

NEWSLETTER

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Next Monthly Meeting

Next Meeting 10th April 2024

Guest Speaker: Geoff Harris

"Folklore, Folk Tales and Funny Folk"

A rather sideways look at some of this country's more bizarre customs, folklore and old wives' tales

Note – Deadline for submission of Articles for the next edition of the newsletter is 26th April 2024

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Message from our Chair

Welcome to our April Newsletter.

First of all, just a short vote of thanks to Mark Thornley for organising the trip to Kendal in March, 52 of us went and had an excellent time, coach, driver, hotel, food, staff, entertainments, walks, outings, were all very good, well done Mark.

Trust you all put your clocks forward 30th night, it meant we had one hours less rain!

Well with the AGM next meeting, it means that my term as Chairman has come to an end and we will be voting in new committee members and re-electing some existing committee members, I would like to give you just a few details.

Diane Heenan has served her full 6 years and has been an excellent Speakers Secretary, sourcing some very good speakers, thanks Diane.

Angela Cornish has also served 6 years and has been an outstanding Webmaster, keeping our website fully up to date and setting up our new Facebook page, Thanks Angela.

Mark Jackson, has also completed his 6 years as both Business Secretary and Beacon Administrator, Mark has been a mainstay of the committee and has helped and mentored others whenever needed, many thanks Mark.

The are 4 new candidates for the committee:- Helen Rose, who was co-opted during the year as Minutes Secretary (to replace Sandra Green), Robert (Bob) McEwen to stand as Vice Chair, Kevin Varey to stand as Business Secretary and John Pretty to stand as Beacon Administrator.

There are 8 current committee members who are willing to be re-elected, these being:- Tina Holmes as our new Chairman, Gary Holmes to continue as Treasurer. Greg Umney to continue as Membership Secretary, Sue Tedstone to continue as Group Co-ordinator, Elizabeth Attenborough to continue as Equipment Manager, Lynda Smeathers as our new Webmaster, Christine Eagle as our new Speakers Secretary, thanks to them all for being willing to continue, and finally myself, Melvyn Francis as committee member.

I must not forget the fabulous work that Stephen Lawence, our Newsletter Editor does all year, collating, editing and producing our monthly newsletter, helped by Kevin Varey as required.

And of course where would be without the thankless task of providing our refreshments that John and Christine Berrill carry out, not only at every monthly meeting, but at many specials and one off events, Thanks to both. (don't forget to volunteer to help).

Finally I would like to thank you all for making my two year Chairman's post so enjoyable. It has been hard work at times, but the privilege of serving our u3a and meeting so many wonderful folk more than compensates. Many, many thanks to you all.

Look forward to seeing you at our next monthly meeting on 10th April .

God Bless

Melvyn Francis, Chair

Monthly Meeting - Wednesday 10th April

Safety

As always please use the rear doors off the car park for access and ensure that you register yourself as attending, if leaving before the end of the meeting, it is important for health and safety that you sign yourselves out.

In the event of the fire alarm sounding, then please make your way to the rear car park by means of the rear doors if possible. The assembly point is the Scout Hut in the far corner of the car park.

This month's meeting will include our Annual General Meeting, as well as our normal notices, announcements, break and guest speaker, who will be Mr Geoff Harris talking on the subject of 'Folklore, Folk Tales and Funny Folk'

Please wear your name badges, it is far easier to strike up a conversation if folk know your name.

Please remember to volunteer for the tea & coffee rota if you are able.

Future Speakers

May – Nina Dauban – What you didn't Know about Charities June – Andrew Lound – The Sky is no longer the limit July – Fools Gold Acoustic Duo

April Scams

Lloyds Bank

Received an email allegedly from Lloyds Bank stating that they had tried to contact me by phone and not been able to assumed my mobile contact number was out of date.

Instructions given - Please click on attached link to upload latest personnel details.

Initially suspect as I don't have a Lloyds account, on clicking on the senders email address it was obvious that this was not from Lloyds – DELETE email.

Ozempic phishing scam

Scammers are setting up fake phishing websites peddling the new weight loss drug Ozempic, cybersecurity firm Kaspersky has warned.

The websites ask for your personal details including your name, address and banking information.

PayPal invoice scam

Scammers impersonating PayPal are sending recipients a 'receipt' for a high-value order in an attempt to get them to call a dodgy phone number.

The number is provided if you 'didn't authorise this charge' and leads to a phone scam where a fraudster will try to obtain your personal details.

Don't click on the links in these emails and don't respond to them.

ITV impersonation email

This scam email impersonating ITV offers a subscription to the ITV X streaming service for just £2 a year.

The link in the email leads to a phishing website which asks for your address, phone number, email and bank details.

Please beware scammers and thieves are after your money, never respond to any email or text you are not 100% happy with.



TICKETS ARE STILL AVAILABLE FOR THE
JOHNNY VICTORY sings the 50's, 60's & 70's
On FRIDAY 12TH APRIL 2024

Doors open at 7,00pm

TICKETS £8 to be sold on 10th April at the members meeting

There will be no catering but you are welcome to bring your own food

Fancy Dress Optional

Kendal Trip March 2024

Our recent trip 0f 52 members mainly from our Walking groups and National Trust group, to Kendal seems to have been a huge success, no complaints and many compliments for me, the staff at the hotel and the driver. I'm still not sure how he navigated some of the roads and corners.

We stayed at the County Hotel at Kendal for, four nights, it was very well appointed with good food and very pleasant staff who couldn't seem to do enough for us.

The first day we had a day trip to Keswick, some of us were dropped off and participated in a linear walk along the side of Derwent Water, the rain held off and we had a very picturesque walk. The second day was a free day around Kendal; some of us went on a tour of the Hawkshead microbrewery, which was very interesting and informative, others decided to take the more scenic route and walked while others took the train. On the third day we went for a visit to Sizergh castle and its gardens which again was very good, the gardens were superb.

There was entertainment every night which again was done in such a way to include the audience. We were thoroughly entertained, it was great.

Sadly, the next day we had to return home; I think everyone would have gladly stayed a few more days.









Mark Thornley

U3A Holiday

HIGHLAND HOUSE PARTY, 5 DAYS FROM SUNDAY 23rd FEBUARY 2025 DUKE OF GORDON HOTEL, KINGUSSIE VILLAGE, £305 pp

The hotel is located in the village of Kingussie and looks out across the Spey Valley and Cairngorms National Park. All rooms enjoy private facilities, the comfortable and welcoming lounge bar offers a choice of over 50 whiskies from Scottish distilleries.

Evening entertainment takes place in the Ruthven ballroom with traditional folk dancing and a weekly Ceilidh. I have negotiated a bespoke Highland House Party for our u3a members the cost includes all of your excursions and admissions. Our main itinerary will be as follows:-

Sunday 23rd February 2025 coach pick up at Kirkby and Newstead Abbey Gates. If there is demand we will also pick up from Mansfield.

5 days, 4nights half board.

Three Excursions included

- * Eilean Donan full day out with comfort stop at Spean Bridge Mill
- * Funicular Railway ride on the Cairngorm mountain. With stop off at Aviemore in the afternoon
- * Red Deer Sanctuary where you will have the opportunity to feed and see these magnificent creatures. Afterwards we continue for a stop off at the highland town of Pitlochry for a chance to explore the town.

Your holidays also includes

Full Highland breakfast

Candlelight evening meals, 5 courses at each meal please let me know if you have any special dietary requirements.

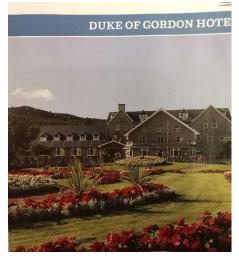
Entertainment every evening

On several evenings, guests are piped into dinner by a piper in full highland dress An evening of traditional Scottish Ceilidh... bring your dancing shoes and be prepared to fling the tartan!!

I'm feeling excited about this one!!

THE COST IS £305 pp. PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHEQUES OUT TO CAIRNGORM TRAVEL See Caroline to book and for more information. crhoades159@gmail.com 07724210563

CAIRNGORM TRAVEL ARE FULLY BONDED WITH ABTOT - MEMBER 7095



News From the Groups

Discussion Group

Discussion subjects for this month included:

The treatment of law breaking immigrants – We discussed whether asylum seekers are treated the same as others, how long a stay should last. Whether becoming a Christian was used to gain access to the country. The strain on NHS services. Abuse of women from different cultures. The large influx of single men. How to sort genuine from not genuine.

Mental illness in children – General acceptance that mobile phones and social media contributed to mental illness. Wartime children didn't appear to have the same level of mental illness, was commented. Blame to parents and teachers with the breakdown of family groups.

War – the amount of TV coverage and it's accuracy. Many felt that it was necessary to switch off from the constant reporting on news.

Are cars getting too big? - Should parking charges be increased for big cars? Should cars be made smaller? - a lively subject with no conclusions. Many reasons for having cars bigger and how parking spaces were not being made to park them in. Parking costs for car sizes could be difficult logistically. Small cars had some advantages for many of our group.

Are wolf whistles uncomplementary? – a light hearted end to the afternoon, it was acknowledged the possible issues but particularly the ladies of the group felt that they were not offended by wolf whistles.

No meetings at John Godber for April and May because of Bank Holidays.

Film & Culture Group

This Group exists simply to notify members of Hucknall u3a what films are available locally and when, plus information on other musical and Drama events. To receive this information please forward your email address to alansnape@hotmail.co.uk and I will forward the latest bulletin.

Flower Arranging Group



The Flower Arranging group met after 2 month absence.

We had a great time doing something different. We swapped our mechanics and plant material with someone else so they did our flower arrangement and we did someone else's.

Everyone had a good giggle and all were happy with what they went home with.

As with other groups we have been hit with illness, treatments and replacement bits and pieces, so we're quite depleted.

Siobhan

Fun with Languages Group

This month we continued in German with further vocabulary on hotel bookings, the uses of Bitte and numbers. We also welcomed a new member to the group. May I remind everyone that we will not meet in April due to holidays, but instead we will have our soiree for group members and partners.

Our next language session will be on Thursday 9th may in JGC Byron Suite 10.30 till 12 noon when we shall continue in German featuring food and drink. anyone welcome to join in.

Liz Attenborough and Ann Murray

Gardening Group

Last month's meeting was a talk from the NGS online about Kiftsgate, a garden in the Cotswolds that has been nurtured and looked after by three generations of ladies from the same family. Each generation has respected the ideas and plans of the previous incumbents but have also developed and added their own ideas and interests. It looks well worth a visit if you are in that part of the country, and can be found quite close to Hidcote gardens.

This month's meeting will be a talk entitled "A Blue Garden", and surprisingly there are a large number of blue flowers to be found. There will also be a plant swap at this meeting, so if you have any you want to share or are interested in adding to your own plot, please come along at the usual time and place. All are welcome. We will also be taking names and monies for our next trip, in May, to Packwood House in Warwickshire.



Anne

Growing Old Disgracefully Group

In March, twenty of our group had a very enjoyable day out in Nottingham.

We met at Lost City in the Cornerhouse for a round of Crazy Golf. It was great value as well – just £7 for 18 holes and it included a free hot drink!

Our overall winner was Lynda Jackson, with a score of 44.





We then walked around the corner to Bella Italia for our well-deserved meal!

A good day altogether.

Sue Tedstone

History Group

The History Group always welcomes all u3a members - especially new ones - we have plenty of room. Our indoor meetings take place at Central Methodist Church opn Baker Street - Time 2pm - 4pm. It is always on the third Wednesday of the month. Due to a visit the next indoor meeting is on May 15th. If you have not booked for the visit I will see you then.

In March we had one of our favourite speakers Andy McKinnon to tell us about the history of Bestwood It was amazing. It seems the map of Bestwood has stayed the same for hundreds of years and we heard about Nell Qwynne one of Charles II mistresses, who had some of the Kings children, rode round the area to claim it for her son. Could we say for services rendered? He became the Duke of St. Albans. John Bentley one of our newer members was able to give us the benefit of his knowledge as well.

Pleasley Pit is the venue of our visit in April and we have a full bus of members. I am told we will get a guided tour of the premises and be able to see colliery items that are not usually are on show and also knowing they have a tearoom/canteen where we can get drinks and snacks. Great.

The next indoor meeting is May 15th when we have David Amos coming to show us images and give details of 'A Brief History of the Village of Annesley'. David worked at Annesley Colliery, has been researching the village for years, so I think we are in for a good afternoon. If you are not booked on the visit I will see you at the meeting in May.

Maureen Newton

Litter Picking Group

Whenever possible members of the litter picking group have been active during March. One such member collected half a bag full of beer bottles and cans but couldn't carry it any further so he deposited it in a litter bin in Linby. He also found a car jack, a car tyre and ¼ of a car bumper and is now looking for the rest of it so he can build a new car for himself. Oh and he also found an empty Viagra packet – someone must have been pretty desperate!

If you are inspired by these findings (!) please feel free to join the group.

Val (Gant)

National Trust Group

We have recruited a considerable number of new members for 2024 including some who are newly joined u3a members.

We have had to make some changes to the 2024 programme of visits and some members have asked if I could again list the venues that we are visiting.

The programme is:

Monday 15th of April - Kedleston Hall, Derbyshire.

Tuesday 23rd of April - Snowshill, Gloucestershire.

Wednesday 22nd of May - Gunby Estate, Lincolnshire.

Thursday 20th of June - Tatton Park. Cheshire.

Monday 22nd of July - Belton House, Lincolnshire.

Monday 19th of August - Fountains Abbey, North Yorkshire.

Wednesday 25th of September - Erdigg, near Wrexham.

Thursday 24th of October - Nunnington Hall, Yorkshire.

The April visits are fully booked and we have added a smaller 22 seater coach to our usual coach for the visit to Snowshill.

Reports of the April visits will appear in the May Newsletter and on the u3a website.

Barrie

Not So Grumpy Old Men Group

For their second activity of the month the NSGOM, boosted by a small number of real Grumpy Old Men, paid a visit to the Rock cemetery and catacombs at the junction of Mansfield Road and Forest Road in Nottingham. We all agreed that the site was one we had passed thousands of times before on our travels in to Nottingham over the years. Now it was time to stop and find out about the site and its wonderful history.

Meeting up at the entrance to the site we were met by our guide for the morning. A leisurely tour of the site led to many stories about the famous and indeed the less famous people buried there. Edwin Patchitt, clerk to the local magistrates founded the site in 1848. Other famous names spotted on headstones included Watson Fothergill and James Shipstone.

Later going underground we visited the catacombs where many a worker lost his life while working in the sandstone caves. Here many a visitor when standing quietly, has claimed to hear the sound of footsteps of former workers, pounding the caves. Perhaps not surprising as above ground, stood Gallows Hill where Nottingham's public executions were held.

Anyway escaping the catacombs safely we walked back into the daylight and returned to our starting point. After thanking our guide we then walked down to the nearby Grosvenor Inn for a pleasant lunch before returning to Hucknall on the tram or bus.

An unusual but very interesting morning completed.

April sees the group taking part in a driving experience while blindfolded!!!!!!!!

Real Ale Group

Our Real Ale outing in March on Thursday 14th, stopped local in Hucknall and indeed only visited one hostelry. This being our very own Wetherspoon's 'Pilgrims Oak'

The reason was that Wetherspoon's during mid-March were having their own Beer Festival, providing a selection of 30 different beers from 25 new breweries alongside their normal offering.

As the real ales are normally well kept, selling for half the cost of beers in Nottingham and allowing those of us in CAMRA to use our 50p a pint vouchers, it seemed too good an opportunity to resist.

A total of twenty men and women gathered, hijacked an area, pushed a few tables together and settled down to sample some different ales. A very congenial evening developed and was enjoyed by all.

Our April jolly will be using the tram, starting at New Basford and working our way back to Hucknall, by Old Basford, Bulwell and home to Hucknall.

Science Group

At our March meeting was on Friday 15th Terry Hill told the tale of seven not so famous scientists who unfortunately met untimely deaths caused by their inventions or discoveries. One of the seven was Sabin Arnold von Sochocky (1883 to 1928)

He used the discovery of radium by Pierre and Marie Curie to invent radium luminescent paint in 1908.

Radium paint was widely used for 40 years on the faces of watches, compasses, and aircraft instruments, so they could be read in the dark. Radium is a radiological hazard, emitting gamma rays that can penetrate a glass watch dial and into human tissue.

He died at the age of 44 from radiation poisoning.

This was followed by an introduction to Rainforests and their importance to our ecosystem.

Friday April 19th is our visit to Oxford for the Science Museums.

No meeting at JGC.

David Rose

Singalong Group

Our Singalong group continues to be well attended , although the March numbers were down , due to organised trips out.

The theme for our next meeting in April (16th) will be number 1hits from the 1960s - by popular request .

If you enjoy singing and good music come and relive the memories of your youth again!

Theatre Group

The theatre news list as follows:

Sensational 60's Sunday 28.04.2024. Concert Hall 3pm Tickets £33.50. Please note this is a Sunday performance.

Northern Ballet Romeo & Juliet at Theatre Royal on Saturday 04.05.2024 2.30pm Tickets £37.50.

Cluedo 2 at Theatre Royal on Saturday 25.05.2024 at 2.30 Tickets £42.50.

Pretty Woman Wednesday 04.09.2024 Theatre Royal 2pm Tickets £45.50.

Ukulele Group

Our new look Ukulele Group is proving to be a success. The majority of us are now downloading the song books from the internet, saving time and money.

The formula of a playlist followed by "Group Members Choice" is proving successful.

If you feel you would like to become a member why not come and listen sometime, you might enjoy it!

Contact the group leader for details

Vegetarian Cookery Group

March again had a good number attending and we all enjoyed tasting two savoury recipes. As it was near to Easter we also had mini egg cookies, very sweet and indulgent!





In April the meeting is on 22nd at 10.30 to 12.00 in the church hall for St Peter and St Paul's on Ruffs Drive. We have just 3 spaces left in the group, so if anyone wants to join us, you are very welcome, please contact me.

Anne Wilkinson

Walking Group (Short Length Walks)

Our walk on Thursday March 21st involved a tram ride to Nottingham Midland Station followed by an interesting 4 mile walk starting along the canal by the courthouses before reaching the River Trent opposite the City Ground.

En route we paid a visit to the Memorial Gardens with its fountains and imposing statue of Queen Victoria.

Our progress was along the river and the Meadows area.

It was good to see some old and new faces on the walk and our thanks to Phil and Liz Attenborough for organising and leading the route.



The group posing in the Memorial Gardens

Our next walk is on Thursday April 18th. Details tbc.

David Rose

Walking Group (Mid Length Walks)

Our walk on 19th February was a 7.23 mile walk which started at Aslockton and took in the River Smite. The weather stayed fine and mild, but there was a lot of standing water and of course a lot of mud, coming towards the end of a very wet winter.

What should have been a 6.5 mile walk turned out to be slightly longer because of diversions around standing water, which sometimes resembled ponds or even lakes.





We did spot a Red Kite at quite close quarters, all in all, this was an enjoyable walk, if slightly challenging at times! Everyone, though, was pleased to slip out of their muddy clothing and have a well-earned drink in the Cranmer Arms.

Our March walk proved to be considerably drier than our February excursion, and on much firmer ground, when we set off on our third Nottingham City walk.

Starting from the High School tram stop, we set off through the Arboretum, pausing to hear a bit about the history of Nottingham High School, which was founded as Nottingham Free School in 1513.

We then followed the route of the Inclosures of the 1840s, along Elm Avenue and Corporation Oaks, gaining height to the reservoir at St Ann's Hill, where there are good views to the south and west of the City.

We were nearly derailed by the planned coffee stop at the Chase community centre being closed, but found a good café in the rejuvenated Sneinton Market area.

Continuing, we paused at Notintone Place, at the birthplace of William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army. The house is tucked away out of sight, but we were spotted on CCTV by the site manager, who very helpfully opened up so that we were able to have a look round the museum.





Continuing via Green's Mill, which is currently minus its sails, we carried on through Sneinton, then finally following the railway back to London Road and the Nottingham – Beeston canal, noting on the way the large amount of building work for new student accommodation.

Our City walks have opened up areas which were previously unknown to many of our members, and combined with good public transport, there are many possibilities for an interesting half-day.

Walking Group (Long Length Walks)

The 5th of March saw us at Whaley Thorns for our March walk, which was 9 miles.

We set off from the railway station carpark, over the fields to Cuckney, passing the lake there which was full of different species of birds. We carried on through Park House Plantation, past Nether Langwith and back through Poulter Country Park, at one point following the River Poulter, and back to Whaley Thorns.

It was an overcast day, but good company, we all had a good time. There was a little mud but all in all a pleasant walk.

My thanks go to Steve and Carol who sourced and led the walk. The group photo is a monument, meant to resemble a Rhino's horns.



Mark

Weekenders Group

In March we enjoyed two, well attended, Broomhill meals arranged to celebrate the birthdays of Kay, Margaret (Whilde), Pam and Eunice. The Easter weekend saw us at Keycraft sorting out seasonal planting for the garden while the York Designer shopping outlet proved very tempting on the 6th of April.

A group of us were intrigued by the offer of a talk at the Djanogly Lakeside Arts Centre on the 9th of April. This related to the lives of women during the miner's strikes of the 1980s. These stories were collected as part on the research being carried out by the speaker, Dr Lisa McKenzie.

Lindsay Smith

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HUCKNALL & DISTRICT u3a INTEREST GROUPS - Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
11:30 - Pickleball2 13:45 - Discussion 14:00 - Water Colours	10:00 - Walking (Long) 13:00 - Rummikub 2	09:15 - Cycling 10:00 Committee Meeting	10.00 - Calligraphy 14:00 - Pickleball	09:30 - EasierCycling 09:30 - Late Breakfast 14.00 - Table Tennis 19:00 - Canasta		
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Various Dates:

Growing Old Disgracefully; Grumpy Old Men; International Dining; Litter Picking; National Trust; Not So Grumpy Old Men; Real Ale; Theatre; Weekenders

If there's an Interest Group that you'd like to see here, please contact the Groups' Co-ordinator, who will be happy to help (coordinator@ hucknallu3a.org.uk).

If you are unable to e-mail the group leader, Please speak to them at the monthly meeting or ask a committee member.