



# Milford Gardeners' Club Newsletter

## Hello again everyone

I'm sorry the newsletter is a bit late, but in truth I haven't got much news to tell! I would love to report that meetings are up and running again but it is looking increasingly likely that they won't be back until the spring at the earliest.

I was looking back at last year's newsletters and it's hard to believe that only a year ago, no one had even heard of Covid. We were anticipating some great speakers and looking forward to the Xmas party. Just as well we did not have a crystal ball.....!

We seem to have leapfrogged the soft transition from summer to autumn this year and it's started to feel a bit nippy in the mornings. There is a sense of slowing down in the garden and I know the prospect of the darker winter months can be daunting for many of you, myself included.

The trick is to refuse to give in to gloom and look for some small chinks of light. Plant some bulbs to come up for Xmas, have some cheerful pansies and cyclamen in a pot where you can see them, plant some more daffodils and plan a tulip display. Enjoy the lovely sunny mornings when we get them, which has been quite often this week, and look out for amazing sunsets through the coming months because it's the time of year when we get them.

I know the winter is looking a bit grim ahead with Covid but we can and will endure. We can get through this (we have no choice!) So look out for good things that make you feel happy. Try to get out and see the changing colour of the leaves. If the news depresses you, stop watching it!

The one thing that we can be sure of is the passing of the seasons, it is one of the things that makes this a lovely country to live in and we can be certain that spring will come back again.

I should have a news update for you next time about the Copse and Community meadow and also some proposals regarding 2021 subscriptions.

In the meantime, stay safe, take care and try to "travel" hopefully. Hang on in there, all things will pass.

*Sue Crabb – Chair*

## October 2020

### Monthly Meetings

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



*Spotted locally—fungi in the copse, pointed out by Jean Halliday—Judge's wig aka Shaggy inkcap*

