

# Heart of England

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# October 2017 Newsletter

#### **TODAY'S MEETING**

Our presentation for October will be from the Royal Navy Media Team "A Royal Navy Presentation – Come and see what your Navy is doing on your behalf and why it matters".

#### **NEXT MONTH'S SPEAKER**

Our speaker for November will be Max Keen & his talk is "Richard 111, loyal brother or royal murderer."

NOTES FROM THE CHAIR Dorothy Jones

Many thanks to everyone who attended our AGM and supported the committee. We all enjoyed our talented guest speaker/singer Andy Smith.

If you are interested in being a committee member next year, do speak to a current member and find out about their role. It is interesting without being onerous and you get to know more of the members.

# WHAT'S ON - MONTHLY MEETINGS AT STRATFORD, SHOTTERY, DENE VALLEY AND ALCESTER U3AS.

Stratford - 25<sup>th</sup> October - "Wildlife of the New Forest." - David Hollis.

Shottery - 7<sup>th</sup> November - "The Anglo-Zulu War and two Local Victoria Cross Heroes." - Max Keen.

Dene Valley - 10<sup>th</sup> October – "Hidden Glory." - Georgina Ferry.

Alcester - 7<sup>th</sup> November - "The Little Soap Company." - Anna Field.

#### **CREATIVE WRITING**

We have not yet had an interest group on creative writing. The General Manager of Shakespeare's Schoolroom & Guildhall is running some workshops on creative writing in October. They will be open to U3A members. The workshops will be run by the poet John Wedgewood Clarke. If you are interested your Newsletter Editor can pass you his telephone number so that you can get more information and perhaps book a place.

# **SUBSCRIPTIONS**

The annual subscription is due on 1st September 2017 at the discounted rate of £14 for existing members if paid by or before 6<sup>th</sup> October 2017. **New** members joining now pay £16. Please read the separate notice included here.

# FEEDBACK FROM SEPTEMBER MEETING

Andy Smith, who entertained us with his music in September, has thanked us warmly for raising £83.78 at the meeting. It will go towards Cystic Fibrosis Trust & Macmillan Nurses.

#### **U3A DIARIES**

The U3A 2018 Diaries will be on sale at the October meeting. These 2018 Diaries are china blue and the price has increased to £2.50 – still a bargain! They can be found on the Treasurer's table at the back of the Methodist Hall.

# **U3A SUMMER SCHOOL**

In August, five members of the Choir went to Summer School at the Royal Agricultural University, Cirencester. The course was "Singing for Pleasure". We thoroughly enjoyed meeting new faces and new ideas. We sang and entertained the rest of the other course students one evening. The compliments made us very proud. If anyone is interested to be involved in 2018, you need to book early in January.

# COURSES ON-LINE-FROM NATIONAL OFFICE

Robyn Nícoll

There is a vast list of courses available which may be found on the National U3A Web site. For a detailed list, you will need to access the Members' Area by creating a user name and password. National Web site: www.u3a.org.uk

There are also a large selection of courses offered by **U3A Online** from Australia described as "A Virtual University of the Third Age". The topics include: World Affairs and History; Nature; Writing and Creativity; Lifestyle; Science. To find out more about these courses: www.u3aonline.org.au

Many courses have already been downloaded and saved and may be forwarded to interested members. The course "Property to Partner" was very successful and it will be repeated beginning in September.

A new course is underway: "Kings and Queens of England". This course is intended to present, in an interesting way, facts and opinions about the people who affected the development of England and its system of government in significant ways from the time of the Romans to the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

Please contact Sue Workman for more information. Sue will forward the units to interested members. ( sueworkman44@gmail.com)

These courses are ideal for small study groups or for individual study and are free to members.

NB The original Untutored Courses from National Office have been downloaded and saved so are still available to members. A list of these courses may be found on the notice board.

Courses studied so far: Garden History; Art History (5 courses); China History Ancient and Modern; Russian History. For more details about courses, please contact Robyn (redbird22@hotmail.co.uk)

[NB: Do look at the National Web site to see all the opportunities and information available to U3A members.]

# **CHINA DISCUSSION GROUP**

Robyn Nicoll

The date for our next get-together is Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2.30 to 4.30 in the lounge.

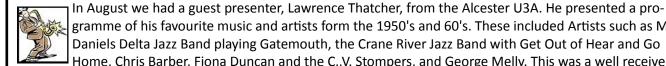
Our discussion for the afternoon will be "Tea".

Patricia will help us set the scene with some language and writing.

Our get-togethers are usually held from 2.30 to 4.30, Friday afternoons at the Methodist Church. Dates are chosen to suit the majority of members. New members are very welcome to come along to these enjoyable and varied afternoons. More information from Robyn Nicoll. redbird22@hotmail.co.uk or David Ralph. david.ralph1@icloud.com

#### ALL SWING & JAZZ GROUP

Mavis Pickett



gramme of his favourite music and artists form the 1950's and 60's. These included Artists such as Mike Daniels Delta Jazz Band playing Gatemouth, the Crane River Jazz Band with Get Out of Hear and Go Home, Chris Barber, Fiona Duncan and the C., V. Stompers, and George Melly. This was a well received programme and we look forward to welcoming Lawrence back in the not to distant future.

The group meets on the **4<sup>th</sup> Thursday** of each month in the lounge of the Methodist Church Hall, starting at 2p.m. Why not come and give us a try; you would be most welcome.

#### ART APPRECIATION

Sylvia Kentish /Pam Collins



Our September meeting was postponed. In October our meeting will centre on a DVD.

**BRIDGE GROUP** John Yeomans



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the Methodist Hall Side Room 1, next to the kitchen.

CARD MAKING Carolyn Leach



Our next work-shop will be on Sept 29<sup>th</sup> in the New Room, 12 30 – 4 30pm. Our present charity is Mind'. We hope to give our next donation towards providing helmets for adapted bikes. So please keep buying our cards!

<u>CHINWAGS</u>

Aline Cumming



Please contact Aline on 298357 for details on meeting place and times.

THE CHOIR Dorothy Jones



We are now practising for our Christmas Concert, which will be on Tuesday December 15<sup>th</sup> at 2pm in the Methodist Church Hall. Tickets will be on sale at the November & December main meetings - £5 each. We had our Choir social at Briarcroft, where we were served an excellent buffet supper. After supper we had twelve five minute acts by members of the choir. Very talented and entertaining.

<u>CLASSICAL MUSIC</u>

Aline Cumming



The programme consisted of Italian composers. We began in the Baroque era with Corelli's Allegro. Vivaldi composed a lot besides the Four Seasons but not much has survived, we heard a movement from his Mandolin concerto. The familiar Adagio by Albinoni followed then a Scarlatti (father not the son) aria 'Che Sara'? the only religious item. Boccherini was a cellist so we heard his Minuet then a

movement from his cello concerto. By then we were moving into the classical and romantic era in Scriabin's Mazur-ka and Etude. After tea we progressed to opera, the 'Overture to William Tell' and the 'Largo al Factotum' from the Barber of Seville both by Rossini. An aria by Donizeti sung by Joan Sutherland followed by Casta Diva by Bellini sung by Maria Callas showed the difference in voices. A duet by Verdi from Il Trovatore, with a chorus in the background, and 'Nessun Dorma' by Puccini, and finally the 'Intermezzo from Cavaleria Rusticana' ended the recital. We next meet on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October.

COMPUTER GROUP Robyn Nicoll



The Autumn computer course is underway at the Parish Centre. There are 4 more sessions and there are a couple of spaces due to unexpected cancellations. Anyone who needs some help to solve problems or to get to grips with a new computer or tablet would be welcome to join us.

Dates are as follows:

Oct 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, Nov 8<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>. 2.30pm to 4.00pm Fee - £5.

Please contact Robyn if interested in joining us. (01789 417935)

Several members come to help the "students" and if you are able to offer some time to help during these afternoons it would be much appreciated. Please let Robyn know. (redbird22@hotmail.co.uk)

#### **CREATIVE CRAFTS GROUP**

Robin Nicoll for Tricia Callaghan



Our September workshop again focussed on recycling. This time, members brought old paper back books and magazines and cleverly folded the pages to transform the books into Christmas trees, adding sparkle and decorations. We plan to have some examples on the craft/card stall at the Church Bazaar in November. Next meeting on Thursday afternoon, 19<sup>th</sup> October, we will be making baubles using poly-

styrene balls and fabric. The Crafters are always seeking new projects and would welcome newcomers. We meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month, 2pm to 4pm in the new room. Contact Tricia for more information.

#### DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY GROUP

Edwin Lilly for Geoff Bridgewater



Geoff had set a subject of "landscapes, seascapes or other large views." All members who came to the September meeting at Geoff & Heather's house brought their photographs on a memory stick for Geoff to display on a large screen. The photographs were taken with a variety of cameras, from mobile phones through budget cameras to quite expensive (a few) digital cameras. Some of the results were

quite extraordinary and all deserved congratulations on their efforts.

The next subject, to be reviewed at the November meeting, is to be animals. All types of animals, birds, insects and fish are included, whether domestic, farming or wild. Zoos and safari parks are also fair game. There may be a meeting in October; please check with Geoff.

**DINAHS** Sylvía Crooks



Dinahs met on the 5th September at the Red Lion. Lots of chat over an enjoyable meal. Jersey battle of Flowers, Gilbert and Sullivan choirs, and great news about the Zimbabwe born genius, Oxford bound was facing deportation until a friend started a petition, it was signed by thousands and now Brian White has been told he has been given his citizenship. Brian was adopted by a British family when he was 15

year old, now at 18 he can go to Oxford to read Chemistry.

We next meet Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at the Red Lion 12.15am.

DISCUSSION GROUP Athena Roderick



We met at The Town House on Church St. & our first topic was 'should we make that venue our regular meeting place'. We agreed that the setting was lovely, with the room to ourselves & we liked the food. So we will meet there until further notice. We moved on to Robert Webb's new book "How not to be a boy" about the trials & tribulations of a male growing up 30 odd years ago. His father wanted him to

man up' but this gave him problems with fitting his personality to his father's wishes. It gave us problems, too, as I think we all agreed that the old ideal of 'macho man' didn't suit today's world. However, there were different opinions on how young people should respond to a very different World from the one in which we grew up. We agreed that Social Media &, maybe sex education at an early age had had an impact, but some thought that the rise in 'mental illness' in the young might just be attention seeking. We were glad that we don't have the hypocrisy of the Victorian age. The decrease in male fertility & reduction in testosterone are disturbing trends, but nobody is quite sure what the cause or causes are.

So we meet at the Town House, October 11<sup>th</sup> at 12.30.

FAMILY HISTORY GROUP



This is a new group starting during September. We will be looking at how and why we are researching our family. There are many aspects to the study and we will explore them during the next twelve months and also do some research as well. Bring what you have already been doing in your family history.

Meetings will be:

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2017 2.30—4.00pm The Lounge NB changed date from earlier email!

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2017 2.30—4.00 pm The New Room

No meeting in December

FILM GROUP Mary Fishleigh



In September we watched a "rom-com" entitled As Good As It Gets. This starred Jack Nicholas who won an Oscar for Best Actor. He played a writer who suffered from OCD and we saw him taking his own plastic cutlery to a restaurant each day for breakfast and not touching other people as he walked along the sidewalk avoiding stepping on any cracks in the paving. The film achieved great critical acclaim on it release, winning 3 Golden Globe Awards, 2 Oscars and 5 further Oscar nominations. We all

enjoyed the well acted and amusing film.

Our aim for the group is to show films that are not on general release now – some oldies, some considered art or cult, some foreign films (with subtitles), some that are regarded as exceptional for the acting or production. We have space for some more members, so if you are interested in joining this group, please contact Mary or Mavis.

Our next meeting will be on October 10<sup>th</sup> at 2pm in the Lounge at the Methodist Church.

# GAMES GROUP—SCRABBLE, DOMINOES AND CARDS

Sue Tringham

Edwin Lilly



The Games Group meet at 2 Guild Cottages, Church Street, opposite the Council Offices on the first and third Mondays of the month from 2 – 4 pm. In October we meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>. For the first hour we have one or two tables playing dominoes while another table plays Scrabble. We stop for a cup of

tea/coffee and biscuit and the dominoes players change to a card game, normally partners whist. The Scrabble table continue to play Scrabble!! It's a light hearted fun afternoon. All welcome!

# **GARDEN APPRECIATION GROUP**

Suzy Genge



This group visited The Almonry, Evesham, in September. This was a small but fascinating garden, attached to a tourist office and museum. The garden had some very interesting plants and structures within it and we also spent a lot of time looking inside the museum at historical exhibits about Evesham. The coffee and cakes at the Word of Mouth café were particularly delicious!

The next meeting is on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October when we shall possibly be going to Hidcote.

GRUMPY OLD MEN Graham Mitchell



Emotions ran high at the September meeting as the Grumps debated the somewhat sensitive and controversial issue of "Should we, as a Nation, be expected to keep apologising for our past actions". It was recognised that, undoubtedly, many occasions of what would now be considered as a abuse of human rights and down right exploitation of people and resources have taken place in the past but it was con-

sidered that it should be viewed in the context of what was acceptable behaviour at the time, which of course does not mean that the reprehensible actions of our fore fathers should not be condemned. However those that advocate retrospective apologies were thought to often conveniently ignore the many good and beneficial aspects which have resulted from our involvement. Also it seems that it is always us that should be apologising while in many cases it is considered unnecessary for those who have sinned against us. Another point raised – how far back should we go? It was suggested that perhaps it would be desirable for our history books etc., to reflect a more balanced view of the "good and the bad" but on balance the Group believed that we should in principal not have to keep apologising for the actions of our ancestors over which we had no influence or control and which is in the main driven by having to be seen to be politically correct!

Next meeting - Wed. Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> Venue Le Bistrot Pierre

Subject - What are your views on social media and its impact on society. Intro - ALL

HISTORY GROUP

David Dumper



This month the Group looked at Part 4 of Michael Wood's "In search of Shakespeare ...For All of Time". Wood begins with the accession to the throne of James I, when Shakespeare's company became 'The King's men' and he attended the coronation as a royal servant. But the Gunpowder plot dented the mood of optimism. The final years of his career saw Shakespeare open a new indoor theatre at Blackfriars and write his last works in 'The Tempest'

and 'Henry VIII'. His death left many mysteries: Why had he purchased land in Warwickshire and bought an old Catholic safe-house in Blackfriars? And what was his intent in leaving his 'second best bed' to wife Anne in his will?

Next meeting: October 9<sup>th</sup> when our speaker is David Eastwood who will give an illustrated talk on the 'Historic Sites of Syria' David spent some time in Syria before the civil war and many of the photos he be shown are of ancient structures now completely destroyed as a result of the recent conflict.

KEEP FIT GROUP Mary Palmer



The Keep Fit Class is now full to capacity after a bit of a dip in numbers last year. We have a new instructor who keeps us active and we all think we feel much better for our efforts. A waiting list has now been started if anyone is interested. Please phone Mary Palmer on 204707.

# **PAINTING/DRAWING GROUP**

Dorothy Jones



We were all keen to restart our sessions after the summer break. We are a self help group and thoroughly enjoy our meetings. Hopefully we will have another 'mini exhibition' in 2018.

# **PILATES GROUP - MONDAY**



Weekly at St. Andrew's Parish Centre, Shottery, 12:15 to 1:15. For more information call Gill Ganner on 269657.

# **PILATES GROUP - WEDNESDAY**



Weekly at St Andrew's Parish Centre, Shottery, 10.15 to 11.15. For more information call Sue Workman on 297061.

PLAY READING GROUP

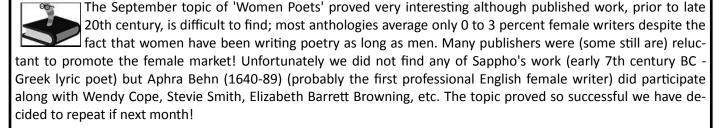
Sylvia Crooks



We met on Thursday 21st September where we finished reading "Wait Until Dark" by Frederick Knott, a black comedy. Our next get together is on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October, 10.30 for coffee at Sylvia's.

## POETRY READING GROUP

Jennifer Davey



#### **READING GROUP—MONDAY**

Phyllis Bailey

We attempted to read The Automobile Club of Egypt by AaaAl Aswany with varied success. Although it had good reviews most of us find it very confusing and easily put-down-able. Two members enjoyed and persevered, despite it being disjointed and confusing. An early invention of a motor car at the turn of the last century was amusing! Class factors were prominent English looked down on Egyptians who treated the

poor with contempt! So many characters were introduced that it was too easy to give up !It is quite rare for us not to all enjoy the Library's offering!

#### **READING GROUP—WEDNESDAY**

Dorothy Jones



We enjoyed our meeting in September after our summer break. We discussed the Sebastian Faulks novels we had read. This month we have chosen to read a classic novel. It will be interesting to find out which book was popular.

#### READING GROUP—FRIDAY

Coral Bradley



We have not met for two months as real life has got in the way of reading groups but we will meet again in October and then we will have three books to discuss. I don't know how we will manage to put the world to rights.

#### **ROCK AND ROLL GROUP**

Coral Bradley



I was away so Tony Whiteley took the group and, as usual, I know that he will have provided a really good programme. Thank you Tony.

#### SCIENCE, NATURE & 'ALL THINGS' TECHNICAL GROUP

Edwin Lilly



A small group of SNATTs members made the trip to Brandon Marsh Nature Reserve on Friday 8th September. Aline had organised the trip which included an introductory talk, a guided tour and lunch in Badgers Café. The guided walk was interesting and we saw several of the lakes including the East Marsh Pool, a very large pool with some low islands in the centre on which many aquatic birds were resting and feeding. We saw several species including Heron, Mallard, Coots, and others. We were lucky in that it

did not rain whilst we were out walking, and we were able to get into a hide when it did shower. There was a large feeding station just outside the café windows and there were many tits, finches and a couple of woodpeckers feeding during the time we were there.

Further meetings:- Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October—rescheduled visit to Acme Whistle Factory.

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November—"The Science of Michelangelo" - Talk by Ian Roberts

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December—Christmas Social and Quiz.

SCRAPBOOK GROUP Edwin Lilly

Wendy Crawford and Ruth Bartlett are now running the group. We met in September and reviewed progress and then continued with the scrapbooks we were doing before the holiday break.

Dates for the autumn are:

17<sup>th</sup> October, 21<sup>st</sup> November, 18<sup>th</sup> December. Meeting at 2.00pm in the Welcome Area.

SUNDAY LUNCH CLUB Brian Bradley



On the  $1^{st}$ . October 2017 we shall be back at the Navigation, Wooton Wawen. I could do with ideas for another venue, preferably in, or near, Stratford.

# SYMPHONY HALL CONCERTS

Dorothy Jones



Hopefully we will have two visits to the Symphony Hall in 2018. As yet we haven't booked but watch this space!

THEATRE GROUP. Coral Bradley



We go to Malvern on 21<sup>st</sup> October and all the tickets for this play have been sold.

The next theatre visit is to Malvern on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2017 to see Sian Phillips and Derek Griffith in 'Driving Miss Daisy'. Leaving at usual times, 12.00 Henley and 12.30 Leisure Centre. Cost to be an-

nounced.

PIANO GROUP Sylvía Crooks

Piano group met on 27<sup>th</sup> September in Side Room 1. After a gap of two months it was most enjoyable to meet again. Come and join us if you have not played the piano for a while. We are getting together to encourage ourselves to keep playing; it is all for fun.

<u>WALKING GROUP</u> Valerie Redfern



The next walk will take place on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2017 at 10 am and start from The Kings Head pub car park in Aston Cantlow (GR 1395990). We do have permission to park there. Aston Cantlow is accessed from the B4089 Wootton Wawen to Alcester Road. This is an easy five mile walk that will be led by Malcolm and Elaine Burden. There are three stiles, some lovely views and finishes at the beautiful Aston Cantlow church. I recommend good walking shoes or boots and bring a drink along with you. Hope you

have all enjoyed the summer and look forward to seeing you.

# **HEART OF ENGLAND U3A ROTA FOR AFTERNOON TEAS**

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October 2017	Chinwags Group	January 2018	Grumpy Old Men Group
November 2017	Digital Photography Group	February 2018	Computer Group
December 2017	Discussion Group	March 2018	Rock & Roll Group

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Play Reading Sylvia	Crooks	See Newsletter for dates
Poetry Reading Jennif	er Davey	2nd Wednesday 10.00—12.00noon
Reading - Monday Phyllis	Bailey	3rd Monday 2.30—4.30pm
Reading - Wednesday Janet	Whitfield	3rd Wednesday 2.30pm
Reading - Friday Coral	Bradley	As Appropriate
Rock & Roll Music Coral	Bradley	2nd Thursday 2.00—4.00pm
Science, Nature & All Things Technical Geoff	Bridgewater	2nd Friday 2.00—4.00pm
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Sunday Lunch Brian	Bradley	As Appropriate
Symphony Hall Visits Dorot	hy Jones	As Appropriate
Theatre Visits & Outings Coral	Bradley	As Appropriate
Walking Valeri	e Redfern	2nd Wednesday 10.00am