

# The Eastcote & District Horticultural and Allotment Association.

An Association called the "EASTCOTE ALLOTMENT ASSOCIATION" was founded in the summer of 1940, to cater for the needs of allotment holders, but was compelled in the early days of 1942 to enlarge the scope and work to include for the surrounding districts and for general garden enthusiasts. The above Association has thus emerged from the original Association and so rapidly has the membership grown that there are now over 850 members.

The aims and objects of the Association are as set out below:—

- (a) To encourage and assist members to cultivate their gardens and to crop and maintain their allotments to the best advantage.
- (b) To obtain the most favourable terms in the co-operative purchase of seeds, potatoes, lime, fertilisers, etc., for the members.
- (c) To publish periodically a Bulletin giving advice on all horticultural and allotment matters together with matters of general interest.
- (d) To promote flower and vegetable shows.
- (e) To form a Horticultural Library.
- (f) To arrange for the exchange of surplus plants, seeds, etc., between the members.
- (g) To arrange visits to Nurseries and places of Horticultural interest.
- (h) To hold quarterly general meetings of the members.
- (i) Generally to protect the interests of the members.

Membership costs the sum of 1/6d. per annum, starting with the 1st October. This includes the free issue of the Bulletin, published nine times during the year, which gives cultural notes, general news on the Association's work and articles of special interest to allotment holders and gardeners.

Members are enabled to purchase their seeds, potatoes, general fertilisers and other goods at reduced prices. The reduction obtainable on Lime alone more than repays the member his subscription fee.

During the year ended 30th September last, the Committee purchased goods to the value of £240 for the members.

Lectures and films on topical subjects are arranged during the winter.

Members' queries and difficulties are dealt with by the Technical Adviser to the Association.

Fuller details as to the advantages to be obtained by becoming a member of the Association can be obtained from:—

MR. J. S. RANGER, 24 Crescent Gardens, Eastcote. ('Phone: Pinner 1430).

Please enrol me as a member of the Eastcote and District Horticultural and Allotment Association, for which I enclose the membership subscription fee of 1/6d.

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