

# Bramcote Conservation Society



## Bramcote Conservation Spring Newsletter

## 40th Year

Dear member..            Thank you for your continued membership.

Welcome to our Spring newsletter which also includes our new Bramcote Conservation Society leaflet for your information and your membership card. We will be distributing copies of this leaflet around the Conservation area to maximise interest in this our 40th year to show what we have achieved and what our aims and objectives are. If you would like extra copies for friends / neighbours who would be interested these can be collected at The White Lion Pub.

The Bramcote Conservation Society Membership and Privilege card which will be distributed on receipt of your subscription and entitles you to a discount and is accepted as proof by a select number of local businesses and reliable craftsmen to our paid- up members.

We intend to build an up-to -date database of highly recommended tradesmen who have undertaken excellent work for our members. If you have knowledge of any local companies or persons that have done work for you that you would recommend please give us their contact details so that we can follow it up with them. These might include professions such as tree surgery, lead work, tiling, painting and masonry work It is our intention to share this knowledge with our membership to help them locate specific tradesmen who can help undertake any conservation work or project that they may wish to undertake.

If you have any points of concern or interest please feel free to join us at The White Lion on the last Monday of every month at 8.00 pm for an informal chat. We are always open to suggestions, concerns and new ideas that will help move the area forward.

We are currently in discussion with the contractors who are developing the two houses on Bridle Road that overlooks the school to obtain a satisfactory replacement for the wooden boarding. We are hoping it will be hawthorn in keeping with what was removed by the contractor to allow access. This we hope will eventually blend in with the existing 200 plus year old hedge.

If you are struggling and fed up with the potholes on your local road and want them filling in to maintain the local area you can Google Nottingham County Council Potholes. This takes you straight to the page where you can report damaged roads or street lamps. Please keep reporting problems until they are fixed.

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We have had correspondence regarding the road works on Town Street and Church Street with Broxtowe Borough Council and have had reassurances that on completion of these works all road and pavement surfaces will be replaced to the same or better standard. If you notice that this is not the case or you have any concerns regarding these works please contact Broxtowe Highways department on 917 7777.

Have you had chance to visit our website? It now has more information than ever on it which is great to read through if you are wanting to expand your local knowledge of the area or find out the answer to a question: [www.bramcoteconservation.org.uk](http://www.bramcoteconservation.org.uk)

## **What's happening:**

We are having our first **Bramcote Historic Walk** on May 16th which will be an informative self lead tour around the village picking out the points of interest along the way and hopefully give you more knowledge of your local area. This will be ideal for all the family to get involved in. It will last about an hour. If you wish to take part please meet us in the White Lion at 19.00 for your instructions.

The Hemlock Happening is on Saturday 11th June. It will be a great event with plenty of local performances and points of interest to see.

Please make a note in your diary for our AGM that will be held on June 23rd. We will be following the previously successful format of meeting at Bramcote memorial Hall followed by a BBQ and raffle at the White Lion. Please see the AGM notices for the final arrangements. If you would like to get involved please don't hesitate to contact us. We are constantly striving to move the Society forward to meet the next forty years of challenges whatever they may be!!

Have a good summer and we look forward to seeing you out and about.

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