

APRIL 2021 NEWSLETTER

THANK
YOU

To all the people who took part in the Wildlife Watch. We will let you know the results later. If you haven't done it and have seen something spectacular, let us know.



SHOP AT DECOY Is now open on Wednesdays 10-12 am and 2-4pm. and Saturdays and Sundays 10.30-12.30. Brassica plants, onion sets, potatoes available now. Please abide by covid rules when visiting. Flowers and other plants will be available after the frosts end.

NATIONAL GARDEN SCHEME (NGS)



We will be hosting two open afternoons on Saturday June 12th and Sunday June 13th on Decoy Field (Covid permitting) for people to visit by paying a fee of £5 for adults, children free. People will not be allowed to roam around but will go on guided visits to the Wildlife area and The Orchard via the main paths. The entry fee will be divided between our allotment Association and

NGS. Every year NGS donate funds to charities both small and large. Ferai will also open his home garden as part of the visit. We are looking for volunteers to help on these days to make sure it runs smoothly, e.g., marshals for parking, to ensure people know where the tours start, where the loo is, where Ferai's house is. The shop will be open for selling plants and we will be offering teas. So, if you would like to volunteer for an hour or so let us know on info@nadcaa.co.uk, or call in at the shop, or let your field manager know. Thank you.

Thinking of Ken Hooper. Bradley Field. A plaque has been placed to remember Ken on the greenhouse that was donated by his family, in the orchard plot.



TALLEST SUNFLOWER COMPETITION. This will be judged late September. So, get those seeds sown. Prizes to be won



ALLOTMENT INSPECTIONS



Now that the growing season is starting, there will be a check on plots by field managers, usually during the second week of the month, to see whether plots are being managed as intended. We are aware that people have had problems getting to their plots because of Covid and isolation. If you have had problems and need to catch up or for any other reason are having difficulty with your plot, please let us know via info@nadcaa.co.uk, speak to your Field Manager, Membership Secretary 07837638782 or ring the Company Secretary on 07804122828.

Take Care and happy allotmenting. Meryl Basham.