

**How is the BANBURY
TALKING NEWSPAPER**

supported?

As a local charity we receive donations and bequests. We also operate several fund-raising schemes.

Cherwell District Council and Banbury Town Council support us on a regular basis and we are very grateful for this vital contribution.

Other organisations help us with contributions that enable us to keep our equipment up to date and in good condition.

If you wish to contribute, please send your donation to the Secretary.

Do you know someone who could benefit from having the

Talking Newspaper?

If so, give us a call!

How to contact us:-

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Telephone: (01295) 258474**

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Banbury Old People's Club
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Registered Charity No. 280416

“PAPERTALK”



**BANBURY TALKING
NEWSPAPER**

We record Banbury's local news each week from the Banbury Guardian on to audio cassette tape for those unable to read it for themselves

What is **BANBURY**

TALKING NEWSPAPER?

A local charity producing a weekly 90-minute news tape to over 150 Listeners who are unable to read the Banbury newspapers for themselves.

This may be due to sight problems, stroke, or other disability

The tapes are carried free by Royal Mail.

The total service is **free** to the Listener

How does the **TALKING**

NEWSPAPER operate?

The Banbury Guardian is published on Thursday. We edit this for recording.

During the day on Thursday, the returned tapes from the previous week are unpacked, erased and rewound ready for re-use.

On Thursday evening, a team of Engineer and Readers record the 90 minute master tape.

A second production team comes in to copy, pack and dispatch the current edition.

Royal Mail does the rest!

The Volunteers –

What do they do?

The Officers and a small Committee organise:-

6 teams of Engineers and Readers for the recording sessions.

The Editor prepares the Banbury Guardian for the recording.

The Production Team work Thursday lunchtimes checking in, erasing and rewinding tapes
