

Still building my new structure on the plot, but 8.8oz onions need to go out!

Old drinking cups come out, mycorrhizal fungi in holes, onions planted firmed and watered



Red Ray onion sets also went in, these are a good exhibition red onion, a good keeper and a good eater, not so many going out next year, will only be growing for Colley Gate Gardening Club Annual Open Show

Sprouts are tied up to their canes, I want them upright



Another couple of days and I will have finished my new wooden structure. On our site you have to have planning permission for a greenhouse, shed or tunnel - for a wooden structure you don't! Shall be putting photos on my Facebook page from start to finish covering the structure



Potting on my sweetcorn into deeper pots, these 1/2 pint clear plastic cups from Wilko are ideal

Blossom finishing on quite a few fruit trees meaning its turning into fruit! Cherries, plums and damsons so far

Quite a few people on site got caught out with a sharp frost a couple of nights ago, nothing forecast! I top dress tops of spuds with straw



Garlic doing well, I want these to grow straight as well! Shallots also doing well, sprouts behind them. Plus my onion sets in my new structure - that's all that's out at the moment, no frost forecast for a week so peas going out in the next few days

Still using the shield plant wash on my onions and leeks



Growing 2 pot leeks for our stand (NVS Midland Branch) at BBC Gardener's World Live stand



Also growing 2 blanch leeks for our stand, these should be a good size by the time of the show (15th - 18th June)

Two chillies as well will be on display. Also have 5 small show onions which I had from John Branham at the NVS Midland Branch AGM – that's all the veg on display as it's a learning/teaching stand not a display of vegetables!

Potting on my other chillies



A close up of these roots show you the hyphy roots from the mycorrhizae!

