

Mid-Bucks (Aylesbury) U3A <http://u3a.co>

Information Sheet for 17th September 2015

Editor: Dave Rogers Email editor@u3a.co

Speakers

Today Chris Ward will be talking to us about "Migrating Birds"

Next month ([Thursday 15th October](#)) Adam Smith will be talking to us about Follies & Foibles

Groups Co-ordinator: Linda Gill (01296 331368)

Book Club

Carolynne McKee (Phone TBA temporarily
Jim Wilding 01296 623628)
Note new leader, meeting on 14th October
10.30 at 14 Waxwing, Watermead. Our book
this month is "Inside the Whale" by Jennie
Rooney

Bridge Chris Rodell (01296 485478)
The Group meets on every other Tuesday
afternoon in member's homes. Please phone
Iris for the dates.

Beginner's Bridge

Tony Noble (01296 484940)
Meets fortnightly a.m. on the opposite week to
the main Bridge Group at Tony's home. Next
meeting 22nd September at 10.00a.m.

Colloquial Dutch Hans Meyer (01908 379734)
Clive Ellam (01296 623433)

The date and venue of the next meeting are
still to be confirmed. Contact Clive or Hans
for further information.

Computer Group

Mandi Simons(01296613968)
agysimons@onetel.com
Meets second Monday of the month at Halton
Village Hall at 10am.till noon. We are not
experts but help each other by pooling our
individual areas of expertise so come along
and join us and find the answer to any
problems

Discussion Group

Elaine Turner (01296 582754)
We meet at 39 Madeley Road, at 10.30;our
next meeting will be on 23rd September

Food & Drink

Ceinwyne Jones (01296 613172)
Ceinwyne has arranged a visit to Escher
exhibition at the Dulwich Art Gallery on 27th
October please contact Ceinwyne for further
details

French

Bob Perry (01296 423626)
The group is in two sections. The first meets
weekly, and the second fortnightly, in
combination with the first. Both groups work
from scratch using Book One from 2pm to
4pm on Wednesdays.

Gardening Group

Julia Keasley (01296 482230)
Our final garden visit for 2015 is to Beech
House in Jordans, near Beaconsfield HP9 2SS
on Tuesday 13th October at 2pm (20 max at
this garden) In November we will meet at the
Tennis Club.

Listening to Music

Jim Wilding (01296 623628)
Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, 22nd
Septemer, 2.30, at 32 Halton Lane, Wendover.
New members welcome, just bring your
choice of music to share in sociable company!

Local History 1

David Wilson (01296 584625 / 07972 372042)
[October](#) – Visit to Drayton Beauchamp
church with coffee at 11.30am on the 7th
October. Suggest a donation of £3 payable on
the day. Followed by lunch at the Crows Nest
for those who want it. For more information
please telephone, see the website or see the
notices at the monthly meeting.

Local History 2 Pauline Noble (01296 484940)
Thurs - September 24th trip to Highgate Cemetery, now full. **All money should be paid by today.**

Monday 19th October 10.15a.m. – visit to Halton House –Cost £3 includes tea or coffee members see our board for signing sheet.

Quiz Group Doreen Wright (01296 437136)
Meeting in October will be on Tuesday 20th, 2.00 at Aylesbury Tennis Club, Wendover Road. You don't need to be brainy, just come along for a few laughs. Any queries please contact Doreen.

Sew, Knit & Natter

Jasmine Reeks (01296 482735)
A social time to sew and knit on 2nd Monday in the month: morning and afternoon. There are spaces for the afternoon session 14.00 - 16.00. Next meetings:- as usual **October 12 a.m. venue** 1 Hickman Street, Fairford Leys HP19 7GJ

p.m. venue to be arranged.

Singing for Fun

Margaret Barker(01494 864812)
ma.barker@talktalk.net

We welcome anyone who enjoys a good sing. We have coffee and a general chat and then singing starts at 10.30a.m. on the 2nd Wednesday in the month at Halton Village Hall

Tia Chi Thelma Little (01296 422737)

This group meets every Tuesday at 1.30 pm in Buckland Village Hall, Aston Clinton. Please note earlier time.

Transport History

Jim Wilding (01296 623628)

The Group is taking its usual summer break and will reconvene on Tuesday 27th October at The Cedars Wendover.

Travel Club

Wendy & Malcolm Russell (01844 208767)
The October meeting will be on Wednesday 14th October a 2.30pm. at Aylesbury Tennis Club when Andrew Ormanroyd will show pictures of his Charity Cycle ride from Lands End to John O'Groats. All U3A Members are welcome - there is a charge of £1.50 each to cover the costs of hiring the hall and tea/coffee and biscuits.

Walking

Jan Paver (01296 422296)

The walking group is having a break for the winter months and will resume the first week in April.

Linda Gill – Liason Officer (01296 331368)

Thanks to the cooperation of Weston Turville, Aston Clinton and Wendover U3As I am pleased to announce we have 2 new groups – **Singing for Fun** and **Computing**.

Wendover U3A have vacancies on two outings. **22nd September** Moseley Old Hall (NT) and Bantock House Museum plus 1 course carvery meal £18 (£24 non-NT) and **22nd October** Coventry Cathedral and environs £19 Both have pick-ups in Bedgrove. Contact: wend.u3achairman@gmail.com

Monday 28th September 2015
SLIM-BRIDGE WILDLIFE TRUST

There are still a few seats available for this visit to the internationally famous wild bird sanctuary. Cost of the trip will be £23 per person, which includes entrance fee.

Pickup points Exchange Street 9.00am Tennis Club 9.10am Cam Mead 9.20am

There is a trip to Leicester organised for Wednesday October 21st Cost approx. £14 sign up now.

For further information about the trip contact **Michael Walden 01844 291617**

U3A 2016 Holiday 6th-10th June 2016

Next year's holiday will be based in Torquay, South Devon at the Marquis Hotel. Costs will be approximately £339 pp for a double or an £18 to £21 single supplement. To reserve a place either see **Julie Leach at the monthly meeting or by phone on **01296 458282****

EMERGENCY CONTACT CARD

In line with other U3As we are required to carry emergency contact information. To this end we have designed a card, no larger than a credit card.

You will be asked to provide your name, contact's name and there is provision for additional contacts and any medical information that could help first aiders or paramedics (the latter is optional). Cards may be available at the September meeting but certainly in October

Next Contribution Date Friday 9th October 2015