

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE ACRE

Community Oil Buying Scheme

Have you been paying
too much for your heating oil?

- Run by a charity for the benefit of our members
- Great oil price every time you order
- By ordering oil collectively you are helping people in need
- An easy to use system to order and pay for your oil
- No membership or joining fee

in association with
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What people say

“I have recently moved to this village and needed to organise some oil. My friend said the Northamptonshire ACRE oil scheme is definitely the best option for me”

Mrs S Vella

“I just want to say thank you to Northamptonshire ACRE for helping me to save over £100 on my last oil order

Mr J Collins

“This is a great scheme and the staff are very helpful. I definitely recommend the oil scheme to anyone”

Mr R Penn

“I have been very impressed with the new Olive scheme so far, I look forward to making more savings in the future”

Miss B Johnson

Established for over 50 years, Northamptonshire ACRE is an independent organisation and registered charity working to improve the life of those living and working in rural Northamptonshire. The levy that is collected from each oil order goes directly towards the running costs of the scheme. NACRE will never inflate prices for profit.

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What's the scheme about?

NACRE set up the oil buying scheme in October 2011 to help reduce the cost of heating oil by negotiating with oil suppliers for a bulk order. Buying oil through our scheme helps secure a good oil price for everyone, especially beneficial for those on a low income. We do not inflate our prices for profit.

NACRE works with eSmartMetrics Ltd (trading as olive). Olive operates the website, handles payments and works with the oil companies to ensure our members get the best possible price for their oil. Olive also offer smart meters that can link to your account enabling you to monitor and manage all your heating oil requirements online.

Anyone can join – homeowner or tenant, business or community building, farms, caravan parks and holiday lets. Standard delivery vehicles are used. The scheme is run via a website, but even if you do not use the internet you can still join.



Register

<https://nacre.myolive.co.uk/registration/register> or speak to a member of the team on 01604 765888.

Include details of property and tank location.

Sign up for Direct Debit or use a payment card.

How does it work?

Order

Log on to order oil. Specify the number of litres you require and if you need an additive.

You can log on and order anytime during the buying window

Pricing

We find you the best price.

We let you know the details.

Payment is made by Direct Debit or Debit/Credit card*.

Delivery

Your oil will be delivered within 10 working days.

If you have narrow access and require a 'baby' tanker, we may have problems delivering to you so please contact us.

What if I don't have access to the internet?

Although the scheme is run via a secure website, you can still join even if you do not have access to a computer. Just contact the oil buying team at NACRE on 01604 765888 and an account can be set up for you and managed on your behalf.



How much does it cost?



There is no joining or membership fee, but we do add a small levy to each oil order to pay for the administration of the scheme. The price you are quoted for your oil includes this charge.

The only other charges would be if you pay by credit card (2% is charged by the secure payment provider) or if you require an additive which is charged at an additional 2 pence per litre.

Register today at

<https://nacre.myolive.co.uk/registration/register>

* 2% charge for credit card). Alternative payment options can be arranged, but payment is always required prior to delivery.