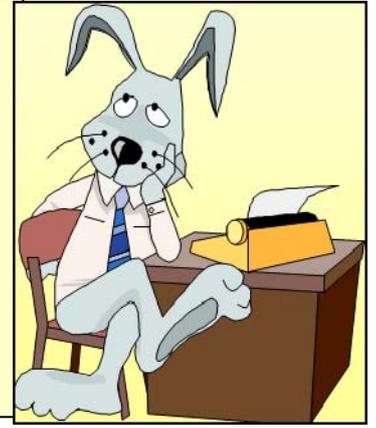


Welcome to the Bunny Bulletin



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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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?

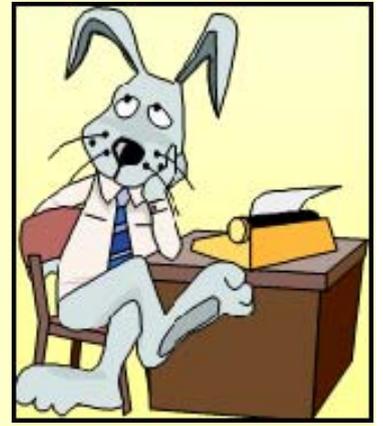
The Subscription is currently £8 per annum *plus postage and packing.*

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

July 2013



Turn to page 27 and you will find a four page pull-out about the third annual “Bunny Village Midsummer Festival”. This year, it is being combined with the annual “Open Churches Weekend” and is focussing on the church, and how changes to the structure of the building, and what took place inside, have been influenced by major historic events throughout the centuries. There will be something to interest everyone and excellent refreshments in the Village Hall.

While on the subject of “entertainment”, the sell-out “Aurora” concert in the church will be followed by a return visit from Nottingham Wind Ensemble on Saturday July 6th. This is a 40 piece orchestra that lends itself well to the first rate acoustics in St. Mary’s. You are advised to buy your tickets early (page 20).

On a more serious note, there is advice to those residents who have voiced concern over aspects of the storing of incinerator bottom ash, by Johnsons Aggregates, at the former landfill site on Bunny Hill. Graham Norbury dispels certain misapprehensions over “the right to roam”, and gives advice to those contemplating any tree-work.

You may have seen our “Resident Writer” featured in the Nottingham Post the other week, in case you didn’t, Rhiannon Tsang appears on page 42 where you may read about her recently published book. We have news of Eclair, the Belted Galloway - turn to page 38 if you have no idea what this is about!

For those who like gardens, on pages 22 and 37 we have details of some local openings in July - let’s hope that the weather takes a turn for the better!

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Nottingham Wind Ensemble

Conductor

Stewart Drummond

Raising funds for
Bunny Church and the
Alzheimer's Society.

Music for a Summer Evening

Saturday 6th July at 7:30pm
In the Church of St Mary the Virgin, Bunny

Nottingham Wind Ensemble is a 40 piece community wind orchestra of mixed age who perform a wide variety of music to suit all tastes, and all ages - including children, whilst raising money for charity.

The programme will include; Mamma Mia, Hello Dolly, the Shostakovich Jazz Suite - and more. Something for everyone!

**So please come along and have a pleasant night out
(bringing a cushion for your seat
will enhance the experience!)**

Last time the concert was a sell-out so don't delay and make sure that you buy your tickets right away from:

Windblowers – 0115 9410543

Tony Raban –0115 9845982



Bunny Church and Bunny History Group
welcome you to
Open Churches Weekend
and
Bunny Village Summer Festival

Saturday July 20th ~ 10.00a.m. to 4.00p.m.
Sunday July 21st ~ 11.00a.m. to 4.00p.m.

The Bunny Timeline
“if stones could speak”

As the oldest building in Bunny, the 13th Century
Parish Church of St. Mary the Virgin has a story to tell.

From its medieval beginning to the present day, changes in the structure of the building have been driven by major historic events. By reading the stories in the stones (and elsewhere) we hope to show how and why these changes occurred, and their impact on the people of Bunny.

Saturday and Sunday

Take a Trip through Two Thousand Years of Historic Bunny
Displays by Bunny History Group and friends.

DVD - The History and Life of Churches
Plus Preserves, Plants and Book Stalls

Saturday

10.30 - 12.30 Live music From Moor Lane
residents Kate Morris and Tony Croft of
“Syzygy2” with Chris Webb

2.00 - 4.00 Teressa Paine leads Activities
for Children

2.30 - 3.30p.m The South Notts. District Bell-
ringers continuing a 300 year 's old tradi-
tion.

Sunday

10.00a.m. The Church of St. Mary the Vir-
gin, Bunny welcomes you to Parish Com-
munion led by Revd. Jim Wellington

11.30a.m. Bunny Handbell Ringers “The
Bells of St Mary’s” .Under the direction of
Mr John Henson

2.30p.m. Violin Duetists Grace Nathan and
Alex Weston will be playing Classical and
Easy-Listening

The Sir Thomas Parkyns' Coffee House and Tea Rooms
will be serving refreshments, including Ploughmans' Lunches,
Throughout the weekend



BUNNY OPEN CHURCHES WEEKEND

AND

SUMMER FESTIVAL

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY 20/21ST JULY

Many thanks to those who have offered to help in the Tea Room. We could do with a few more pairs of willing hands for clearing tables, washing up and so on (on a rota basis over the two days). Even a couple of hours would be much appreciated.

Lynn and Joan who run the much acclaimed Sir Thomas Parkyns' Tea Room, would also welcome donations of home-made cakes (tea loaves, tray bakes and sandwich cakes - not individual cakes).

Please ring Lynn with your offers of help - 9213181

St Mary the Virgin, Bunny with Bradmore

Join us for coffee and biscuits on
June 29th and July 27th
from 10.30 a.m. — 12.30 p.m.

Rhiannon Tsang will be with us for the July get-together when she will be signing her recently published novel, "The Woman Who Lost China"

Jan will have her Jamboree Jams and other preserves, Linda her plants and Christopher his second-hand books for sale.



CHAT IN CHURCH

All ages welcome from new-born to nineties and anyone in-between

St Mary the Virgin,
Bunny with Bradmore

Alternate Wednesdays,
July 3, 17th and 31st
2.30 p.m. - 4.30 p.m.

Drop in and have a chat, a cup of tea or coffee and spoil yourself with a piece of Chris's home-made cake.

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TRUST**

**BUNNY OLD WOOD MINI
BEASTS**

**Sunday July 14th 2013
2.00p.m.**

**Meet at the Wood for a guided walk
to (hopefully) see butterflies and
other woodland beasts,
possibly slugs!**

**BUNNY HISTORY GROUP
ANNUAL
GENERAL MEETING
Wednesday 28th August 7.00pm
Bunny Church**

**Come along and see if you would
like to join us.**

**Bunny History Group runs the
Village Website & Summer Festival**

**You will find us at
bunnyvilage.org.uk**

**BUNNY
AND
BRADMORE WOMEN'S
INSTITUTE**



The Meeting at Bradmore on the 16th June was the first meeting chaired by our new President, Emily Trewin.

The Speaker, Colin Hornsey spoke on 'Gems and Gemstone Craft', and showed us what 100 hours of a machine that polishes stones and rocks can produce. He displayed many different gems, some that sparkle, and the variety of colours that are produced, and have been valued over the centuries by Man. Members were able to purchase items of jewellery after his talk.

Next Meeting at Bunny Village Hall on Monday 15th July, at 7.30pm, when the speaker will be Kate Martin on 'Maggie's at the City Hospital'.

The Centre provides practical and emotional support to people with cancer, and their loved ones, and is open weekdays from 9 -5pm, and you can just drop in. Maggie's opened in November 2011, and many local firms, such as the Evening Post and the Nottingham Building Society, helped to raise funds for the building, which is in the grounds of the Hospital. It relies on fund-raising, and "Maggie's" centres have spread to many Hospitals through the country.

Visitors to our meetings will be made most welcome.

Pat Tudball



VILLAGE HALL BOOKING

Why not use the Village Hall for:
Children's Parties, Special Anniversaries
Clubs and Societies, Occasional or Regular meetings
Charity Fundraising Events?

Charges per hour:

Community and Private use:	Before 6p.m.	After 6pm
Large Hall:	£7.00	£8.00
Small Hall:	£3.50	£3.50
Commercial users:	£10.50.	

Enquiries: contact the Village Hall Administrators on 0115 9212265, or by writing to them at 198, Loughborough Road, Bunny, Nottingham, NG11 6QH