

GARDENING CLUB SECTION - MYTHS & TRUTHS !!!

If interested, please contact either:-

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- 1 *Section members are avid gardeners with a wealth of gardening knowledge* **FALSE** - Most of us just muddle along
- 2 *You have to be a gardener to join section* **FALSE** - All that is required is an appreciation of nice gardens, interesting houses, places of interest....GSOH essential!
- 3 *Section members are old foggies* **FALSE** - Whilst it is true that several members are retirees, we are certainly NOT old foggies!!
- 4 *Trips are too expensive* **FALSE** - we are incredibly lucky to have the support of the Sports & Social Club, which allow us to offer a very good discount on trips.
- 5 *Coaches are uncomfortable* **FALSE** - We have been using same coach company for several years, and we are lucky in that we usually have a coach with plenty of room ie to bring items home !!
- 6 *I don't like being with a crowd* **NO PROBLEM** - Unless an organised tour is included, attendees just 'do their own thing'
- 7 *I don't have anyone to come on trips with* - **NO PROBLEM** - All attendees are made to feel very welcome and we have several 'singles' who happily come along join in the fun !!!

- 8 *I have to be S&S Member to come on trips ? **FALSE** - Anyone is welcome to come along and try trips as a taster, they will however **NOT** be able to benefit from reduced rate ie Pay 'guest' rate*
- 9 *I have heard this is a fairly 'clique' group **FALSE** - Whilst it is true that attendees tend to be either previous or existing P&G employees, all friends and family of members are made more than welcome...so much so that attend several events!*
- 10 *I fancy giving this a go as sounds like fun - **TRUE** - We are always delighted to see new faces on trips and make sure that everyone has a great time !!*

NOTE; To encourage 'bums on seats', on longer journeys we have a selection of home made scones (cheese / fruit), which a small contribution (50p) is collected and donated to charity.**

Refreshments eg coffee & tea are also available.....'trolley dolleys' in attendance !!

(Charities benefited so far - Macmillan's Nurses, Guide Dogs For the Blind, The Autistic Society)**