

As usual East Bridgford Drama Group would like to thank:  
Frank Smith, Landlord at the Royal Oak for providing our rehearsal facilities.

East Bridgford News and East Bridgford Post Office for selling tickets, also members and friends of the group who have kindly loaned furniture, props, and costumes, not forgetting all those who have helped with the set build and serving refreshments.

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Would you like to join us?



We are always in need of new members to act or to work backstage. As you can imagine there are numerous jobs that take a variety of skills for each production and there is always someone to teach any inexperienced person, all you need is enthusiasm, we were all new once! Don't just watch the telly, get involved in live theatre! If you would like to join the group please ring our secretary, Michael Clarke, on: -

01949 20682

or ask any member of the group.

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**Next Production**  
**February 25th—1st March 2003**

To round off your evening, visit the Royal Oak, East Bridgford. The group recommend its friendly atmosphere.

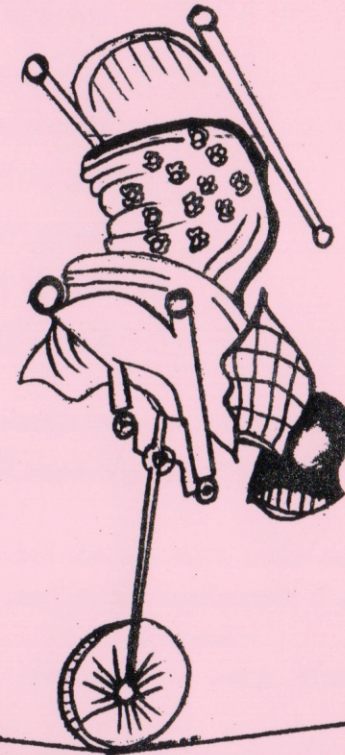


St Peter's is a 13th Century church. Why not pay us a visit? You will be warmly welcomed.



## East Bridgford Drama Group

Presents



# BEDROOM FARCE

By  
Alan Ayckbourn

Tuesday 19th - Saturday 23rd November 2002

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### Cast

Ernest	Alan Haydock
Delia	Valerie Allen
Nick	Phil Lynch
Jan	Victoria Pepper
Malcolm	Malcolm Cope
Kate	Jean Starbuck
Trevor	Mark Pilgrim
Susannah	Kate Thornton

Directed by Jean Starbuck

Produced by Peter Salter & Jean Starbuck

The action takes place in three bedrooms.

Act 1: Saturday evening, 7pm.

*Interval*

Act 2: A few moments later.

### Production Team

Prompt	Peter Salter
Set Design	David Darby
Lighting Design	Jeremy Rowe
Lighting	Kate Thornburrow
Props	Jean Preston & Molly Wood
Stage Manager	Annie Ferris
Front of House	Reg Bee
Ticket Sales	Alan Haydock
Refreshment Managers	Sandy Hall & Michael Clarke

## Tonight's Cast

The play begins with *Alan Haydock*, henpecked as usual. When not treading the boards he performs as the vicar of East Bridgford. Playing his wife is *Valerie Allen* who also rings the changes in the belfry of St. Peter's Church in the village. *Phil Lynch*, a new member, is introduced next, proving the EBDG is truly international, as he hails from Glasgow. He has not been on stage for some years but he is enjoying lying in bed for a couple of hours every evening as he works *very* hard! Lying in bed with him is *Victoria Pepper*, another new member, an *EX PROFESSIONAL ACTOR!* Mind you, that was in Crossroads, Circa 1987! She would like it to be known that she is open to offers! *Malcolm Cope*, seen on stage here many times over the years, plays an incompetent DIY enthusiast. According to his wife *this* is true acting—or not—take your pick, his motto ought to be: Don't Involve Yourself! *Jean Starbuck* plays his wife. Diehards will know Jean well as she usually takes on the roles no one else wants, although there have been some plums in the last 20 years. We are lucky to have *Mark Pilgrim* back again on stage and in one piece as last year he broke his arm skiing! Let's hope he 'breaks a leg' tonight. Finally we see *Kate Thornton* getting to be a seasoned actor, although anyone seeing her last performance would think she has a fetish about palm readers!