



the blooming news

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We're wishing you a lovely March, and welcoming the recent days of sunshine ~ alongside the lighter evenings. As always, if you have a story to share, then please do send an email to Carol at doctorcarolmiller@gmail.com. Many thanks, Carol Miller and Charlotte Jenkins.

Open Gardens 2026

We are still looking for gardens great or small to open on 28 June!

If you are interested please use [this direct link to the google form](#) by Tuesday 31st March. Your application will be

Open Gardens is fully subscribed
Since this article was written we have had plenty of offers!
Thank you to everyone who has been in touch

<https://moseleyinbloom.org.uk/2026/call-for-gardens-2026/>

Welcome to Moseley!

After some considerable to'ing and fro'ing between Jenny Brewer, Newman University and their publicity agents, M3, the boundary sign at the Queensbridge Road site has been restored by M3. Moseley in Bloom and the Farmers Market are again given the recognition they deserve - and yes, we agree that the top part needs a good clean.

Our cleaners have it on their list of jobs!

Plant Sale ~ Save the date!

We are pleased to announce that our 'Plant Sales' are back.

The first one of the year will be on...

**Sunday 26 April, 2pm 'til 4pm at The Dovecote,
179 Alcester Road, B13 8JR.**

As well as buying plants, you will be able to see the beautiful new flying doves in The Dovecote!





Daffs in the village...

The tête-à-têtes are out around the Green in Moseley again. It is great each year to see them bright and smiling. A few replenishments were required in the Autumn and now they remind us that Spring is definitely on the way. Additionally, here are daffs around some of the tree bases that will surely reappear each year now.



Seed collection!

Our Chair, Sabreena has a devoted husband. No red roses from him on Valentine's Day. Instead he asked colleagues if they had any old seeds they didn't need. He collected them and presented them to Sabreena. What could be better?



Deborah Taylor's legacy...

A while ago, we reported on the generous legacy left to Moseley in Bloom by one of our very dedicated early volunteers, Deborah Taylor. We are delighted to report that the legacy has been spent on a very fitting memorial to Deborah. First, as we reported last year, three fruit trees were planted (*pictured in the bottom right*), in the new Community Orchard in Moseley Park and now, also, a seat dedicated to Deborah is in place at Moseley Hall Hospital where she worked for many years as a Senior Physiotherapist.



The seat can be found on the walkway that runs from the hospital car park near Alcester Road and Amesbury Road. We plan to plant some bulbs near the seat and we hope that people will enjoy resting there!



School gardening

After Moseley in Bloom donated plants and seeds to Moseley C of E school, we received the following message from a teacher...

'The children had a wonderful gardening session in the sunshine today. They planted all the seeds and the primroses and really enjoyed being outside'.

They were also given potatoes and they will be planted later!



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