

Mid-Bucks (Aylesbury) U3A www.u3a.co
Information Sheet for Thursday 16th January 2020
Meeting at the Community Centre
Prebendal Avenue at 1.30 for 2.00 p.m.
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Speakers

Today, Beth Bennet will demonstrate “Acupuncture, What’s the Point”?
Next month, 20th February, Ann Rzemienlecks will tell us about
“The Power of Kindness”.

News from the Groups

Book Club

Carolynne McKee (01296 435096)

The next meeting is on 19th February at 10.30 at 14 Waxwing Close, Watermead. The book for discussion is “This Is Going to Hurt” by Adam Kay.

Bridge Club

Val Doherty (01296 481331)

The next meeting is Tuesday 21st January 2020. Place of Play will be notified to members. New members urgently required. **We will teach you.**

Discussion Group

Elaine Turner (01296 582754)

Due to illness, there will be no meeting this month.

Facebook Group

April Smart (07816295223)

We now have our own Facebook group where we can make announcements, discuss recent or planned events and generally socialise. Membership is only open to members of Mid Bucks (Aylesbury) U3A and is completely voluntary. It will not supersede the newsletter or website which will continue as normal. To see the group, just search for Mid Bucks (Aylesbury) U3A in Facebook. You will need to answer 3 simple questions to join.

Family History Group

April Smart (07816295223)

Our meetings are held alternate weeks, but the days vary according to our availability. We meet from 2.00-4.00 at 22 Neyland Drive, Meadowcroft,

Aylesbury HP19 9SA. Bring your notes, old family photos and certificates if you have any, laptops, tablets (free wifi available) etc. Between us we currently have membership of Ancestry and Find My Past which we can consult during meetings. Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday 15th January 2020.

Food & Drink

Ceinwyne Jones (01296 613172)

Next meeting is January 24th for Lunch at the newly opened Harrow in Bishopstone.

Gadget Group

Simon Reeks (01296 482735)

Have a word with me if you have any issues / questions about modern electronics - PCs, laptops, printers, mobile phones, TVs, SatNavs etc. - essentially anything except Apple products. I can either arrange a group meeting where there is demand or simply arrange to get together on a one to one basis.

Gardening Group

Pat Pickering (01296 336161)

Our next meeting will be on **Tuesday February 11th** when Chris Ward will be giving a talk on “Wildlife Gardening” this will be at 2pm at the Aylesbury Tennis Club. There will be a £2 charge for refreshments and non-members are welcome at a charge of £4. Please sign the sheet on the notice board so we have numbers for refreshments. Our March meeting will be on **Tuesday 10th March** 2pm when we will visit Hollydyke House, Little Missenden HP70RD.

Cost £7.50. The sign-up sheet will be on the notice board at today's meeting.

Geography Group

Wendy & Malcolm Russell(01844 208767)
NEW ORGANIZER(S) NEEDED FOR NEXT SEASON! The programme for the Spring has had to be re-arranged due to illness. Many thanks to David Mummery for stepping in at the last minute to show his lovely pictures of Egypt and the Nile in January. Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday 12th February, 2020 at 2.30pm at the Aylesbury Tennis Club, Wendover Road, when Julie Leach will be talking about our recent visit to Sardinia and Corsica.**ALL WELCOME.**

Local History

Pauline Noble (01296 484940)
December – **No meeting.** **Thurs. Jan 23rd**–Cake, Natter and Programme Planning – 10.30 a.m. – Aylesbury Methodist Church Room 4. Charge £2.00 – Please sign the board if you are coming (so we make enough cakes!!). **Thurs. February 26th**– We are delighted to welcome back Steve Baskerville who will talk on **The London Parks** – 2.30 p.m. – Aylesbury Methodist Church in the Hall. Steve is an excellent Speaker and the meeting is open to all U3A Members. Visitors £2. Please sign the board on the Local History table if you would like to come.

Mid Bucks Bakers

Jane Elliston (01296 426892)
Mid Bucks Bakers is currently not running but if you are interested please contact Jane.

Musical Appreciation

Jim Wilding (01296 623628)
Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 28th January, 2.30, at 9 Millmead, Wendover.

Pétanque

David Mummery (01296 580714)
It is now end of season for pétanque and we won't be playing again until May next year.

Photography

Jane Elliston (01296 426892)
The photography group will be meeting 13 February but the venue is yet to be confirmed. If

you are interested in joining us at the start of our 2020 program please contact Jane.

Pub Walks

Jan Paver (01296 422296)
This group is taking a break for the winter months and will start up again on Thursday April 2nd 2020.

Quiz Group

Ann Burman (01296 422084)
Our next meeting is 21st January 2020.**Happy New Year.**

Singing for Fun(with Aston Clinton U3A)

Margaret Barker (01494 864812)
This group meets 2nd Wednesday in the month 10.30 a.m.in Halton Village Hall.

Ten Pin Bowling(Aylesbury Vale U3A)

Michael Walden (01844 291617)
This group meets every Monday 10a.m.at “The Rogue Bowling Centre” in Gatehouse Way. Cost is £3.50 per game (normally £5).

Transport History

Jim Wilding (01296 623628)
Our next meeting will be at 10.30 on Tuesday 28th January at 9 Mill Mead, Wendover. We have several topics prepared, the actual subject will be circulated to members prior to the day.

Yarn Crafters

Jasmine Reeks (01296 482735)
A time to sew, crochet and knit. 2nd Monday in the month 10.30-12.30 *or* 14.00-16.00.
Next meetings are February 10th & March 9th.

**Next Contribution Date
Friday February 14th**

Group leaders are reminded that they should send their contribution to the webmaster April Smart in addition to the editor, so that the information can be updated on the website

Sale Board

CD/ DVD Player - DVP - NS 330 Video Cassette Recorder SLV - SE 720G/I HiFi Both Sony Items

I no longer need these items as I have replaced them.
If they are any use to anybody, I will have them at this month's meeting

AnnCottrell.

