

Zero Miles Stall is set for launch

TEME Valley Environment group is to launch its Zero Miles Food Stall at Knighton Farmers Market.

All local gardeners who have excess fruit and vegetables are being asked to bring them along.

"In the media we are increasingly told how the miles food travels is contributing to our carbon footprints and therefore to climate change, and also as oil supplies dwindle there are more and more reasons why we must look at growing more locally and where better than in our gardens," said a group spokesman.

To begin with the stall will be run on a bring and buy basis, using local market prices as guidelines.

The group will keep a percentage to

run the stall. This will be reviewed as the stall develops.

The group is hoping that as word gets around supplies will pick up and that next year people will be inclined to grow more vegetables not only to sell but also to eat themselves.

For more information phone 01547 528833.

