

Loosely Row and Lacey Green Horticultural Society





The Horts committee would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Stay safe and keep well and we are looking forward to seeing you in 2021. Please keep your photographs coming over the Christmas break, send them to **horticultural.society@btconnect.com** *Happy gardening!!!*



Streptocarcus still doing well - Polka Dot



Christmas tree that Les made for the front garden





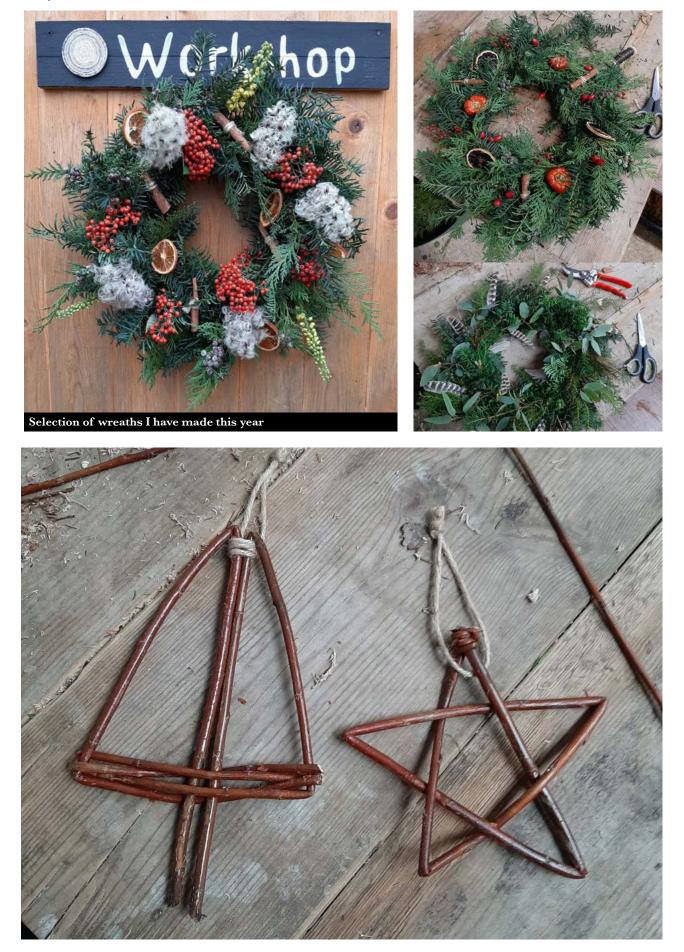
Janet Leigh-Dugmore



Billy Stott



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Alison Shreeve



Today I picked this vase of flowers (4th December) it contains 2 kinds of roses, periwinkle, winter jasmine, symphytum, hebe and chrysanthemum! The garden always surprises us!





Alison Shreeve



Simon Bolton



Received an early Christmas present, a Cos lettuce Christmas tree decoration



Surprise surprise a wind in Lacey green, but this amazing frost was blown on one side of the trees

Marcia Fendom



Laura Chapman



Kay Bolton



Simon Bolton

Judy Wicks very generously offered a section of her garden, it had been a former veg patch. The plot was a little over grown and after a quick strim we could see it's full size. I am doing No Dig, (Look up Charles Dowding he is amazing) and this was the perfect opportunity to put that into practice.





After strimming I laid a double layer of cardboard on top of that I tipped a thin layer of hops.





On top of the hops, horse manure, homemade compost and a little mushroom compost were spread.



The beauty of No Dig is as soon as you've finished spreading compost you can plant straight away (These garlic and onions only took a week to get going)



First week of December free woodchips arrived to go on top of the cardboard path area. No shovelling, or back breaking work, and you can plant in it straight away.

Kay Bolton



Has anyone else seen these beautiful minature fairy/elf houses around Lacey Green and Loosley Row? They are amazing the detail is superb. If you are on a walk keep your eyes peeled around the footpath that leads from Lane Farm off Church Lane. We have heard there are at least 6 to find!!!

I would love to know who made these?



Remember send in photos of your garden to horticultural.society@btconnect.com