

WATA COMMITTEE MEETING

BULLET POINTS

Thursday 12th March



Agenda details

I. UP FOR DISCUSSION

a. General Meetings.

- The next General Meeting will be on Monday 20th April at 7.30pm. We have a speaker from the IRDC (Integrated Research Development Centre) who will be talking about homemade compost.

b. The recycling area.

- Please do not use this area to get rid of rubbish from home. It costs the committee money to get everything except the metal removed. There are better things the money could be spent on. Take it to the tip or pay the council to remove larger items from your home but do not dump it on our site. We don't want to cancel the recycling scheme for the sake of a few fly-tippers.

c. Rotavator rental scheme.

- This is now live. Email the committee on the readingroadplots@woodley-allotments.org address for more information. We have 2 rotavators for hire and they can be rented for a half day, full day or week.

d. Community Shed update.

- We have now secured funding to renovate the community shed from The Community Lottery Fund. Several companies have been approached to do the work and the next stage is to organise some site visits.

e. Plot Viewings.

- Thanks to the hard work from tenants and committee members who have cleared vacant plots and Caroline and Debbie for organising plot viewings we have 386 plots on site with 367 currently rented by tenants.

f. Newsletter.

- Thanks to Hannah, for producing our first newsletter for a very long time. It's available to download from the website for anyone who hasn't already read it.

g. Allotment Centenary.

- Mike has an appointment at the archive office in Reading to find evidence of when exactly the allotment site turns 100. Any thoughts on how to celebrate this momentous occasion, please contact the committee.