



NEWSletter

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WEBSITE NEWSFLASH..... the new website address is www.kpaa.tk

Commitee Report

A committee meeting was held on 1st June.

Committee Members are

John Morgan Chair (56)
Olive Pemberton Treasurer (103)
Chris Norton Site Officer(6)
Margaret Turner New Members(55)
Wally Newson Shop Manager(99)
Beryl Howard Housekeeping(30)
Evey Hoyte Health and Safety(11)
Renee Ktenes (100)
Kundan Patel Ferrier Liaison(23)
John Payne Asst Site Officer(58)
John Pollard Ex. Officio (3)
Catherine Clancy Newsletter(53)
Alan Bartlett Projects(78a)

Next commitee meeting date is Sunday 27th July. If anyone has anything to raise at the meeting please pass item to committee member for inclusion

Issues

Theft is still an issue with items such as wood, sinks etc being taken from plots. It is not clear if these are being taken by a ploholder or by someone breaking into the plot. We will continue to monitor the situation.

Security. The holes in the fence will be made secure to protect against potential theft.

Gate lock. A new lock is being sorted out for the gate. Members will be notified ASAP, either in person, or via a notice in shop window.

Plot inspections Please let someone on the committee know if you are unable to come down to tend to your plot for any reason. Plots which are not being used or maintained will be re-allocated, and rent refunded. Letters are being sent to some ploholders shortly. This is due to the need to keep the plots used and tidy.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Summer BBQ
Sat 12th July**

**Food starts at 5PM
Drinks from 3PM**

Food provided

BYOB

**leave cars parked outside
the allotment**

**Friends and family
welcome**

**Special THANK YOU
TO
John Morgan for running
the allotment for years**

**Wally for always helping
everyone**

**Ryan for creating the new
website**

**Alan for cutting back over-
grown willow's**

**Say HELLO
to
New members**

Robert Dixon

**Waiting list
..... currently 33**

Take note

Next Newsletter will be emailed and copies will be in the shop.

Litter.. please take home any rubbish with you to keep the allotment litter free
Paths between plots should be 24inches wide. Don't plant close to the edge. Keep overhanging plants trimmed. If you share a plot, or have recently taken on a 1/2 plot, please put a bounary path in between plots. If in doubt speak to Chris(6)
Regulations are being added and amended over time on the new web site
Gate must be kept locked at all times.
Waiting list Plot catchment area restricted to Lewisham and Greenwich residents for all new applicants. Current waiting list stands as it is.

Shop prices will be reviewed soon due to increase in supply costs

Plot holders can visit **Yalding organic** for free as KPAA members of HDRA

News & Projects

Lighting It has been decided that wind-power rather than solar power will be used for light&shop power, as it will last longer and is more difficult to steal. Alan Bartlett is applying for lottery funding for this project. Further details will be in the next newsletter and on the web site. Other projects include a lockable notice boards, and an awnings for the hut.

Health&safety. Evey Hoyte is undertaking a health and safety risk assessment of the plot. Rules®ulations are on the web site. Please note that children on site are your responsibility.

Notice boards The shop window will be used more in the future as a notice board. Keep an eye on it to see what coming up.

WE NEED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESSES! Send an email with your name & plot no to kidbrooke.allotments@gmail.com