

## Test E-mail and Announcement



I have recently taken over as secretary and I have been tidying up the records and harvesting (hopefully accurate) e-mail addresses. Part of the purpose of this mailing is to check if the e-mails are correct.

In any event I will be calling as many of you as possible to check if there is anything you would like to say or ask or request. You are more than welcome to call me if you wish.

It seems a good idea to have more regular form of communication because a lot more is going on than you might think. I would like to devote a section of the newsletter to what we can call 'Small Ads'. you are invited to tell everyone about any small items you have for giving away or selling, or if there's any small item that you would like, or any particular type of help you would appreciate.

### EXAMPLES

- \* Has anyone got a spare rake? Please call me, John, on 4565467
- \* I have a compost bin that needs a new home
- \* is anyone an expert on growing large onions? please call or write
- \* I need some help with putting up my shed
- \* could I borrow someone's wheelbarrow?
- \* is anyone going to the recycle because I haven't got a car
- \* I have a spare sieve which is going begging
- \* I shall be going on holiday, would someone mind picking my beans
- \* I have some spare ... rhubarb ... if anyone wants to pick some

No matter how small the matter, someone will I'm sure be glad to help.

I shall publish whatever comes in by next Tuesday 12th January. This system will prevail throughout the year so there is no rush if you don't have anything on your mind immediately. I know the season has not started yet, so you can just send messages of greetings to everyone if you wish.

**Please let me know by writing to the e-mail address below.**

Please note that your e-mails will be kept **confidential** and no one else will see them never mind use them. This applies to your telephone numbers kept on record. We may occasionally need to call you.