

Roots of Oxford

David Markham
Oxfordshire, UK



David Markham and his family are arable farmers based in the village of Newton Purcell. The family grows a range of crops, but has also diversified into growing fresh asparagus spears – which is great news for Roots of Oxford!

David and the family farm 2,000 acres of land and the asparagus makes up just 15 acres of that. They grow three different varieties of the crop – Backlin, Millennium and Gijnlim.

They've been farming in the area for three generations and are forward thinkers in terms of adding more arrows to their bow in order to survive traditional farming. In addition to their arable roots, they have also previously grown potatoes on their land.

Being so close to our Oxford HQ allows our team direct access to the crops throughout the year. This allows us to work closely with David to ensure that the products are the best possible quality, as well as being able to monitor the progress and let our customers know as soon as we've harvested the first spear.

We hope to be able to offer some visits to David's farm over the coming season. Please note that Markham's English asparagus is subject to availability and the great British weather!



Contact our sales team to place your orders.

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