

Welcome to



Street & District Allotments Association

S&DAA is made up of three sites; Brooks Road,
Farm Lane & Strode Road.

The 3 sites have a shared Constitution, a shared Committee, shared Finances and a common set of Rules (see separate leaflet).

The Association has approximately 120 plot-holder members overall, including those with ½ plots, whole plots and a few with multiple plots.

It is hoped you will find this leaflet useful and informative. However, if you have any concern, query or suggestion at any time during your membership, please feel free to contact your Site Representative.

Please retain for future reference (issued Mar 25)

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The affairs of the Association are overseen by an elected Committee which meets at least 4 times a year. Minutes of those meetings are posted on our website.

In addition, an Annual General Meeting is held in March to which all members are invited and entitled to vote and it is hoped that as many as possible will attend.

Each site has representative members on the Committee (ideally at least two) – see relevant page for details of representatives for your site.

Membership renewal by payment of an annual subscription, made up of a membership fee plus rent for the year, is due in February.

With your membership comes a set of rights and responsibilities laid out in the accompanying set of Rules. New members are accepted on the basis of a 6 month probationary period. You may receive interim reminders of how this is progressing.

We hope you will enjoy the cultivation and harvest of your own plot. However, members are also asked to share in the general upkeep of the site as a whole, offering assistance where they can with the maintenance of communal paths, hedges, verges etc.

Further up to date information is available on our website and the site notice boards.

General Information

Officers of the Committee for 2024/25:

Chairman: Nina Swift, (Plot 12 Strode Rd)
01458 443881 / 07564 289334

Treasurer: Richard Coles,
(Plot 9 Strode Rd) 01458 448569 or 07733 128195

Secretary& Membership Co-ordinator: Julie Hillman,
(Plots 9B & 10A Brooks Rd) 01458 446643

Hen Officer: Ian Crafer
(Plot 41 Farm Lane) 07784 943893

You will find up to date contact details for the Committee Officers & your Site Representatives on your site notice board and our website.

Also on the website you will find a copy of our Constitution, Tenancy Agreement, Rules, H&S Risk Assessments and Minutes of Committee meetings.

www.streetallotments.co.uk

www.facebook.com/streetallotments

street.allotments@gmail.com

NB. Please inform the Membership Co-ordinator of any change to your address, telephone number or email address as we do on occasion have need to contact members.

S&DAA gather your personal data (contact details) for purposes of facilitating your membership of the Association. The Committee undertake to store and process your data securely in compliance with GDPR 2018. A copy of our GDPR policy statement can be found on our website. If you have any concern in this regard, please contact the Membership Co-ord.

Brooks Road Allotments

Special information pertaining to Brooks Road

Your Site Representatives for 2025/26 are:

David Shire – (Plot 2B & 3B) 07769 882143

Bev Wicks – (Plots 4A & 5A) 07880 978160

Leann Chinnock – (Plot 33b) 07703 731216

A limited supply of water is available from a pumped well at the rear of plot 22. Your Site Rep or other plot-holder will be able to show you how it works.

Otherwise you will need to make your own arrangements for water.

There is a communal shed with some tools for communal use, or shared storage space if you don't otherwise have it. Contact Julie Hillman 01458 446643 for the code to the combination lock.

NB. The Association can accept no responsibility for the loss or damage to items left in the shed.

Several plots share a boundary with surrounding residential properties. Please keep the boundary clear of rubbish and be considerate of householders at all times.

NB. Fires are not permitted on the Brooks Road site. Plot holders need to make arrangements for composting or take their rubbish away from site.

Security: If you think you might be the last to leave the site in the evening please close the gate.

There are apple & elderberry trees and blackberry bushes along the lane and a large walnut tree on the site. You are invited to share this bounty but do take care not to step on or otherwise damage members' plots.

Your landlord is the J&F Clark Trust.

Farm Lane Allotments

Special information pertaining to Farm Lane

Your Site Representatives for 2025/26 are:

Matt Hartnett & Tracey Thomas – (Plot 18)
07368 503766

Dannielle Cocks – (Plots 6b & 8b) 07738 752223

Your landlord is Wessex Water.

NB. It is a condition of our tenancy that the gate to the site is kept locked AT ALL TIMES.

Due to the proximity of the site to the Recycling Centre it is possible that at times you may find access to the allotments is blocked by a queue of vehicles. Unfortunately there is nothing that can be done about this so please be courteous and patient.

There is adequate hard standing for parking so please avoid parking on the verges especially after wet weather.

From time to time we are fortunate to have a free of charge supply of horse manure (and wood chips) delivered to the site. On such occasions you are free to help yourself for allotment use only, and please be thoughtful of others.

NB Water wells: The Farm Lane site is low-lying and over the years people have dug deep holes (wells) to draw water in the summer. If you do this you must fit a secure cover to the hole to prevent accidents.

You must also tell the Site Rep for our records.

BE WARNED – Are you new to the site? Check there isn't a well on your plot in some overgrown or partly covered spot.



Strode Road Allotments

Special information pertaining to Strode Road

Your Site Representatives for 2025/26 are:

John Mizen – (Plots 13A & 14B) 01458 441958

Helen Pike – (Plot 7a & 11b) 07712 206282

Melanie Bell – (Plot 21) 07572 303054

Mains water is available to Strode Road plot holders but please use it responsibly.

As with all 3 sites, plot holders should compost their waste on their plot or remove it from site. There is to be strictly no dumping on the verge or in the ditch.

NB There is a public footpath that goes around the site which means you will see members of the public passing by.

Your landlord is Street Parish Council.

