



## Baginton Gardener

I am sad to say that due to the sudden illness of the speaker, our January meeting was cancelled. This, the lack of people committing to be members and the withdrawal of the 10% discount for our members at Smith's Garden centre has made the Baginton Gardeners committee rethink the group structure.

**For this year the group will be run on a pay to attend basis and not membership. Cost being £5 per meeting**

In order to continue the viability of the group, the committee are looking at new ways to fund the high-quality entertaining speakers the group wants to provide other than membership.

- Do you work for a company who would make a monitory donation large or small to the group? Many companies have a volunteers match funding policy.
- Would you or the company you work for be willing to donate a raffle prize?
- Do you have any cuttings, seedling or unwanted plants you would be willing to donate for the group to sell to raise some extra funds?

If you can help in any way to ensure the Baginton Gardeners group is able to continue, please send your ideas or questions to Sue Burgham  
[seburgham@gmail.com](mailto:seburgham@gmail.com)

**Our Next meeting will be held at British Legion Club, Kimberley Road, on 17 March, when Peter Worthy (RSPB) will share his knowledge about "Gardens and birds"**

**Everyone is welcome at a cost of £5 for the night.**