

BRIAR ROAD ALLOTMENT HOLDERS ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER JUNE 2019

Dear Plot Holders,

VOLUNTEER MORNING:

On Sunday 30th June we are having another volunteer morning from 10.30am - 12.30pm. There are lots of jobs on site that need doing so the more volunteers we can get along the more we can achieve. Emptying one of the compost heaps is an urgent need, but we also need to tidy in and around the community hut. Emptying the compost heap will mean that there will also be the opportunity to help yourselves to free compost, so we hope to see you there.

HANDS MAY FAIR

Thanks to everyone that helped make stall at the HANDS May fair such a success, whether by supplying produce and goods or helping on the day. We won 1st prize for the 'Quality & Interest of Goods' and managed to raise over £1000, so a big thank you to everyone involved.

BONFIRE BAN and COMPOSTING:

As we've previously reported, the Local Authority has banned all bonfires on Allotments. All sites are still in negotiation for the disposal of un-compostable green waste but unfortunately, we have no solution yet. As the pile that was waiting to be burned is getting so big we'd really appreciate it if plot holders could compost as much as possible and take away their un-compostable green waste if they can in the meantime. There are some hints and tips on composting on our website <https://e-voice.org.uk/braha/hints-and-tips/>

AGM:

A quick reminder that our AGM will be held on **Saturday 29th June at 11am**, in the Communal Hut with refreshments served between 10.30 am. and 10.50 am. Please try to attend - we value your opinions and suggestions. Every plot holder is automatically a member of the Association.

Wishing you all a successful growing season and look forward to seeing you at the AGM and the Volunteer Morning.

Regards,

Gill Ware