



Welcome to the Buttercup Miniatures February newsletter, with a special welcome to all our new subscribers!

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**1. General News**

After much consideration we have decided to reintroduce the monthly offer on the web shop. These offers can be found each month at: [http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//offers-this-month/c\\_70.html](http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//offers-this-month/c_70.html) we will endeavour to offer items from different categories each month and these items will be on offer for one month only. These offers are exclusive to the web shop and can only be ordered via the web shop.

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**2. Non-delivery of newsletters**

Each time we send out a newsletter we have quite a few returned as non-deliverable.

This is mainly where people have changed their e-mail address and not informed us (if you have not had an acknowledgement for your change of address then we have **NOT** received it). Also if you change your address please let us know both the old **and** the new e-mail addresses.

Another reason is because their inbox is full. If you wish to continue to receive the newsletter please ensure you have deleted old unwanted e-mails from your inbox, so there is space for the newsletter.

You may also need to adjust your spam settings to allow mail from us, as if we receive the returned newsletter with the message that the 'sender regards this as spam' we delete your e-mail from the list of subscribers.

If you have not received a newsletter from us recently and are reading this on our web site, this may explain why. You may need to subscribe again if your name has been deleted due to several bounces of the newsletter.

Remember if you wish to benefit from offers, vouchers and receive free patterns then you need to be an e-mail subscriber.

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### 3. New web shop items

#### 1/12<sup>th</sup> scale Pewter

**WM 82** Brass (gold plated) kettle and lid £ 3.50 each

**WM 83** Coffee grinder with turning handle and removable drawer £ 6.50 each

**WM 84** Natural pewter frying pan £1.00 each

**WM 85** Violin and bow in natural pewter £ 3.35 each

See [http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//pewter-miniatures/1-12th-scale-accessories/c\\_49.html](http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//pewter-miniatures/1-12th-scale-accessories/c_49.html) for more details

#### 1/12<sup>th</sup> scale Paper items

**PA 79** 1/12th scale St David's Day card showing daffodils complete with yellow envelope, card fits inside envelope. Greeting inside reads: Dydd Gwyl Dewi Hapus! 75p each

**PA 80** 1/12th scale St David's Day card showing the Welsh dragon complete with red envelope, card fits inside envelope. Greeting inside reads: Dydd Gwyl Dewi Hapus! 75p each

**PA 81** 1/12th scale St David's Day card showing the Welsh dragon complete with green envelope, card fits inside envelope. Greeting inside reads: Dydd Gwyl Dewi Hapus! 75p each

**PA 82** 1/12th scale Valentines's Day card showing red roses complete with red envelope, card fits inside envelope. Greeting inside reads: Be Mine! 75p each

**PA 83** 1/12th scale Valentines's Day card showing a single pink rose complete with pink envelope, card fits inside envelope. Greeting inside reads: My Love is Forever Yours! 75p each

**PA 84** 1/12th scale Valentines's Day card showing cats complete with pink envelope, card fits inside envelope. Greeting inside reads: Thinking of you Always 75p each

See: [http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//paper-items/1-12th-scale-accessories/c\\_52.html?page=7](http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//paper-items/1-12th-scale-accessories/c_52.html?page=7) for full details

#### 1/12<sup>th</sup> scale food items

**F 4** Coventry Godcakes 50p each

**F 5** Staffordshire oatcakes 25p each

**F 6** Rolled pancake 30p each

**F 7** Flat pancake 25p each

**F 8** Fruit filled pancake £ 1.50 each

All the above are supplied loose (ie without a plate, so as they can be placed on a plate which is part of your existing dolls house china, or placed on a baking sheet, griddle or frying pan)

For more information on these and other food items see:

[http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//dollshouse-food/1-12th-scale-accessories/c\\_44.html](http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//dollshouse-food/1-12th-scale-accessories/c_44.html)

#### 1/12<sup>th</sup> Scale Rug Kits

**RUG 21** Irish Gaelic language version of the Welcome Rug. £ 3.50 each

Kit to make a 1/12th scale door mat with Irish Gaelic welcome message and Shamrock.. Approx. size: 2 inches (5 cm) by 1¼ inches (3 cm)

For more information see: [http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//general-rug-kits/1-12th-scale-rug-kits/irish-welcome-mat/p\\_1431.html](http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/shop.php//general-rug-kits/1-12th-scale-rug-kits/irish-welcome-mat/p_1431.html)

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#### **4. Warwick Miniatures pewter items**

Warwick Miniatures have discontinued some of their items as from December last year. We have stocked up on some of the items that are being discontinued, which are marked as discontinued on our web site. Once these are gone we will NOT be able to replace them. Unfortunately we were not able to stock up on all items as some had already sold out. All the new items listed above have also been discontinued by Warwick Miniatures, so are available on a first come first served basis.

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#### **5. Articles in Magazines**

Buttercup Miniatures has been featured in a couple of magazines recently. Our 1/12<sup>th</sup> scale 1934 Wedding dress is featured in the current issue of The Dolls House Magazine and an article has been written about our business in the trade magazine Craft Focus. This latter magazine is distributed to many craft shops around the UK and may hopefully bring miniatures to their attention.

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#### **6. Thame dolls house Fair**

Although we no longer attend fairs ourselves, our stockist Carol Argent of Miniature Wonderland will be attending this fair with all our patterns, most sizes of knitting needles and most of our kits. Please do go along and support this worthy cause.

**Thame Dolls House & Miniatures Fair**  
**On Saturday 23rd February 2008**  
**10.00am -4.00pm**  
**THAME LEISURE CENTRE, OXFORD RD., THAME, OXFORDSHIRE OX9 2BB**  
**Admission: Adult £2.50/ Child £1.00 (under fives free)**

For more information visit: <http://www.oxnews.co.uk/index.php?page=Dollshouse.php>

This is a joint venture between KT Miniatures and oxnews.co.uk and they as organisers will donate 50% of profits from running this event to Breast Cancer Campaign.

At least 28 high quality miniatures artisans, some ranking amongst the finest in the UK plus the local dolls house club will be running an exhibition alongside at the same time. There are attractions such as a charity auction, raffle, sales table etc and we have already had some fabulous miniature related donations from all over, including a signed un-edited novel from a celebrated author, a signed CD from a record company and many items from professional artisans within the miniatures world. All proceeds from these attractions are in aid of Breast Cancer Campaign. Even the local town crier will be lending a hand so please mark the date in your diary, come along & have a fantastic miniatures day out and help us raise as much money for Breast Cancer Campaign as possible!

For more information ring Celia Thomas on 01844 212520 or see promotional page, including full list of exhibitors by going to [www.ktminiatures.com](http://www.ktminiatures.com)

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**7. Free 1/12<sup>th</sup> scale knitting pattern (for e-mail subscribers only)**

**Ladies jumper front c. 1937-45**



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