



Milford Gardeners' Club Newsletter

Hello everyone

Well, the start of this year has certainly thrown some challenges at us, not least conditions for gardening! A few hard frosts, wild wind and rain, (lots and lots it seems like!), snow currently forecast but in between, just when we have been about to sink into gloom, along comes a sunny morning or even a whole day. A glimpse of what is to come.

I'm hoping the same applies to the Coronavirus situation. There are beginning to be glimmers of light. I'm sure by now many of you have had a first vaccination. It feels as though we are moving forwards, albeit slowly.

I wish I could report on plans for the year ahead but it is a waiting game. At the present time we are not planning to have meetings on Zoom but I do need to try and run the AGM using Zoom. A first for me and a steep learning curve but I'm sure it will all work out ok!

Normally we would be looking for charity nominations at this stage of the year but given that no funds were raised last year I am proposing that we keep the same charities for the coming year. We chose Força which supports people undergoing day chemotherapy treatment locally, with 2 frozen meals. I personally know how much that helps after a long stressful day in hospital. Our other one was the Lymington Hospital Scanner Appeal and anything we can do to keep scans local has to be a good thing.

Lastly, I have two vacancies on the Committee as two members are having to step down for family reasons, so if anyone has thought about it in the past now is the time to step forward! Give me a ring for a chat if you are interested.

That's all for this month except to say that Clare is going to put all the information for the AGM on our website, both for those attending virtually and for those who aren't able to, or don't want, to do Zoom. In view of the current strange times we find ourselves in I have decided, after discussion with Committee, to hold the AGM **in the afternoon and not in the evening. Details of the time and date of the meeting are to the right.**

Hope to see some familiar faces and fingers crossed that it all goes smoothly!

Sue Crabb – Chair

February 2021

Annual General Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the 24th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held by Zoom **at 3.00 p.m. on Wednesday 24th February 2021.**

Please email milfordgardeners@gmail.com if are intending to attend by **22nd February** so we can ensure that we have enough members to be quorate.

A Zoom invitation and the relevant papers will be sent out nearer the time.

Documents are also be available on the club website via this link: www.milfordgardenersclub.co.uk/agm

All other meetings have been cancelled until further notice....