

Rachael and Gemma welcome 64 new members to the Association and would like to introduce a new membership benefit.

DISCOUNTS GALORE!



Privilege Platinum Card

We have pleasure in introducing a new benefit which adds great value to your membership package. The Privilege Platinum Card is issued to each member and provides brilliant discounts both in national chains and local shops. Therefore

The Privilege Platinum Card

Name: A. Other

Expiry Date: 31/12/2004

members that live at the bottom of Cornwall or the very tip of Scotland get the same benefit as those members that live near large cities and towns.

Your discount card will be accepted at the till in over 15,000 shops. Some of the national chains that offer discounts are shown on this page but as mentioned you can also get discounts in your local shops. To find out which shops are offering discounts and how much, just ring the freephone helpline on 0800 587 8800 or register your card on the website www.discountpages.co.uk and look up your local area.

Privilege Platinum Card also offer a "Discount Guarantee" which guarantees to find you a discount for the goods you want in your area, so if you can't see what you want on the website, ring the helpline and they will find it for you.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS CONTACT THE FREE HELPLINE

0800 587 8800

www.discountpages.co.uk

BIGGA welcomes...

SCOTTISH REGION

Jamie Alexander, North Stuart Cordiner, North Clive Richards, West Muir Ross, North

NORTHERN REGION

Wayne Cunningham, Northern Robert Gill, Cleveland Andrew Lawless, North West Ashley Littlefair, Cleveland Danny Littlewood, Northern Steven Longshaw, Northern

MIDLAND REGION

Simon Baines, BB&O Chris Drewery, Midland Peter Goodyear, Midland Richard Osborne, Mid Anglia Eric Perry, Midland Benjamin Sadler, Midland Myles Wood, BB&O

SOUTH EAST REGION

James Cocker, Surrey Andrew Curson, East Anglia Gavin Fox, East Anlia Ben Kebby, Surrey Darren Kenward, Surrey Paul Loft, Surrey Allie O'connell, Surrey Eric Olson, Surrey Simon Robertson, East Anglia Darren Smith, Kent Barry Srnith, London Terence Tibbert, East Anglia Thomas Wildash, Surrey

SOUTH WEST/SOUTH WALES

Richard Bailey, Devon & Cornwall Nigel Edmunds, South Wales John Hazell, South Coast Patrick Jones, South Wales Timothy Lee-Harper, South Coast Justin Llewellyn, South Coast Brian Llewellyn, South Wales Martin Mabey, South Coast Scott Mcauley, Devon & Cornwall Adrian Parsons, South Wales Darren Savage, South Coast

NORTHERN IRELAND

Gareth Abernethy Andrew Walker Wolsey White

INTERNATIONAL MEMEBERS

Stefan Stefansson, Iceland John Gillon, Norway Ben Mckee, Sweden Daniel Noren, Sweden Matthew Salmon, Czech Republic

STUDENT MEMBERS

Mark Baker, Midland Steven Clarke, North West John Coote, Essex Christopher Fifield, Kent Mark Gemmill, Essex George Jackson, East of England Kyle Stubley, Devon & Cornwall Barry Udall, North West Kingsley Vethakan, Cleveland

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

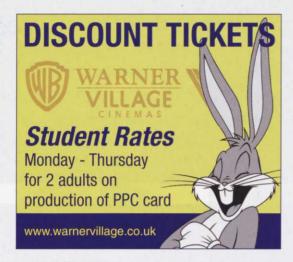
Gary Cooper, East of England Peter Inglefield, Midland Geoffrey Yelland, Sussex

CORPORATE MEMBERS

Jim Openshaw, Midland David Ward, Surrey Martin Ward, Surrey Simon Watts, Northern

DECEMBER'S MEMBERSHIP DRAW WINNER

Just introduce one or more new greenkeeping members to BIGGA and your name will be placed into a draw to win a fantastic BIGGA Clock/calculator/calendar and alarm. Our congratulations go to Hugh Knowles of Pyrford Golf Club.



HIGH STREET VOUCHERS

For every £100 worth of vouchers that you purchase from Privilege Platinum Card they will send you an extra £7 of vouchers absolutely free. This gives you more money to spend in a wide range of High Street stores such as JJB sports, HMV and the Carphone Warehouse. Please do not present your privilege card at the till in these shops, to get your discounts you must purchase the High Street Vouchers.

RECOMMEND A BUSINESS SCHEME

If you recommend to Privilage Card a business which then goes on to offer discounts you will receive a High Street Voucher as a thank you. Look on the website for more details.

HOW DO I GET MY PRIVILEGE CARD?

If your membership is due for renewal shortly you will be sent your card with your 2004 membership card. The cards will also be available for collection at BTME and Clubhouse on the BIGGA stand. If your membership is not due for renewal in the next few months and you cannot get to BTME then please give us a call and we will send your card out to you.

Please note that an administration fee of £5 will be charged for replacing any lost or stolen cards.



A1 Motor Stores **Airtours Alton Towers** Bhs Carphone Warehouse Comet **DFDS Seaways Ernest Jones FADS** Haven Holidays

Iceland Index **JJB Sports** Joe Bloggs Lewis's Littlewoods Mothercare **Optical Express Partners Peacocks Pontins**

Poundstretcher H Samuel **Shoe Express** Sports Division Stead & Simpson Superbreak Wallace Arnold W H Smith Wilkinson Woolworths

Please do not present your privilege card at the till in these shops, to get your discounts you must purchase the High Street Vouchers

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HMV

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Message of the Month Winner

Each month the person who has written the best message on the BIGGA Bulletin Board, which is found on the BIGGA website www.bigga.org.uk, receives an 18 litre Gelert Rucksack featuring a multi function organiser, 2 mesh pockets and a grab handle. (Rucksack supplied may be a different colour to that featured).

Our congratulations go to December's winner, Michael Branson from Keswick Golf Club, whose message was posted on 28th October under the 'Education and Training for Greenkeepers' section.

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