

Yatton and District Horticultural Society



Spring 2021 Newsletter

Hopefully this newsletter will find you and your families well. I personally have found this latest lockdown much harder than the first one last March. We at least had good weather and were able to spend a lot of time in our gardens and allotments. Now there is not much we can do outside and the weather has not been kind to us.

Over the last year we have had to cancel practically everything. If you have kept an eye on our website you will already know that we have had to cancel the AGM in February and the Spring Show in March 2021 not to mention the earlier talks. We are keeping an open mind and planning for a Summer Show and have booked talks for September onwards - if COVID restrictions allow. Please keep an eye on our website for all the latest information.

We haven't held a face to face committee meeting since last March, although we have kept in contact online. We have, however, kept our website (www.yattonhorticulturalsociety.co.uk) up to date with all of the latest information and hope you have found it useful.

The long awaited Nick Bailey talk has been rebooked for 31st March 2022, but more news on that nearer the time. The vast majority of ticket refunds have already been made but if you are one of the very few who have not had your refund please contact us through the website or ring 01934 834889.

Plant Sale May 8th

As we are able to hold a plant sale in the open air and provided things *do* improve by springtime we will hold a society plant sale in Yatton Precinct - otherwise known as Pages Court (not sure if there should be an apostrophe or not). There is plenty of time to take cuttings and consider which vegetable and flowers seeds to sow if you would like to support this event. All money raised will go to a local charity or to support the local community in some way. We will be more specific on this nearer the time.

Yearly Subscription

You should already be aware that the committee has made the decision that there will be no subscription charge for 2021 and your membership will be automatically renewed. **New membership cards should accompany this newsletter.**

It just leaves me now to wish you on behalf of the committee a much better 2021 and hopefully we will be able to meet soon, in the meantime keep safe.

Chairman,

Stephen Thorne