

NOTE of a meeting of TURN LYME GREEN – Green Drinks – on Tuesday, 17 February 2015 at the Royal Lion, Broad Street, Lyme Regis

PRESENT Candida Blaker, Chris Boothroyd, Ann Boothroyd, Tracy West, Simon West, Polly Benfield, Laura Noel, Michael Case, David Tomkinson

A wide ranging discussion focussing on OPEN ECO HOMES scheduled for September, 12-13. Chris and Ann are hoping to attract new homeowners, a number of whom were suggested and would be followed up. We need to continue to spread the word in the coming months to get new people to join in.

TLG WEB SITE FORUM – building the ‘green’ way

Agreed it would be good to develop a forum on the web site for anyone interested in building using ‘green’ methods or supplies to discuss and share experiences and best practice. Polly reported that Gary Willis had expressed an interest in this and would speak to him; also she would liaise with Surya about setting up an online discussion group and explore the best way to moderate the site. There could be links to My Green Directory and Bridport Transition’s Skill Share site and other good sources of information.

FRUIT TREE PRUNING TUTORIAL

Phil Gamble of Garden Reassurance to be invited to help arrange a teach-in, using the apple trees planted by TLG in Anning Road and Slopes Farm as examples. A hands on workshop. The event to be publicised through TLG membership, the press, local web site, U3A’s gardening group, Uplyme Horticultural Assoc. Chris to follow up and make arrangements

MAGIC OXYGEN and TREE PLANTING

Simon and Tracy reported on the success of their first competition, attracting just under 800 entrants for short stories and poetry. For each entry they paid for a tree to be planted in Africa. This has been a huge success, and for every anthology sold of the book of the winners, another tree would be planted, complete with GPS identifier. The anthology is available from Seredip in town.

FLUORESCENT BULBS

Following the tragic accident at Love and Wonder, Simon is going to try to find another shop which will act as collection centre for these bulbs.

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 10 March. 7.30.. Royal Lion. back to the second Tuesday of the month.