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## Massive cannabis grow found in Bramcote

A 16-year-old boy has been arrested and remanded into custody after police discovered a cannabis grow worth more than £300,000 at a house in Bramcote.

Officers raided the house in Derby Road at 8am on Friday, July 1, after receiving information that drugs were being grown at the property. They discovered around 600 cannabis plants in rooms throughout the house, along with specialist growing equipment and high-intensity lighting.

The teenager was arrested on suspicion of growing drugs

and, after being interviewed by detectives, has been charged with possession of cannabis with intent to supply and with production of cannabis. Police enquiries are continuing.

The drugs, which have an estimated street value of around £340,000, have been destroyed.

PC Karl Barlow, beat manager for Bramcote and Stapleford, said: "This discovery shows how important it is for the public to report any signs of suspicious activity.

"On this occasion we found and destroyed a sophisticated cannabis grow of hundreds of plants – drugs which would have undoubtedly made their way onto the streets of Nottinghamshire.

"I would urge anyone who has information about drug production or supply to continue to engage with the police so we can deal with it immediately."

Anyone who has information should contact Nottinghamshire Police on 0300 300 99 99. Alternatively call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

## Time for Beeston Carnival!

Saturday, July 9  
Beeston Square and Broadgate Park

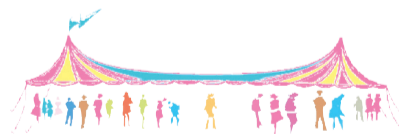
At last it's time for the 2011 Beeston Carnival.

This is the sixth carnival organised by local Cllrs Lynda and Pat Lally and each year it gets bigger and better.

The overall format is similar to previous years, with activities starting on Broadgate Park whilst the Carnival Princesses are 'crowned' in Beeston Square. Then the Big Carnival Parade will move along the High Road towards the Park, everything accompanied by lots of noise and general merriment.

### Beeston Carnival Programme of Events

In Beeston Square	On Broadgate Park
<b>10am</b> Maxine welcomes people to the carnival, followed by songs from the 1950s.	<b>1.30pm</b> Reema & Friends – Dance display
<b>10.30am</b> Nottingham Youth Band	<b>1.45pm</b> The Wildcats
<b>11am</b> Warrior Martial Arts	<b>2.00pm</b> Beeston Pipe Band
<b>11.30am</b> Amal, the winner of Mecca's Got Talent will sing	<b>2.30pm</b> The Underdogs – Dance display
<b>11.45am</b> Zumba Demo	<b>2.35pm</b> Maxine sings
<b>12 noon</b> Tesco Fashion Show	<b>2.40pm</b> Music from The Underdogs
<b>12.30pm</b> <i>Crowning of our two Beeston Carnival Princesses by the Carnival sponsors</i>	<b>2.45pm</b> Belly Dancing display
<b>1pm</b> <i>The Big Carnival Parade sets off for Broadgate Park...</i>	<b>3.15pm</b> Funky River Styx Band




  
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