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### **Come to Winterval!**

The Vale of Belvoir's own music festival! The ValeFest music project's first festival, winter carnival mayhem & music, takes place in the Vale of Belvoir, Melton Mowbray & Grantham. Sunday 25 – Saturday 31 January 2009 culminating in a New Orleans Jazz Parade & Winterval Hootenanny in Melton Mowbray on Saturday 31 January 2009. Free parade begins High Street, Melton at 2pm – everyone welcome! Winterval Hootenanny, Melton Theatre at 3pm, 31 January featuring the Oriole New Orleans Jazz Band in an afternoon of fun & family entertainment. Tickets £5 and £3 (concessions) Box Office Tel: 01664 851111 For full schedule of all events & venues see the Melton Times, Grantham Journal, 103 The Eye FM, Gravity FM & [www.valefest.com](http://www.valefest.com) ValeFest Tel: 0845 053 5348. Tune in & turn out To Valefest Winterval!

### **East Bridgford Drama Group**

Tickets will be soon on sale for East Bridgford Drama Group's new production. Last February we performed LIVING TOGETHER, the first play of Alan Ayckbourn's 'Norman Conquests' trilogy. This February we will be staging the second play in the trilogy - ROUND AND ROUND THE GARDEN. Performances will take place in the Village Hall each evening from Tuesday February 24th to Saturday February 28th at 7.30. The same cast as last year - Brenda Youngs, Marjory Soar, Jackie Valentine, Geoff Soar, David Valentine and John Chambers,- will play the 6 characters. Michael Clarke is directing this play. Tickets, which are priced at £6.00 (with concessions at £5.00 for senior citizens on Tuesday & Wednesday) may be obtained from the Drama Group secretary - Michael Clarke (tel. 20682) or from any member of the Drama Group. They will also be on sale in the Post Office and in EB News.

The Drama Group members are most grateful for the support we had for our last production in November, which played to full houses on all 5 nights. We look forward to welcoming you, and, we trust, entertaining you with our next play.

### **Bingham Musical Theatre Company**

Our next production, the popular panto Puss in Boots, will be performed each evening (7.30pm start) from Wednesday 18th February – Saturday 21st February at Dayncourt School Theatre, Radcliffe- on –Trent. Tickets £6 and £5 (children and concessions). Come and enjoy the fun of a traditional entertainment. For further information and tickets contact Jane 0115 933 5146

### **Bingham Cricket Club Junior Coaching**

Bingham Cricket Club will be launching a new Introductory Coaching Course for Under 11 youngsters as part of an extensive junior and senior winter training plan early in 2009. The course will run at Bingham Leisure Centre every Friday night from 7-8pm, aimed at junior cricketers aged between 8 and 11 years old. The course will emphasis basic cricketing skills with plenty of fun and games and will work towards an introduction to hardball cricket during the season. Places can be booked by e-mail ([mayliem@aol.com](mailto:mayliem@aol.com)) or by phone (07817 983285). Cost will be £2 per session and the start date is on Friday 2nd January, (although it is still possible to join on a subsequent week). Children aged between 11 and 15 will be catered for with sessions on Saturday mornings between 9 and 11am at Grantham Indoor Cricket Centre. Finally, adult nets will be based at the Sobers Hall, Trent Bridge, on Monday evenings from 8-9pm. For more information on the club, which actively welcomes new players, please visit their website, [www.bingham.play-cricket.com](http://www.bingham.play-cricket.com) or call 07834 774195.

### **Vale of Belvoir Ramblers January Walks**

This month we have a walk and pub lunch and a walk commencing with breakfast during Farmhouse Breakfast week. Why not start the new year with a resolution to be more active, and join The Ramblers? New members joining during the Festival of Winter Walks enjoy a discount of 20% on first year's membership - ask the leader for a discount leaflet on the walks on 4 January. All walks are free and you do not have to be a member of the Ramblers to take part. See [www.ramblers.org.uk/](http://www.ramblers.org.uk/) for more details of all Festival walks, or phone Jan for more information or a programme on 0115 9825600.

Sun 4 Jan Langar, Notts 5 miles 10am 2nd Winter Festival Walk. Another easy walk to start exercising gently; Sun 11 Jan ossall, Notts 8 miles 10am Undulating footpaths & bridleways, canal towpaths and quiet lanes; Sun 18 Jan Cropwell Bishop, Notts 10 miles 9am Vale of Belvoir villages and Grantham canal followed by pub lunch; Sun 25 Jan Halloughton, Notts 9 miles 10am Slightly undulating walk passing through local villages; Wed 28 Jan Sibleby, Leics 8 miles 10am Walk preceded by breakfast in Farmhouse Breakfast Week



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##### The Legion @ Radcliffe

The legion @Radcliffe, Main Road, ROT - New year, new events, new Website! [www.legion-radcliffe.tk](http://www.legion-radcliffe.tk) or email us at [legion-radcliffe@live.com](mailto:legion-radcliffe@live.com) Tel 01159110181/07938448535.

January events - Sat 3rd, Daniel Adams 8.30pm, Sat 10th Garry Parks 8.30pm, Mon 12th A new Salsa class with Monica 8-10pm - beginners welcome plus friday mornings from 16th January, a new Line Dance class, 10.30 with Jules all ages welcome. Fri 16th 7.30pm Rock n roll night with band Red House Rockets and DJ Sean. Line dancing Wednesdays from 7pm Sat 17th Big Cash prize Bingo and Games night, starts 8.pm, Sat 24th 'Katrice' 8.30pm Sat 31st, Nick Turner, 8.30pm Every Thurs lunchtime 12.30 - 3pm Dancing with our resident band, Great prices on all drinks! For details of all events please contact us.

##### Competition Winner

Congratulations to Mrs. W.J. Lever of Bingham, winner of a meal for two at Farndon Boathouse in our November Sudoku competition.