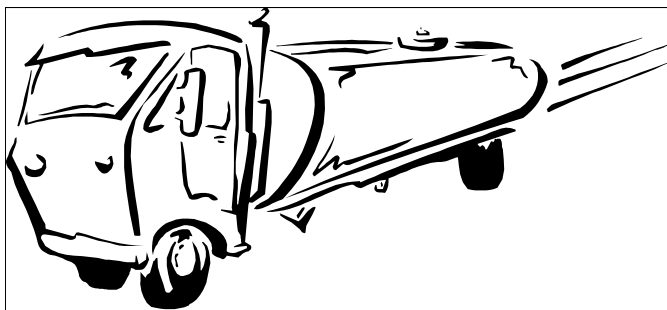


**Q. Will there be a charge?**

A. This is a new scheme which is being run by volunteers for the benefit of the community. If it becomes very successful and grows to such an extent it may become appropriate to employ someone from our area to administer it. The best way to fund this newly created job will be considered at that time.



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**ALLEN VALLEYS**

**OIL BUYING  
CO-OPERATIVE**

Do you buy oil fuels?

- Heating Oil (Kerosene)
- Red Diesel
- White Diesel

Are you based in the Allen Valleys?

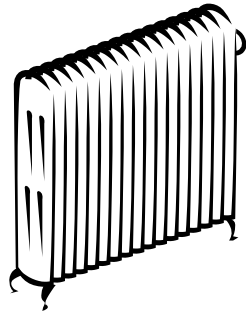
Are you interested in potential savings through group buying?

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## What's it all about?

Registrations are now being taken for a group oil buying scheme for the Allen Valleys. Sufficient interest has been shown to allow us to confirm our 1st order will be mid-Sept.



### Q. How will it work?

A. The scheme will be based on working models that have operated successfully in other Villages. ( Tynedale and

beyond) Each month the administrator will obtain current prices and then contact group members to find out if they are intending to make an order that month. Various Oil suppliers will be approached to obtain the best price for the group order.

### Q. Will I be tied in?

A. No. Obviously, for the scheme to work there has to be an element of group responsibility and commitment but it will be entirely up to members when and what they order.

### Q. What are the typical savings?

A. This will depend upon the quantity of fuel ordered each time. As an example, existing schemes obtain savings of up to

5p per litre on kerosene compared to the best price obtained by an individual. The bigger the group order, the better the price will be!

### Q. Who will I pay?

A. The selected oil company will contact customers individually to confirm their order and obtain payment on their standard terms (which may vary between companies).

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