



Andover Town Council

To **note** a report provided by the Allotment Officer and consider if any action should be taken.

Item No.

Produced for:
Allotments Committee

By: Allotment Officer

Date of Report: 8th July 2025

Please note the following updates:

- Allocation of new allotment plots – 19 new tenancy agreements completed since 10th April 2025.
- Works completed for Barlows Lane track – additional 5 ton of road plainings potentially required at a later date. This could tie in with Ox Drove track and Vigo Road track which could do with some too.
- Non-cultivation letters sent since 10th April 2025: Admirals Way – 4, Barlows Lane – 12, Churchill Way – 19, Mylen Road – 5, Old Winton Road – 5, The Drove – 13, Saxon Heights – 1 and Vigo Road – 13.
- Eviction notices sent since 10th April 2025: Churchill Way – 2, Mylen Road – 2, The Drove – 1.
- Scarecrow competition took place, and winners have received their certificates and prizes.
- Best kept plot and weirdest veg competition to take place in September – date TBC.
- Various email reminders sent out to sites regarding ball games, bait boxes, bonfires, parking on site, theft and sanitation issues.
- Wardens are being contacted on a regular basis and kept up to date with important issues.

Data Reporting as of 8th July 2025:

AdvantEDGE Allotments - Site Management Summary

Site Management Summary

Report

Site	No. of Allotments	No. Rented	% rented	No. Vacant	Waiting List 1st choice	Waiting List 2nd choice	Waiting List 3rd choice
Admirals Way	27	26	96.30%	1	9	14	7
Barlows Lane	99	98	98.99%	1	29	6	6
Churchill Way	45	43	95.56%	2	2	9	13
Mylen Road	26	26	100.00%	0	8	8	4
Old Winton Road	81	79	97.53%	2	6	3	3
Ox Drove	11	11	100.00%	0	13	6	3
Picket Twenty	0	0	0.00%	0	46	6	4
Saxon Heights	10	10	100.00%	0	54	1	3
The Drove	131	129	98.47%	2	14	10	4
Vigo Road	105	103	98.10%	2	18	7	12
Total	535	525		10	199	70	59

Officers are regularly getting in touch with potential tenants to fill the empty plots. The Wardens continue to support the Officers with site inspections, showing around potential tenants and urgent matters. Their help is greatly appreciated by the office staff.

