

## **National Vegetable Society Surrey District Association Programme for 2017**

On **Thursday 9th November 2017** – **Dr Jamie Claxton** from Tozer Seeds, will be joining us at **East Horsley Village Hall**, Kingston Avenue, East Horsley, Leatherhead, Surrey KT24 6QT, for a talk entitled '**Vegetable Breeding and new Vegetable Varieties**'.

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The National Vegetable Society Surrey District Association will be holding their **AGM** at **10.30am** on **Saturday 17th February 2018**, in the Lovelace Room, at **East Horsley Village Hall**, Kingston Avenue, East Horsley, Leatherhead, Surrey, KT24 6QT. The AGM will be followed by lunch at 12 noon at La Meridiana, Ockham Road South, East Horsley, Surrey, KT24 6QU. To book your place at the lunch, please contact Beth Otway [beth@otway.com](mailto:beth@otway.com) or telephone 01483 420989.

On **Wednesday 14th March 2018**, we will be welcoming **Charles Dowding** at 8pm for a talk entitled '**Successional Sowing and No Dig Gardening**' in the Main Hall of **East Horsley Village Hall**, Kingston Avenue, East Horsley, Leatherhead, Surrey KT24 6QT. This talk is free for NVS members, £1 for members of affiliated societies, £2 for RHS students, and £5 for all other visitors.

On **Tuesday 10th April 2018**, **Peter Almond** will be joining us for a talk entitled '**The Two Hour A Week Allotment**' at 8pm at **Redhill Methodist Church**, Gloucester Road, Redhill, Surrey, RH1 1BP.

**Thursday 10th May 2018**, at 8pm, we will be joined by **Paul Barney**, the owner of Edulis Nursery for a talk entitled '**In Search of Unusual Edibles**' in the Lovelace Room of **East Horsley Village Hall**, Kingston Avenue, East Horsley, Leatherhead, Surrey KT24 6QT.

On **Sunday 22nd July 2018**, at **2pm**, we will be visiting **Bardsey**, a private two acre garden which features a productive fruit and vegetable garden, bog gardens and a natural pond, and a meadow within a parterre. There is a bee hive, bug hotel, chickens and ducks. This garden is opening especially for the NVS. Places for this visit must be booked in advance, please contact Beth Otway [beth@otway.com](mailto:beth@otway.com) or telephone 01483 420989 to book your place. Bardsey, 11 Derby Road, Haslemere, Surrey, GU27 1BS. 14 miles North of Haslemere Station, turn off B2131 (which links A287 to A286 through town) 400 yards West of station into Weydown Road, 3rd right into Derby Road, the garden can be found 400 yards away on the right.

**Thursday 11th October 2018**, **Ian Clemens** will be joining us at 8pm, for a talk about growing giant veg, entitled '**Land of the Giants!**' in the Lovelace Room of **East Horsley Village Hall**, Kingston Avenue, East Horsley, Leatherhead, Surrey KT24 6QT.

**Thursday 8th November 2018**, Writtle College Lecturer **Michael Abel** will be joining us at 8pm, for a talk on '**Growing Vegetables**' in the Lovelace Room of **East Horsley Village Hall**, Kingston Avenue, East Horsley, Leatherhead, Surrey KT24 6QT.

Speaker meetings, unless otherwise stated are: Visitors £3.00, Affiliated Society members £1.00, NVS members free.

At each of our meetings we hold a raffle, have delicious home-made cake, tea and coffee and refreshments as well as a plant and produce sale.

For more information on the National Vegetable Society Surrey District Association's Talks, Meetings, Outings and Events please contact The Programme and Visits Secretary, Beth Otway - [beth@otway.com](mailto:beth@otway.com) 01483 420989.