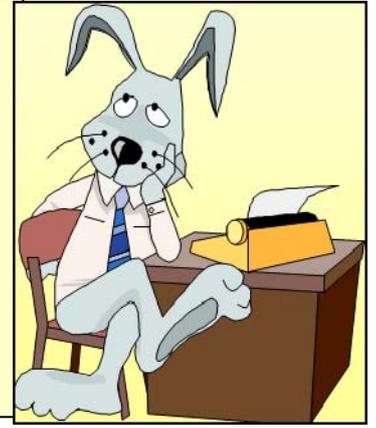


# Welcome to the Bunny Bulletin



The Bunny Bulletin is the Bunny Village monthly magazine. It was founded in September 1998 and is distributed free of charge to every household and business in the Parish of Bunny.

It is produced by a team of volunteers and is funded by Bunny Parish Council and advertising.

The Editorial Committee is conscious that the population of Bunny is constantly changing and is aware that the sense of community that many of us value is in danger of being lost. By promoting village activities and events, raising issues that affect the life of the village, giving a voice to Bunny residents and supporting local businesses and trades-people, we hope to foster a sense of belonging in those who live in our village.

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## Subscribing to the Bunny Bulletin

If you are not a Bunny resident but would like to receive a copy then you may like to take out an annual subscription.

**Perhaps you would like to arrange a subscription for a friend or relative with Bunny connections?**

**The Subscription is currently £6 per annum *plus postage and packing.***

Initial inquiries should be made by letter, including a stamped addressed envelope, to Mrs. Heather Paul, 148, Loughborough Road, Bunny, Nottingham, NG11 6QS.

**Each Month our Web Page will give you a Taste of the Content of the Bunny Bulletin by including the Editorial and Information on the Village Events for the Month.**

## EDITORIAL

April 2010



Not before time, it would seem that “Spring has Sprung” and we are all starting to emerge into our gardens to make a start on putting to rights the ravages of winter. The roadside daffodils will soon be in full bloom but the state of our verges will not do them justice. So, time for the big clear-up. Join us on Saturday April 17th for the Bunny Village Litter Pick - see page 17 for details.

The big events of the month are the annual Bunny Six-a-Side Football Tournament (page 27) and the Church Home-made Cake Sale and Coffee Morning (page 36). Held on the same morning, they complement each other, with spectators coming across to the church for a sit down, a warm and a topping up of calorific intake. This year the Cake Sale will be dividing the proceeds between the Friary Drop-in-Centre in West Bridgford and the fund to provide flowers in the Church.

We report on the sell-out “Indian Cookery Evening” with Deepa Tandon (page 20) and the launch of a new, long-term fund-raising project “Have You Got Talent”(page 24). The Hundred Year Quiz is winding down now (if you haven’t yet had your copy, don't delay, collect your copy from the Church on March 27th between 10:30 and 12.:30), whilst “Come Dine With Me” is just getting underway.

Something to look out for - it was reported to me that “Road Closed” signs appeared at the end of Wysall Lane a couple of weeks ago. Nothing remarkable in that - but, when it later transpired that a hedge had been torn down and some old tractors kept behind the hedge had been taken, it became clear that the placing of the signs had been an illegal act designed to give thieves time to carry out their crime undisturbed. Any official road closure has to be notified beforehand in the press and notices placed at each end of the road. If you think that something is a bit fishy, then ring the police on 0300 3009 999 - don’t bother with the local extension or mobile number - report your suspicions and let the police contact the officer on duty. Much quicker.

**Happy Easter!**

Kate  
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# Village Events February 2010

ON SATURDAY APRIL 24 IT'S THE RETURN OF THE

## BUNNY SIX-A-SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

BUNNY PRIMARY SCHOOL PLAYING FIELD, 10 AM TO 1 PM

No refusing to shake hands with former team-mates. No secret recordings of the manager's team talk. Just a three-hour tournament raising money for the PTA - with barbecue, snacks and drinks available throughout the event.

There are six teams in the tournament. Each team needs six players plus at least one substitute. The entry fee is £3 per player. Ideally players will be dads of current or former pupils. Could anyone interested in playing please get in touch with the following team co-ordinators:

1. VICTORIA ROAD: Mark King (0115 921 1942)
2. ALBERT ROAD: Tony Featherstone (07909 506674)
3. BRADMORE: volunteer needed
4. LOUGHBOROUGH RD & GOTHAM LANE: Ivan Jowett (07917 195760)
5. KEYWORTH: Martin Burt (07866 749262)
6. MOOR LANE & MOOR VIEW: volunteer needed



COME FOR BREAKFAST AND/OR LUNCH BURGERS, HOT DOGS, BACON SARNIES, CRISPS, DRINKS ETC. ARE ALL AVAILABLE

If anyone has any queries  
please contact Dave Whitfield on 07751 433391

## Home-Made Cakes for Sale!

Come and Buy Home-Made Cakes  
at the Bunny Church

**ANNUAL CAKE SALE  
AND COFFEE MORNING**

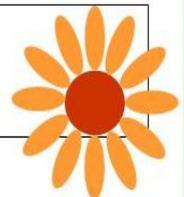
**Saturday April 24th  
10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.**

In aid of the The Friary Drop-In Centre  
And the Church Flower Fund.

**DONATIONS OF HOME-MADE  
CAKES MOST WELCOME**

Please ring Anne Baker on 9211520

**Bunny and District  
Gardeners**



WEDNESDAY,  
APRIL 14TH, 7.30 P.M.  
IN BUNNY VILLAGE HALL

Just in time for summer displays  
"Better Bedding"

Ian Cooke will give us the benefit of his experience as former Director of Grounds at Nottingham University by providing a little garden history before divulging hot tips for creating stunning bedding displays, baskets and planters.

Visitors welcome - £3 on the door



**Bunny Church**  
 will be open to visitors on  
**Saturday 24th April**  
 from 10.30 a.m. — 12 30 p.m.

As well as the usual “attractions” of the building, the bookstall, the coffee and conversation, you will be able to buy your **Hundred Years Quiz** sheets here, as well as the **Bunny Village History Books**, copies of Steve Wright’s booklet **“Wright’s Garage Keyworth, the history of a family firm”** **“A Stroll Around Bunny”** a leaflet for those who would like to know more about their village.

More information on the **“Talents”** fundraising initiative will also be available on both dates.

## PREPARATION FOR EASTERTIDE

*On Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> April the Church will be open from 10.00 am. for cleaning and decorating with flowers.*

*Anyone willing to help will be most welcome.*

*Tea/coffee and hot cross buns will be provided.*

*(bring your favourite brushes and dusters with you if you like!).*



## Bunny Village

### Annual Litter Pick

**Saturday April 17th**

*We need some folks to help us out  
 And pick up local litter.  
 It makes the village tidier  
 And the walk will make you fitter!*

*So to encourage you to come  
 And help us on the day.  
 We'll be having bacon butties  
 Before going on our way!*



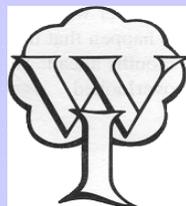
*Meet at the Village Hall  
 at 9.30 a.m.*

*for Bacon Butties and Tea  
 (and a briefing)*

*Pick to commence at 10.00 a.m.*

## BUNNY AND BRADMORE W.I.

Our March meeting was a fund raising ‘Bring & Buy’ enjoyed by all our members.



The next meeting is on 19 April, at 7:30, at Bunny Village Hall, where there will be a talk by Phil Holmes on The Best Kept Secret of WW2-Visitors Welcome.

**Mollie Woods**