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CHAIRMAN'S CHAT

Well what a summer. This is the moment when we all wonder whether it was worth planting anything! All my pots have been moved into shady spots but luckily the dense planting in the flowerbeds has sheltered the soil a bit from the drying effects of sun and wind. I've pulled up annuals that are not performing and keep deadheading and feeding in the hope that at some point the flowers will be back. I've been making a note of what is coping and what isn't and plan quite a rearrangement in the autumn. The real disappointment is the Dahlias, which can barely make a stem long enough to cut and some buds are drying out before opening. I'm hoping that our talk on Dahlias (details below) will give me some hints on maintaining them. Of course I could just water and water some more but I do have a social conscience!

Christine Cox Chairman

REARRANGED JOINT GARDEN VISIT.

This has now been successfully re-booked for the 8th September at 2.00pm. If you did not book before, but would like to, then please go to the website for instructions. If this is a difficulty then do contact us via the admin email.

AUTUMN SHOW

Coming up on 10th September is our Autumn show. We are likely to lose several of our usual entrants so please give it a go. One entry per member would make an amazing show. GOOD LUCK!

WEBSITE NOW AVAILABLE ON YOUR MOBILE PHONE...try it out

STOP PRESS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

The **AGM** will be on the 27th September at **7.00pm** that is, **BEFORE** the dahlia talk. This is to allow time after the talk for the sale of fresh flowers. Please attend if you can, it is a short but necessary procedure for the club to be properly run.

Don't forget

WITHYPITTS DAHLIAS

7.30pm

Tuesday 27th

September



SUMMARY

10th September

AUTUMN SHOW

27th September AGM &

WITHYPITTS DAHLIAS

18th October THE

FASCINATING & SECRET

LIFE OF THE MOLE

BONUS EVENING!!!!

We were so impressed with the titles from this speaker that we felt we wanted to book him for this year as well as next. So there is a BONUS talk for this year on October 18th at 7.30 pm.

Full information on page 2

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BONUS TALK!

THE FASCINATING AND SECRET LIFE OF THE MOLE

Chris Stewart



Chris is a member of the Guild of British Molecatchers and The British Traditional Molecatchers Register. Trained and experienced he covers all aspects of this amazing and interesting creature.

THE CHICHESTER HALL WITLEY

Tuesday 18th October 2022

Doors open 7.00pm for a 7.30 start

Entry free to members, £2 to non-members.

Includes a glass of wine or soft drink