



## An introduction to our Allotment site

We look after the interests of tenants of some 300 plus Allotment Plots, working alongside Woodley Town Council and focusing on the smooth running of the site including security, maintenance of roadways, control of vermin and many other aspects associated with the site.

We publish a monthly newsletter full of information and tips which is one of a number of ways that we communicate with allotment Tenants. We also have a website and online shop, an active Facebook group and we issue intermittent Special Bulletins covering items such a Fruit Tree and Plant Sales and keep tenants up to date with important news.

We also carry out Plot Inspections on a regular basis for Woodley Town Council as part of their monitoring of the Allotment Site. We have a very active Committee made up of volunteer fellow plot holders.

### What we grow on our Allotments

We publish regular articles in our newsletter and in our Welcome Pack which is available to download from our Website. Depending on when tenants take over there plots they can review our charts below to see the variety of produce they could try.

Sow and harvest chart ■ SOW ■ HARVEST

VEGETABLE	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	WHERE
Artichoke													Direct
Asparagus													Direct
Asparagus Pea													Direct
Aubergine													Greenhouse
Basil													Windowsill
Beetroot													Direct
Broccoli & Calabrese													Greenhouse/Direct
Broccoli (Sprouting)													Direct
Brussels Sprout													Greenhouse/Direct
Broad Bean													Direct
Cabbage (Spring)													Direct
Cabbage (Summer)													Direct
Cabbage (Winter)													Direct
Cabbage Greens													Direct
Carrot													Direct
Cauliflower													Greenhouse/Direct
Celeriac													Greenhouse
Celery													Greenhouse
Chicory													Direct
Chinese Leaves													Direct
Climbing French Bean													Greenhouse/Direct
Corn Salad													Greenhouse
Courgette													Greenhouse/Direct
Cress													Windowsill
Cucumber													Greenhouse
Dwarf French Bean													Greenhouse/Direct
Endive													Direct
Gherkin													Direct
Kale													Direct
Kohl Rabi													Direct

VEGETABLE	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	WHERE
Leek													Direct
Lettuce Winter													Direct
Lettuce													Direct
Mangetout													Direct
Marrow													Greenhouse/Direct
Melon													Greenhouse
Mustard													Windowsill
Onion													Direct
Pak Choi													Windowsill
Parsnip													Direct
Pea													Direct
Pepper													Greenhouse
Pumpkin													Greenhouse/Direct
Radicchio													Direct/Windowsill
Radish													Direct
Rhubarb													Direct
Runner Bean													Greenhouse/Direct
Salad Leaves													Direct/Windowsill
Sorrel													Direct
Scorzonera													Direct
Spinach													Direct
Spring Onion													Direct
Spring Onion (Winter Hardy)													Direct
Squash													Greenhouse/Direct
Strawberry													Greenhouse
Swede													Direct
Sweetcorn													Greenhouse/Direct
Swiss Chard													Direct
Tomato													Greenhouse
Turnip													Direct

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## Charity and School Plots on Our Site

We have a strong relationship with some local Charities and Schools; these include Launchpad, Sport in Mind and Addington School.



*Launchpad* is Reading's leading homelessness prevention charity, providing vital information and support for individuals, couples and families who don't have a stable place to live or are at risk of losing their home.

We have three allotment plots dedicated to growing various vegetables used to supply the Readings Food Bank, Readifood.



*Sport in Mind* is the UK mental health sports charity that uses sport and physical activity to improve the lives of people experiencing mental health. Sport in Mind uses their plot for the benefits of their work with people experiencing mental health problems.



*Addington School* is a Special School for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities. Addington School uses their plot for the benefit of their work with people having special educational needs and disabilities.

Currently, our waiting list is 88 with no plots available at the moment. You can apply to be added to the waiting list for an Allotment on our site by visiting the Woodley Town Council website [here](#).

You can also visit our website and browse through past Newsletters & Special Bulletins [here](#).

On behalf of our Allotments, I would like to congratulate this year's Reading Town Meal and hope that our Allotment produce donations will assist with the great work that they are doing.



Many thanks

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