

PARWICH AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2019 REPORT

President: Nia Linnell

Chair: Jill Love

The Society has had another successful year. We have an excellent working committee. Open Gardens 2018 was well patronised by both locals and visitors to the village and raised a substantial amount of money which allowed us to make donations to the Church, Parwich First Responders, the Bowls Club, the Parish Council for plants for Pump Hill and the WWI Working Group towards the sundial, totalling £800. In addition some money goes towards subsidising Horticultural Society events.

We had 2 trips to Gardens during the year and also hosted a speaker, events were open to anyone and all were well attended.

We also ran the annual Bob Matthews Quiz in the Legion, which proved a popular venue. We are looking forward to another successful Open Gardens in a few weeks time and our Produce Show in September which we will combine with the Legion Harvest as last year. This seemed to attract more entries, but we are still looking for more ways of attracting even more to enter in what is a fun event not a serious 'growers' event!

On behalf of the Society I would like to thank everyone in the village who has contributed in any way to enable us to continue successfully.

Sue Ash
(Secretary)