



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

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1. General news

We would like to wish all our readers a very Happy and Prosperous New Year for 2010!

Our web shop exclusive January sale is now underway, this means the sale prices **ONLY** apply to orders placed via the web shop, and excludes orders placed by phone or mail, for full details please see item 4.

Some of the photos we have received of the finished Advent Cot cover can now be seen on our blog pages at: <http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/newsblog/?cat=10> If anyone else wishes to share photos of this project and have your creations displayed on our blog pages, then please do send us the photos
The Advent Calendar pattern will be removed from the blog pages at the end of January, hopefully this gives people who were away over Christmas chance to catch up on the parts they missed.

2. Increase in postage charges from April 2010

Our postage (shipping) charges have remained unchanged for several years, despite Royal Mail increasing its prices every year. Unfortunately the latest increase in prices announced by Royal Mail and recent changes to charging by size of parcel has meant we have no alternative but to increase our postal charges from April this year. Further details will be announced nearer the time. Although we regret having to increase shipping charges slightly we are still only asking you to make a contribution towards the postage and packing costs and not to bear the full costs as some companies may do.

3. Articles in magazines

We have three kits being reviewed in the February 2010 issue of Dolls House and Miniature Scene. Gun dog certificates, dog basket and glass fishing float. More information is available from our blog pages.

4. Web Shop News and January sale

This month, we have a few new items you may be interested in, these new products can be found at the bottom of the homepage on our web shop: <http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk>

1/12th scale accessories

AZ 45 Curious pigeon £ 3.50

AZ 51 Pekinese dog £ 5.25

1/24th scale accessories

AZF 7 Golden retriever dog £ 4.75

Our **January sale** is now taking place exclusively on our web shop. This means the sale prices ONLY apply to orders placed via the web shop. For those orders placed via the web shop, but where the 'Print Order Form' option is selected, sale prices will still be valid, BUT items will not be reserved until payment is received. Please contact us by e-mail before sending a cheque/postal order.

We are offering many items at reduced prices on this page http://store.buttercupminiatures.co.uk/offers-this-month/cat_70.html Please note that many of these items are end of lines and we may only have ONE left, so these are ALL web shop exclusives and offered on a strictly first come first served basis. **Please remember that items in your cart are NOT reserved for you until payment has been made.**

In addition we are offering a 15% saving on all miniature knitting, miniature crochet and teddy bear patterns. Don't forget if you also have a discount voucher this will give you a 25% saving on the normal pattern price. Don't forget to update your cart once you have added the voucher code or your discount will not be deducted, we are not able to deduct this once the payment is made.

If you have mislaid your special birthday discount voucher code please contact us. Please note we are not issuing any new vouchers at this time, so if you do not currently have a discount voucher in a previous newsletter offer (for whatever reason), you will unfortunately have to look out for our next voucher offer.

The sale will end on 31st January 2010

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