## Manchester Branch British Cactus and Succulent Society

# Newsletter

January 2003

## Happy New Year to all our Readers

#### Day Trips

Over the last few months several members have suggested they would like to visit some of our local cactus nurseries and collections. I have included a few suggestions below and the approximate car travelling time from our meeting point. It may be possible to arrange trips to include more than one cactus venue.

Croston Cactus Nursery -Near Chorley (30 mins)

Echinocereus Reference Collection -Bolton (20 mins)

Abbey Brook Cactus Nursery - Near Matlock (1 hour 20 mins)

National Lobivia Collection - Near Hull (1 hour 40 mins)

Brookside Nursery-Recently relocated to Lincolnshire (? 1-2 hours)

Manchester Branch Members Greenhouses (1-20 minutes)

### **Coming Soon**

Warrington Cactus Mart

The traditional start to the cactus season

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2003

Woolston Leisure Centre nr Warrington

Doors open 10am

Be early or be disappointed!

Croston Cactus Easter Week-end Open Days 18-21<sup>st</sup> April