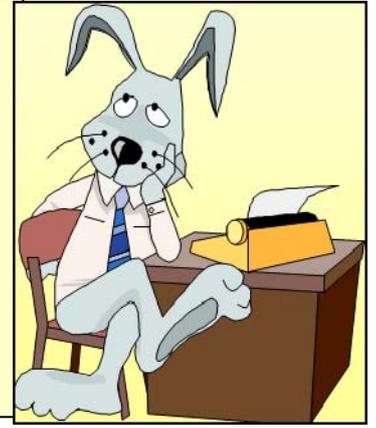


# Welcome to the Bunny Bulletin



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.

## Bunny Bulletin Committee

Editor:	Kate Hunt
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## Writing to or Advertising in the Bulletin

Send your copy to:

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Advertising - Please mark your emails "BB advertising" and include your trading name.

We reserve the right to refuse copy or advertising material and to edit material as considered appropriate.

## 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 £8 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

January 2012



Well, the Christmas season brought a great deal of socialising to Bunny, starting with the Eco-Fayre, then in quick succession, the Village Supper, Christingle, Christmas Tree lighting, and the Carol Service followed by the Rotary Santa and Elves touring the Village. Thank you for the tremendous support from you all, including our friends in Bradmore, it is great to see so many people, of all ages, coming together in the community. Thank-you also to those working away at the organisation of these events. Just Christmas Day Holy Communion then, and off to join family and friends for further festivities!

The next event is the Burn's Night Supper on January 25th, it is advertised on page 20. Not for children, nor for the faint-hearted, as haggis will be involved. Please note that tickets tickets must be bought in advance but that applications will not be accepted until after January 1st.

This event will be in the Village Hall, which brings me to the mystery of the missing plates. Of the 20 white dinner plates specially purchased for use in the Hall, only 1 remains. Has anyone any idea where the others have gone? If you have, please ring Jan on 9841570.

On Saturday January 28th, at the Church Open Morning, there will be a clearance sale of bric-a-brac items left over from the Eco Fayre; and the Rainbow Ringers will be giving a demonstration of hand-bell ringing as well as offering the opportunity for you to have go (p 32).

The holiday period is a good time for taking a walk, weather permitting. Have a look on pages 30 and 33 for news of 3 publications that could add interest to your ramblings. Could I remind you though to keep to the waymarked footpaths and to keep your dog under control (ie off crops). There have been reports of walkers wandering up private farm tracks ("no entry", "private" and "keep out" are not open to interpretation, they mean just that). Given the amount of farm theft, and the presence of illegal hare coursers, it is understandable if land-owners are jumpy when they spot someone where they should not be. We are well-blessed with public rights of way, so please can we stick to them?

**Happy New Year Everyone!**

**Kate**

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A Bunny Church Fabric Fundraisers Publication

## **Bunny and Beyond**

by  
Jan and Dave Eastgate

A collection of walks taking you along the  
highways and byways of Bunny  
(and beyond!).  
£2.50

On sale at Chat in Church  
on Wednesdays, 4th and 18 January 2012,  
from 3pm to 5pm

or ring Jan on 9841570

### **BUNNY CHURCH FABRIC FUNDRAISERS**

**WE ARE COLLECTING OUTDATED  
BRITISH CURRENCY AND UNWANTED  
FOREIGN CURRENCY**

**IF YOU HAVE ANY:**

British Coins or Bank Notes that are  
no longer legal tender.

**OR IF YOU HAVE:**

Cents, Dollars, Francs, Lira, Rupees,  
LeCs, Pesos, Dinarii - whatever - left  
over from decades of foreign holi-  
days

just pop them in an envelope, with  
your name on if you wish, and put it  
through Kate's letterbox at 152,  
Loughborough Road, Bunny

## **LOCAL HISTORY**

For those interested in finding out more about our local history (and those who need to be reminded of what they have forgotten!) the following two Bradmore publications will be of interest. They are available at the Honeycomb in Ruddington, Keyworth Post Office and Bunny Church at Saturday Coffee Mornings, and at Chat in Church (see next page for dates and times for details):- price £2.

### **Bradmore Village Changes from the early 1930s**

by  
George Randall

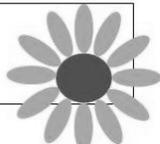
This delightful memoir of Bradmore gives a first-hand account of country life in the village and the changes that have taken place since George, now 89, was a lad in the 1930s.

### **Bradmore Village a Hundred Years Ago and Three Coronations and a Jubilee**

by  
Sheila Clark

Take this booklet with you on a walk around Bradmore and picture how the village looked in the year 1911. Read about the farms and the families who lived there.

Bunny and District  
Gardeners



**Next Meeting**

**Wed 11th January at 7.30p.m.  
Bunny Village Hall**

Sally Cunningham will be talking about  
Pest and Diseases  
and the use of  
Organic Control Methods.

Bunny & Bradmore WI



Our speaker in November was Jane Barnes who told us of the many problems faced by Dairy Farmers.

On January 16<sup>th</sup> at Bradmore David Darby will present 'Look Behind You' – the Story of Pantomime

Mollie Woods

**St. Mary the Virgin, Bunny**

Join us for coffee & biscuits  
Saturday 28th January 2012 from 10.30 a.m.- 12.30 p.m.

As well as Christopher and his second-hand books sale, at the January coffee morning, we have two other events.

**HALF PRICE SALE!**

Unsold items from the bric-a-brac stall at the Eco Fayre are causing domestic friction at the Eastgates' as Dave wants his garage back. So, as a last ditch attempt to get rid, they will be for sale in church on January 18th at half price or offers.

After that they will be off to the charity shop!



**St Mary the Virgin  
Bunny with Bradmore**

**CHAT  
IN  
CHURCH**

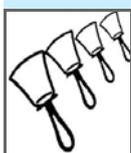
*over coffee, tea and  
home-made cakes*

*Your last chance to  
buy Jan's  
50 First and 50 Last  
Quiz*

*Fortnightly on Wednesday  
afternoons on the 4th and 18  
January 2012  
from 3pm to 5pm.*

*Drop in and have a chat.  
Children welcome*

**THE RAINBOW RINGERS**



This local group of hand-bell ringers will be visiting us to give a demonstration of hand bell ringing, and to give us the chance to "have a go".

They will be ringing from about 11a.m.

We have to thank Bunny resident, John Henson, a member of the group for arranging this event.

**A HAPPY NEW YEAR** To all  
our  
Readers!

**Chris,  
Heather  
and Kate**

