



# MISSENDEN

WALLED GARDEN

Charity No 1171968

## News update

*We provide a safe and caring horticultural working environment for adults with disabilities. We also support those whose mental health benefits from our calm and therapeutic natural setting. We offer varied and exciting opportunities to learn new skills, make new friends, all in our beautiful, safe, and wildlife friendly site.*



### THE CHALET CHALLENGE

We are *growing*, and not just plants. We have nearly doubled our number of Gardeners and volunteers on site since our launch in June 2017. We need to improve and upgrade our on-site facilities.

The Chalet Challenge is aiming to raise **£18,000** to cover the cost of building and equipping a fabulous new large wooden chalet. It will provide social and welfare facilities, new indoor crafts, skills and training opportunities. The building will also be available for use by the local village community during evenings and at weekends.

We are very grateful to the many local organisations and individuals in Great Missenden and the surrounding area who have supported us via a wide range of events and donations in the past few months. With nearly £9,000 received already we are almost half way to our target. Please help us raise the other £9,000 before our 1<sup>st</sup> Birthday in June.

## “Growing together”



As part of our commitment to enhance the lives and opportunities for our adults with disabilities, we have introduced educational and practical training courses, here is the first presentation of their Mower training Certificates, WELL DONE.



Work on the Bee Hive area is progressing well, beekeeping course is being attended by Staff, Volunteers and ‘Gardeners’, ready for the Bees in the Spring.....

## Volunteering opportunities available...

We are busy planning and planting for the spring and summer, flowers, vegetables and other produce. We are organising day trips out, and becoming more involved in the community. We are planning further educational and practical skills courses, independent skills, we have introduced music sessions, sport and leisure activities and much more.

Find us on

If you would like to donate, help us with fundraising, or get involved, please contact us. We would love to hear from you.

**Come in and visit us, you're very welcome - Opening times Mon - Fri 10.00am –2.00pm**

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