



Rachael and Gemma from Membership Services would like to welcome 91 new members to the Association and introduce a personal car leasing package following requests from members.

Put yourself in the driving seat!



Look out for your member's leaflet in this issue

Driving a brand new car couldn't be easier. BIGGA has teamed up with Lex FreeChoice, the UK's leading car finance PCP provider, to offer you StaffSelect. This exclusive scheme allows you and your family members to drive the car you've always wanted at a price you can afford.

Simply decide on the monthly amount you'd like to pay, the contract period - and your likely annual mileage. Then visit www.staffselect.net (using the special username and password below) or call one of our specially trained advisors to find out the great packages available.

At the end of the contract period, you have the choice to buy the car outright, choose another brand new car or simply hand it back.

StaffSelect is a finance package you tailor yourself - but we do all the work. Lex guarantee the future value of the vehicle, which means we take all the risk of depreciation and you enjoy lower monthly payments, making it an effective way to finance a better car.

- ✓ Choice of any make or model
- ✓ Choice of new or nearly new
- ✓ Convenience of home delivery
- ✓ Choice of 2, 3, 4 or 5 year agreements
- ✓ Choice of flexible deposit
- ✓ Guaranteed pre-agreed future price
- ✓ Road tax included

For complete hassle-free motoring you can add a maintenance & service package, RAC Cover and a selection of insurance products. Even your Road Tax is taken care of!

ANY MANUFACTURER, MODEL OR MARQUE OF CAR AVAILABLE

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0800 419 930

PLEASE QUOTE: 'STAFFSELECT - BIGGA'

BIGGA welcomes...

SCOTTISH REGION

Michael Anderson, North
Kenneth Currer-Smith, Central
James Ellis, West
Graeme Ferguson, West
Adam Head, Central
Darren Hexley, North
Mark Hodgson, Ayrshire
Marc McGregor, North
Christopher Mcleod, Central
Alexander Nimmo, Central
John Robertson, North
Mark Tudhope, North
Thomas Yeomans, East

NORTHERN REGION

Nigel Ardern, North West
Philip Carter, Northern
David Cartwright, Northern
Ben Chruszczewski, North East

Matthew Crofton, North East
Lee Dacre, Northern
Michael Hopkinson, North West
Jason Hurt, Sheffield
Alan Ingles, North East
Carl Jacobs, North East
Russell Jacques, North East
Michael Jarvis, North East
Robert Jones, North Wales
Craig Kinder, North West
Christopher Moore, North Wales
Steven Parker, North West
Richard Smith, Northern
Terry Smith, Northern
Tomas Tate, North Wales
Joseph Walsh, Northern
Robert Watkinson, North East
Stephen Wells, North East

MIDLAND REGION

Marc Beetlestone, Midland
Steven Beveridge, Midland
Mark Chatterley, Midland
Andrew Cox, BB&O
David Hills, Mid Anglia
David Hood, Midland
Stephen Hursey, Mid Anglia
Clive Liddiard, BB&O
Matthew Nutt, BB&O
Robert Stretton, Midland
Adam Thompson, Midland
Simon Watkins, Midland
Karl Williams, Midland
Rhys Williams, Midland

SOUTH EAST REGION

Christopher Baldock, Essex
Ian Cambridge, Essex
Paul Clark, London
Ian Cormack, Surrey
Steve Davies, Surrey
Ian Denny, Essex
Philip Groves, Surrey
James Harper, Kent
Mark Harvey, Surrey
John Hordley, Surrey
Max Izzard, London
Paul Jameson, London
Peter Mayes, London
Wayne Rolfe, Surrey
Malcolm Searle, East Anglia
Michael Thompson, Surrey
Luke Turner, London
Danny Waghorn, Kent
Richard Williams, Essex
Matthew Woodhouse, London

SOUTH WEST/SOUTH WALES

Steven Barton, South West
Steven Beverly, South Wales
Steven Gillett, South Wales
Graham Godwin, South Coast
Gary Humphreys, South Wales
Adrian Pearce, South Wales
Michael Rawlings, South West
Clive Riley, South West
Paul Staples, South Coast
Dene Stote, South Coast
Mark Walker, South Coast

NORTHERN IRELAND

David Magill

REPUBLIC OF IRELAND

James Calderwood

STUDENT MEMBERS

Christopher Cobb, North West
Scott Sweeney, North West

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Keith Grosvenor, Midland
Allan McGregor, West Scotland
Colin Scott, Ayrshire
Blair Young, Central Scotland

CORPORATE MEMBERS

Duncan Beall, East of England
Graham Paul, East Anglia
Mark Pyrah, Mid Anglia
Mike Williamson, Mid Anglia

JULY'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 July's winner, Haydn Woods of Raglan Parc Golf Club.

More car for your money, with Lex StaffSelect

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£136
PER MONTH

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3DR MANUAL



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PER MONTH

RENAULT MEGANE
1.4 AUTHENTIQUE
5DR



£195
PER MONTH

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1.9
TD LX 90 5DR



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VOLKSWAGEN GOLF
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16V SE 5DR H/B



£318
PER MONTH

LANDROVER FREELANDER
1.8S
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£338
PER MONTH



TERMS & CONDITIONS

All examples, unless otherwise stated, are calculated on a 36 month, 10,000 mile p.a. agreement. Variable APR - 7.9% to 8.9%. For example, *Toyota Yaris Colour Collection 3 dr manual, 10,000 miles p.a. 36 month agreement. Initial payment of £136.58 followed by 35 monthly payments of £136.58 (Includes 36 months Road Fund Licence) with an optional final payment of £3,593.75. Cash price £6,508.77 (Includes 36 months Road Fund Licence). Total amount payable £8,510.63 (8.9% APR). Optional maintenance contract (includes RAC breakdown cover) at £20.56 per month (inc. VAT). Prices correct at time of issue, but may be subject to change. Pictures shown may not be identical to model quoted. Offer only available to employees and family members of participating StaffSelect scheme companies. Lex FreeChoice is the trading name of Lex Vehicle Finance Limited, registered number 01992734 and registered address RAC House, 17 Connaught Place, London, W2 2EL.

People

How well do you know the people who work for the Association?

In this new series we give you a chance to learn a little more about a member of BIGGA's Headquarters staff



Gemma Lee

Position:
Membership Services Assistant

What does your role involve?
Processing annual renewal subscriptions and new member applications. Prepare data for the mailing of 'Greenkeeper International'. Provide Regional Administrators and Section Secretaries with member lists and all relevant statistical information and data. Provide advice and guidance to members as required.

How long have you worked for the Association?
Just over a year

Where were you born and brought up?
Bradford

Where did you work before you joined BIGGA?
Norwich Union

What are your hobbies?
Going to the gym, swimming, socialising with friends on a weekend down at the local pub

What is your favourite food?
Spaghetti Bolognese and Steak!

What is your favourite film?
Bodyguard

What was the last book you read?
Don't really read books. I should, I know!

Who is your all time hero?
My Mum and Dad

What was the best event you've ever attended?
Blue concert

What is your claim to fame? (None not acceptable)
At the time (1992) I was the youngest person to climb the three peaks, Whernside, Pen-y-ghent and Ingleborough, in the Yorkshire dales area. I was nine years old at the time

or visit: www.staffselect.net
USERNAME: BIGGA
PASSWORD: CARS



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2001, 2002, 2003

ACTIVITY DAY WINNER



When your membership is due for renewal you will receive a newsletter which contains details of how to win an activity day of your choice. Activities are held all over the country so there should be a centre near you. A winner is selected every three months so it does not matter what time of year you renew your membership.

This month's winner is Graham Gardner from Tadmerton Heath Golf Club who has a choice of at least 20 activities to choose from ranging from Ferrari driving to powerboating. Congratulations Graham!

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 FM desktop scan radio.

Our congratulations go to July's winner, Michael Branson from Keswick Golf Club whose message was posted on the 19th May under the 'Education and Training for Greenkeepers' section.