## Dear Plot Holders

Below is a list of the Onions, Shallots and Potatoes the trading shed has ordered for February 2022. Also attached is some advice for new growers of potatoes.

If you would like to order any of these please email Annie

on <u>griffiths.annie@gmail.com</u> with your name, plot number and exact quantities of each variety you would like. No need to pay until you collect them in February. You can order potato fertiliser too.

Order early to avoid disappointment.

## **Shallots**

Golden Gourmet 35p per 100 gr Red Sun 35p per 100 gr

Onions

Red Baron 32p per 100 gr Sturon 30p per 100 gr

## **Potatoes and Potato Fertiliser**

1 <sup>st</sup> Earlies		
Premiere £1.00 per Kg	Oval-to-round in shape, with shallow eyes. Introduced in 1979, Premiere potatoes are popular due to their great all round disease resistance to blight, common scab, powdery scab, spraing and potato cyst nematode (PCN).	
£1.00 per kg		
Red Duke of York £1.00 per kg	Large oval, red-skinned tubers with moist yellow flesh of superb flavour. A good all-rounder and really excellent for roasting.	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Earlies		
Charlotte ( salad) £1.00 per kg	The most popular salad potato, often chosen as the best-tasting variety. It produces moderate yields of uniform, smooth skinned tubers. High resistance to both foliar and tuber blight. The cooked potato has a medium-dry, waxy texture.	
Main Crop		
Desiree £1.00 per kg	A popular medium to large, shallow-eyed, oval potato. Red skin with pale yellow, waxy flesh. High yields. Good all-round cooking qualities, and a strong flavour. Resistant to drought, with good blight and moderate slug resistance.	
Orla £1.00 per kg	Popular variety due to high blight resistance. Can be grown as first early or left to mature as early maincrop. Produces large crop of bold light cream tubers. Good for boiling and general salad use	

Pink Fir Apple ( salad) £1.20 per kg	Long, knobbly, pink-skinned tubers with butter yellow, waxy flesh and a distinctive, nutty flavour. Perfect for chipping or boiling.	
Salad potatoes- (see also Charlotte 2 <sup>nd</sup> earlies, and Pink Fir 9 main crop)		
Typically lifted as small tubers, these are waxy potatoes that remain whole after cooking and so are suitable for slicing and eating cold in salads. <b>NB</b> : Pink Fir Apple, International Kidney and Charlotte are also classed as salad potatoes.		
Anya £1.50 per kg	Pink skin, fine nutty taste and tubers that do not have the awkward branches that can make preparation difficult. Easy to grow, excellent flavour. Boil, steam or sauté. A cross between the varieties Desiree and Pink Fir Apple.	
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