



Friends of Wallace Kennels



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Dear Friends

I hope you all had a good Christmas and would like to wish you a very happy and healthy New Year!

XMAS DRAW 2018

Many thanks to all of you who bought/sold tickets for our annual Draw and also those of you who added donations. The winners were:- 1st Prize: No 00888 Mrs Nye; 2nd Prize: No 01669 Mrs Connelly; 3rd Prize: No 00741 Miss Deane. Other winning tickets were: 01603; 01898; 00653; 00676; 01870; 00093; 01037; 00767; 00574 and 01589.

EVENTS

Our last jumble sale of the year was very successful and raised just short of £2,300, the most successful result since November 2016! Many thanks to everybody who helps to organise and run these sales; a lot of hard work goes into them and they are still our main source of regular income.

Dates of the next two Jumble Sales at Doddinghurst Village Hall, CM15 0NJ, 10am -12pm are 19th January and 16th March. We are no longer permitted to use the stage at Doddinghurst Village Hall for Health & Safety reasons; we've had to set up outside for a number of our larger items but this makes life difficult during inclement weather conditions. We are therefore considering changing the venue for future jumbles and will keep you informed.

SECRETARY – VACANT POSITION

We are still in dire need of a **Secretary** and I'm appealing once again for any member who might be able to fill this position. The Committee meets quarterly and in addition there's the AGM in May. We mainly need somebody who could take minutes of our meetings so if you feel you could help please contact any of the telephone numbers above or email us via our website (address also above) for further information.

Finally, I would like to thank all members of the Committee and all of you for your continued help and support. We are all looking forward to another successful year!

All the best

Teresa