



# Congresbury Gardening Club

Autumn/Winter 2021

To all members

Welcome back to the Congresbury Gardening Club. We are looking forward to starting the monthly talks this September which Karen Spears has kindly put together for us. The Programme is attached together with a Membership Form that you will need to complete with your annual fee of £7.50 per person. We hope the talks will appeal to you and entertain us at our meetings, the first of which will be held on 2<sup>nd</sup> September in the Memorial Hall – a bigger venue than the Methodist Hall for our first meeting and will give us more space. We also hope to see some of you at the coffee morning at Chris and John Wilcox this Saturday (21<sup>st</sup> August).

We are also planning a scaled down Autumn Show this year on 25<sup>th</sup> September with slightly fewer classes and no school entries this time. The Show Schedule and entry forms are available as attachments and from Club website. Entries can be returned to Congresbury Post Office or to Maggie Shrubshall, 18 Silverstone Way. We would be very grateful for help with the day and will be sending a volunteer list around at our first meeting but please contact one of the committee if you are happy to offer help on the day and can't make the meeting. We are aware that everyone is returning to "Normal Life" at different speeds so we will be mindful of this at the meetings and the Show.

I hope you have enjoyed your gardening this year. Remember the roses making a spectacular start to the summer garden? After the spring warmth came the rain and everything green seems to have taken off with a vengeance making the gardens and countryside the most verdant it has been in many a year. Fingers crossed we get an Indian Summer and we can enjoy our gardens well into the latter part of this strange year. The recent news from parts of Europe can only show us how lucky we are to be gardening in this rainy old Island!

We look forward to seeing you in September.

Liz English  
Chairman on behalf of the Committee

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Nov**  
**7.30 for 7.45pm**

**Annual General Meeting – Old School Rooms**  
**Please note the AGM is held on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November**  
The AGM will commence at 7:45pm in the Old School Rooms.  
An American supper will be held.

## **Election of Committee Members**

Nominations must be proposed and seconded. Please ensure the nominee is willing to stand for election. All nominees must be paid up members of the Society. Nominations may be submitted at the October and November meetings but must be with the Secretary 14 days before the A.G.M.

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