Necton Allotments Report for Necton Annual Parish Meeting

Despite several months of exceptionally wet weather the Allotments have continued to grow and have enjoyed a considerable boost to our membership with the addition of 5 new tenants since the beginning of 2016. We now have 7 full sized plots occupied, 4 half sized and 5 quarter sized. The smaller sized plots have proven particularly popular so we will continue to offer a choice of plot sizes.

We appreciate that some people may be put off taking on a previously uncultivated plot so we are in the process of preparing a few plots by spraying and rotavating. We hope that offering plots in a "ready to go" state will help to encourage prospective tenants to sign up.

While the wet weather doesn't seem to have put people off taking on new plots, it has unfortunately put a halt to some of the improvements we hoped to make over the quieter winter months. We did managed to get a new gate installed at the allotment entrance and have also installed the first of several benches but some of the bigger jobs which require fair weather have had to go on hold. Perhaps the most notable of these is the improvements to the car park which we will resume as soon as it is suitably dry.

Looking to the months ahead, we hope to get some of the jobs done which we were unable to complete over winter. We are also planning to have a stall at the Summer Fayre and will be working on trying to attract some more new tenants.

If anyone is interested in taking on a plot or would like more information, please get in touch with one of our committee.