



Newsletter

5 October 2009

www.kpaa.org.uk

Newsletter no 29

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Allotment Skip. Friday 30th October

skip will be taken away on Friday 6th November or earlier if it is full.

Please fill with Allotment rubbish only, dont bring rubbish from home to dump into the skip.



Committee Meeting 12th September - what was discussed?

- ⇒ **Seed potato.** list is available from Wally
- ⇒ **Picnic plot.** is available as a free of charge 2 rod allotment plot to any plotholder who wants some extra space, . in return for keeping the grassed area mown every 10 days, and allowing other members to use the picnic area. Please contact Margaret Turner(55) for more details. The “wildlife area” near plot 83a is being cleared as a new 3 rod starter plot, and will be availalbe for rent shortly.
- ⇒ **Contaminated manure** Risk is low because the weedkiller has been withdrawn from sale. Read this RHS article for advice. <http://www.rhs.org.uk/news/weedkiller-manure.asp>. Please do not speak to the people who deliver the manure about any issues you may have with the manure, just talk to Wally about this.
- ⇒ **Windturbine.** Application for funding in progress. See photo of the 7M wind turbine below. It will provide power for shop and toilet lights, and a socket for charging up power tools.
- ⇒ **Waiting list.** 47. Waiting list has been re-opened. Welcome new member Harry Whitehead Plot 9b.
- ⇒ **Paths** need to be kept clear of weeds and litter. See your allotment agreement for rules on which plotholder is responsible for which area of path. Please dont plant trees close to paths.
- ⇒ **Rubbish.** Please take any rubbish home with you, dont leave it lying around the allotment
- ⇒ **Children on the allotment.** If you bring your children down to the allotment, please keep them with you at all time, and dont let them stray onto other peoples plots. This is for Health & Safety reasons.
- ⇒ **Site repairs.** Watertank leaks will be fixed shortly.
- ⇒ **Web site.** address has changed to www.kpaa.org.uk
- ⇒ **Parking.** Near the Allotment entrance after the right turn on the road to the car park there is an 'off road' spot under an ash tree where manure is often tipped. **Please do not park your car there as there is a water main under this.**



Committee Members

Chris Norton Chair(6) 0208 8582047
Olive Pemberton Treasurer (103)
Margaret Turner New Members(55)
Wally Newson Shop(99) 0208 8560423
Beryl Howard Housekeeping(30)
Evey Hoyte Health and Safety(11)
Alan Bartlett Site Officer/Projects (78a)
Catherine Clancy Newsletter(53)
Kundan Patel Ferrier Liaison(23)
John Payne Site Officer(58)
Renee Ktenes (100)

Next meeting:Sun 12th Sept 2009.

