

Celebrating a bumper crop

MEMBERS of the allotment branch of the Teme Valley Environment Group has just completed its second growing season.

It has been very successful growing salad crops, a selection of beans, peas, courgettes, brassicas, spinach, squash, rhubarb and globe artichokes.

They have actually grown more than they could eat and have been able to sell excess on The

Zero Miles stall at the Farmers' market to enable them to buy some Raspberry Canes.

A strawberry bed has recently been planted and an asparagus bed is planned for next year.

Food miles

Anne Mary Davies a TVEG members said: "The group took on the allotment to cut down on food miles and so people could grow vegetables together who wouldn't have the confidence

or time to take on an allotment alone. Some of our members have now taken on allotments of their own."

This group is open to anyone who wishes to join in, you can give as much or as little time as you wish. If you are interested please phone Sheila on 01547 520019

Right: A wheelbarrow full of some of the TVEG produce.

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