Grow a Mystery Crop

If you dig up a bit of woodland soil (or take a spade to part of your garden) and put it into a pot and water it, what do you think will grow? It’s a mystery!

The seeds that would normally lie dormant until the following spring can often be coaxed into life in the warmth of your home. It’s fun to try to identify what is sprouting, although for best results you should put the plants under plant lights. The dwindling natural sunlight only confirms the plants’ suspicions that it really is November!