

'The Potting Shed' November 2015 Issue No.32

Come and join us on the 5th and 12th December from 10.00am - 3.00pm for our open days.

We will have Christmas decorations, hyacinths and wreaths on sale

There will be refreshments on sale

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Our next open day is in March more details to follow.

This will be our early spring Open Day, where you can

pick up your shrubs and perennials for the new season.

Needs list

We need baskets from old flower arrangements, we can recycle them for Christmas decorations. We are always grateful for any garden plants, shrubs, perennials that you no longer want. We can split them and grow them on for the nursery sales. Also if you are pruning an interesting shrub we'd love a small quantity to propagate from. We need as many carrier bags as we can gather before the carrier bag tax comes begins in October. We are collecting plant pots particularly these sizes 3.5" 5" 2L pots and 6 packs. All pots can be put into the crates by the nursery gates. We are always looking for garden tools, woodworking and engineering tools and equipment. Small items can be put in the crate over the fence at the nursery if we are closed. Or contact us on email or phone. Now we are owners of a van we can collect large items.

<u>Jobs</u>

There are lots of tidying jobs at the nursery and we begin to get ready for spring any extra help would appreciated. There are numerous repair and maintenance jobs onsite, and we need members with DIY skills to take them on. Please do contact us.

Recipe Book

Students from York University help the nursery to develop a recipe book which compares wartime and present day recipes celebrating the fact that the nursery was a product of wartime Britain, they are on sale at a cost of £2.50 each or £3.25 posted (cheques to Poppleton Railway Nursery at the address on the front of the news letter

Annual Meeting Date 2016

The nursery company annual meeting will be held on Wednesday 5th October at 2.00pm at the nursery. Please put the date in your diary.

Nursery clothing

We have a small number of Green Polo Shirts with nursery logo priced at £10 each. We are ordering some Green Fleeces with the nursery logo at £16. Contact the Graham Collett at the nursery address if you want to order any.

