

SUNNYSIDE ALLOTMENT SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

3/98

WATER SUPPLIES

Further discussion on this issue took place at the meeting of the Council's Environment Committee, which took place on Monday 8th June. There appeared to be a willingness to provide additional tanks but no commitment was given as to the number. The councillors took the view that they wished to await the results of the survey to find where the supply pipes run on both sites. To this end the council has approached Three Valleys Water, who have agreed to loan one of their detection machines to the council and to train the Town Warden in its operation.

Unfortunately this arrangement has not yet been fulfilled due to the Three Valleys Inspector being on sick leave after an accident. Hopefully it will not be too long before the survey can take place and you may see Andy Rolls our Town Warden conducting the survey

SENIOR CITIZENS DISCOUNT

All Tenants should have received a letter from the Council explaining the position. If you did not receive a letter please contact Liz Worboys at the Civic Centre, Berkhamsted, tel 01442 228945.

NEW TENANTS

We extend a warm welcome to two new tenants – Mrs Wilkes on plots 2 and 3 and Mrs Seaborne on Plot 4 on Sunnyside New.

Clearance of garden rubbish

In our last Newsletter we undertook to arrange a further opportunity for Tenants to get rid of unwanted metal, glass, plastic etc. Collection points will be established on Plot 29 on Sunnyside New, adjacent to the bottom gate and on Sunnyside Old on Plot A2 (our car park) and adjacent to the Church Car park. Please take the opportunity to tidy up our sites and deposit unwanted items on these dumps ready for collection by the end of July.

Pegs will be placed at each dumping point marked '**SAS – No Garden Rubbish**'.

UNTIDY GARDENS

The Council have now sent out letters and we ask that those tenants who received them respond. We do not wish to lose tenants but it is unfair on their neighbours to have weeds seeding on their plots.

PLOT NUMBERING

It would be appreciated if tenants would display their plot numbers on their gardens. As mentioned in the last newsletter, plot identification does help prospective tenants.

ENCOURAGING NEW TENANTS

If you know anyone who may be interested in taking on a plot, please encourage them to contact Liz Worboys, Clerk to the Town Council on 228945.

Alternatively contact any Committee member, either on their plots or by telephone. Spiros Taylor on Sunnyside New is the site representative and can be found on plots 5, 28 and 67 or by telephone on 862614.

Our thanks to Stephen Halliday for his article in the Berkhamsted Review promoting allotments.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Your Committee wish to thank those Tenants who have paid their subscriptions since our last Newsletter. If there are any further tenants who wish to pay, please let John Savage, our Treasurer have your £2.00 as soon as possible.

Alternatively you may pay any other Committee Member in cash or by cheque (payable to Sunnyside Allotment Society).

Details of the members of your Committee are as follows:-

Ted Dyer	S.S.O- A14/15/16
	Tel 872684
John Savage	S.S.O - A29
	Tel 873877
Peter Chapman	S.S.O- A34/36
	Tel 871470
Sharon Longley	S.S.O- A24
	Tel 384482
Graham Hall	S.S.N- 36/37
	Tel 873408
Fiona Duck	S.S.O- B43
	Tel 874334
Ken Harbord	S.S.O-
	C36/C37/39/41A
	Tel 865757.

Gardeners Clippings

(or Tenants notice board)

Bob Hill, (tel 864773) has a rotavator which he is prepared to, allow tenants to borrow if they are interested. Please contact Bob for details. The Society cannot accept any liability for any accident or injury due to the use of this machine.

Fiona Duck (tel 874334) has a second hand builders barrow available to any tenant who would like it. Please contact Fiona for details.

Please contact Ted Dyer if you have anything you would like to add to 'Gardeners Clippings'.

REPRESENTATIVES ON THE TOWN COUNCIL'S ENVIRON- MENT COMMITTEE

Sunnyside New:-

Spiros Taylor Tel 862614

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Peter Chapman Tel 871470

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