

# NEWS BULLETIN April 2023



# Forthcoming Monthly Speaker Meetings

Monthly speaker meetings are held at Burton Joyce and Bulcote Village Hall, Trent Lane, Burton Joyce, Nottingham NG14 5EY. They are followed by refreshments, tea/coffee and biscuits. It's an ideal opportunity to socialise, sign up for Groups and chat to friends. The meetings start at 1.45 p.m. prompt and members are asked to be seated in good time as late arrivals make it difficult for others to hear the announcements.



## TUESDAY 11th APRIL - ANDREW SMART - "BYGONES"

Andrew Smart delivered this talk to us via Zoom in January 2021, when February 2021's Newsline reported "This Zoom meeting was our best one yet! Retired Nottingham Post journalist Andrew Smart took members on a fascinating stroll down memory lane for our January meeting, flicking through the pages of the Post's popular Bygones magazine he edited during his days with the newspaper."

#### TUESDAY 9th MAY - VINCE EAGER - "LIFE AFTER EUROVISION"

Vince Eager gave us a very entertaining talk in April 2018, "All aboard the 6.5 special" - The early days of Rock 'n Roll. In this follow-up talk he recalls having been chosen to be the first British rock 'n' roller to appear in the Eurovision Song Contest in 1960, how he inadvertently broke the contest's rules, the ups and downs of losing his pal Eddie Cochran, and the moment he saved Jayne Mansfield from an embarrassing dress malfunction.



## FRIDAY 26TH MAY AT 7:30 p.m. - BURTON JOYCE VILLAGE HALL



- FISH AND CHIP SUPPER
- BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS & PLASTIC GLASSES/CUPS
- £10 PER TICKET (NUMBERS LIMITED)
- CONTACT ANNE HEGARTY, TREASURER TO RESERVE YOUR PLACE EMAIL: treasurer@bju3a.co.uk OR CALL 07981 705967

#### **POLITICAL HISTORY GROUP**

The number of participants in this group was originally limited because meetings were to be held in the coordinator's home. However, that restriction has now been removed since the venue has been changed to the Main Hall, Burton Joyce & Bulcote Village Hall. Meetings are held on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 2pm. There will be a small charge to cover room hire.

To sign up, contact the coordinator, David Yates, on 07929 726583 or email yatesnottm@hotmail.com