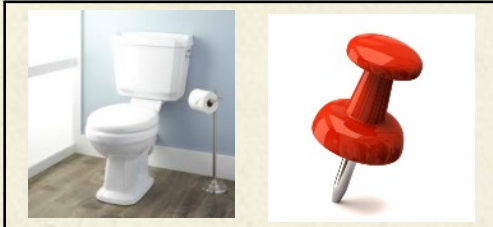


Exercise your Brain Cells

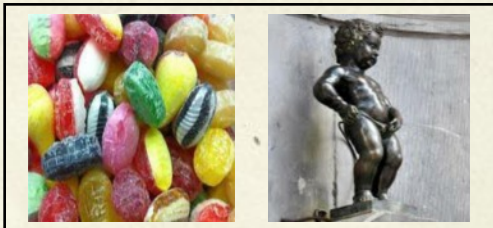
Picture Clues

Use the picture clues to find the names of well known garden plants

1



2



3



4



ANAGRAMS -ALL GARDEN RELATED ANSWERS

Teapot Dose	
Awe Sheep	
Gee Hose Run	
Bra Where Owl	
Warn Me Low	



In The Shed

L	A	W	N	F	U	R	N	I	T	U	R	E	L	M
S	M	S	B	E	P	R	O	E	I	S	K	S	O	O
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A	Y	W	A	O	N	W	R	A	K	E	P	Y	P	R
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N	R	A	L	V	C	O	P	R	L	O	O	I	E	R
E	M	D	B	E	E	T	S	R	U	C	F	T	S	T
B	O	F	D	R	F	T	L	E	F	I	E	K	S	S

BICYCLE	OFFCUTS	SPADE
COMPOST	PAINT	STRIMMER
DECKCHAIR	PLANE	TABLE
FELT	PLAYHOUSE	TOOLBOX
KITE	POTS	TOYS
LAWN FURNITURE	RAKE	WOOD PRESERVER
MOWER	SAW	

Word Ladder

Complete the word ladder by changing the first word into the last. You can change only one letter per step and you cannot rearrange the letters each step must be a real English word

ANSWERS	BIRD
Crocus	
Lupin, Sweetpea, Marsh Marigold, Picture Clues	
house, Wheelbarrow, Lawnmower	
Seed Potato, Sweet pea, Green-Anagrams	
bird, bind, bend, bent, best, nest Word Ladder	NEST



DIGGING IN

Newton Park Horticultural Society

www.newtonparkhs.co.uk

Summer 2017

Trading shed
Open
10.30 - 12.00
every Sunday.

Chairman's Report

Surprises and extreme events seem to be happening this Summer. As gardeners and growers, I'm sure we would all vote for less extreme temperature changes and consistent rainfall. Hopefully, you are all coping with whatever comes along and there will be plenty of produce for you to share with us at our Show.

No surprises at April's AGM, except perhaps about the start time! But apart from that initial confusion the usual crew are voted back in. We do however need new volunteers to eventually replace us all if the Society is to thrive long term. So don't take your Society for granted!

The best place to keep up to date with news, events bargains etc is at our Trading Shed. We want you to bring along your own ideas and nominations for charity donations. More than anything – join in and support your Society's events, especially our Show on 2nd September.

John Salter

Society Website

www.newtonparkhs.co.uk

Visit the society website for the latest news, sowing guides, growing guides and jobs for the month

Downloads include:
Show schedule
HiL guide to showing
Show Poster
Current Newsletter



NEWTON PARK
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

**AUTUMN
SHOW**

Sat. 2nd Sept.
Opens 2:30pm

Roxeth Community Church
(Corner of Coles Crescent
and Welbeck Road)

Admission **FREE**
Refreshments
Produce
Spring bulbs
Honey & Jams

**GIBBS
GILLESPIE**

Secretary's Report

2017 SHOWS:

SHOW SCHEDULES: Schedules for all Shows below are available from the Shed. Any problems do contact Chris Salter or me.

Harrow in Leaf Show at the Harrow Museum and Heritage Centre on the 28th August Bank Holiday Monday. A very successful Show last year following the Centre's rebuild. Do come along this year and see what the borough's allotmenters can do - better still enter the Show yourself. Schedules available from me or down the Shed.

OUR SHOW : Roxeth Community Church, Coles Crescent South Harrow on Saturday 2nd September.

I reiterate, this is the biggest and best individual society show in the Borough bar none and the venue is superb. And if you think this is just hype then check out other societies' shows listed on Harrow in Leaf's web site. Do go to visit them; they'll be glad to welcome new visitors whilst you will be forced into appreciating the quality and quantity of ours.

Middlesex Federation Show 10th September (Sunday) at Perivale Community Centre

The final show of the triad with which we are heavily involved and one at which both our members and the Society do well. Do come along and see how we do against other societies of the County.

HELP FOR SHOWS: We can always make use of additional help at all three Shows, whether this be setting up, helping during the Show, and/or clearing down. If you can help, please contact me or Chris Salter.

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BONFIRES BAN: May I remind all allotment holders that bonfires are banned from April to September inclusive. If you do need to query why?, just visit my plot on NP West. The culprit was a neighbouring holder who decided to light a bonfire when all was parched and dry, alongside a wooden fence and three wooden huts!

Ron Dickens Hon.Secretary

Show Report

AUTUMN SHOW – 2nd September

The big event

Christine Salter, Show Secretary. ☎ 020 8868 3254

September will soon be upon us. So make a note in your diary now for our Autumn Show. This will take place once again at Roxeth Community Church.

We really do make it very easy for everyone to have a go and enter at least one class. For those of you who aren't growers, there are classes for cookery, preserves, cake-making, handicrafts, photography and a harvest festival class. We literally have classes for everyone. It is not all about winning prizes (although there are plenty for every level of ability), but this is your chance to share your skills with us and compare notes with others. There is little achievement if there is only one entry in a class. The schedules are available at the shed or from our web site, so see what you can enter. If you have never entered before - have a go and join in.

If you are unable to enter, why not just come along at 2.30 p.m. to look around and see what our members have achieved. Bring your friends and family, it's **free entry** (but any donations are most welcome). Enjoy the exhibits, buy some spring bulbs or excess produce. There will also be tea and homemade cakes to refresh you. So do try to come along and have an enjoyable afternoon.

Over the years we have encouraged and been supported by record numbers of entries from members. This attracts more and more visitors as word gets around that our Show has become a unique and spectacular event. So come and support us again this year. **Remember, it is entries and visitors that will determine just how spectacular it will be.**

Trading Shed

At the moment the Shed is well stocked with multipurpose composts, horse manure, soil improver, mushroom composts and all sorts of John Innes compost following my record order earlier in the year. There is also a very large selection of seeds but I appreciate that it is getting a bit late to plant some of them- don't forget the new Giant Radish class in this year's Show Schedule.

As time and tide wait for no man I have already ordered Shakespeare Autumn onions which should be on sale in the shed late August or early September. I am also in the process of putting together a spring bulb order of daffodils, tulips and crocus which, hopefully, will arrive in time for our Show so come along to have your pick of the varieties brought.

Now that the seed potatoes have finished the "Bargain Shelf" is up and running. Why not buy a new watering can in advance of the BBQ summer we are going to get this year! There is also a special discount price on all Chempack soluble feeds so why not give some of them a try.

Finally I again make a plea for new people to join my loading crew as "Many hands make light work" and none of us are getting any younger also there is a growing need for more Sunday rota volunteers. If you would like to volunteer for either of these vital jobs please see either Ron or myself or leave your details with shed helpers.

Tony Racher Trading Secretary



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