportunity to take field trips from nearby schools. The children of any age can benefit from the educational experience within this site as well as adults who are interested in learning more about agriculture and local produce.

Whether it is a casual day on the farm or a structured activity, the Bluebird Garden Addition provides the visitors with hours of learning and activities and reason to come back another day!

The addition to Bluebird Gardens also provides the farmer with more opportunities to meet and interact with those who participate in the CSA activities. It also moves the bulk of the public activity into the "public zone." Whereas, this activity used to take place in and near their private home, the Welcome Center can now be the center of activity.
Bluebird Gardens
Bringing people together through the awareness and education of local agriculture.

Bluebird Gardens is a Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) farm near Fergus Falls, Minnesota dedicated to supplying local residents with fresh locally grown produce. Their goal is to balance three aspects—the consumer knowing the farmer, convenience, and choice.

Design Statement
To provide multipurpose spaces that can work together in a multitude of situations.

Design Goals
- To create a destination that provides people with enough opportunities and activities that encourage them to visit more than once.
- To create a design with additional opportunities that can provide revenue to offset CSA farming costs.
- To create a site design that features elements that promote public participation, education, and awareness of local agriculture through CSAs, while providing Bluebird Gardens with additional ways to further their goals.

Situational Usage of Site Elements

- Key
- Wedding
- Pumpkin Days
- Elementary School Trip

Grey areas may not be used in given situation.

Current Working Area--Includes greenhouses, high tunnels, and warehouses

Bluebird Gardens Location
Multi-functional Gathering Room

This open space easily transitions from outdoor space back to outdoor space.

20 foot spacing between rows

Shelter Belt Rows

Raised Beds, Greenhouse, and Outdoor Kitchen

Event Center Transitions to Surrounding Landscape

Shrubs

Small Trees

Large Trees

Small and Large Trees

Large and Evergreen Trees

Evergreen