



Burton Joyce & District U3A Newsline

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Welcome to the February edition of Newsline,

In Newsline This Month:-

In this, my first Newsline I hope you will forgive me any teething problems with the format as I learn how to use the software. I'm not very good with pictures yet - so any pictures of your Group activities would be most welcome for me to practice on for the next edition. In this edition the Chairman talks about the importance of filling committee places in the Autumn and there is plenty of Group News and also details of events outside our U3A group.

Note: If you would like to send in an item for inclusion in the next edition of Newsline, it should be e-mailed to bj3anewsline@outlook.com to arrive no later than **5:00 p.m. Tuesday 25th February.**

Chairman's Message

Well, it's February already so where did January go! It feels as though Christmas was only a week or two ago. The time has passed surprisingly quickly.

I would like to welcome Colin Simm our new Newsline Editor and am grateful to him for taking on the role. It is so important we retain our excellent high quality monthly Newsline publication, as the means of keeping members informed about our U3A.

It is satisfying someone like Colin steps forward when help is required.



Although our next Annual General Meeting in September is a long way off, four of our committee members will then be leaving the committee, having served their maximum time of 3 years. Based on the premise that our U3A (and all U3As) is run by members for members, I sincerely hope four replacement members will come forward to help and offer to stand for election. All committee members have a role. Firstly I would ask you to give seriously consideration to being one of them and helping your U3A in this way by being involved in its running. None of the roles are hugely onerous and time-consuming and even our monthly or bi-monthly committee meetings are limited to two hours in length. Secondly, please contact me or any of our committee members to find out more and we will be happy to explain what your involvement will entail. It is necessary to have new people with new ideas coming on to the committee, taking our U3A forward and I am sure you would find your involvement satisfying and enjoyable too.

Alwyn.

Meetings Programme

Future Monthly Meetings

Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month and start promptly at 1:45pm. Please be seated in good time as late arrivals make it difficult for those sitting near the entrance to hear the announcements and latecomers disrupt proceedings while taking their seats.

Next Monthly Meeting - February 11th

Barbara Meyer - "Big Cats" - This talk will explain not only what is a big cat and outline where these cats live but what problems they are facing in their natural habitat. Barbara is a freelance photographer who took redundancy from banking in 2008 to pursue her interest in photography on a professional basis. A trip to South Africa to observe and photograph a leopardess and her two cubs led to her decision to use photography to help these magnificent animals and other wildlife.

For more information, click on [URL: https://www.bigcatphotography.co.uk/](https://www.bigcatphotography.co.uk/)

The programme for future meetings is as follows:-

10 March 2020	Steve Stevenson - Driving Awareness
14 April 2020	Professor Sahota Opinder - Osteoporosis - Bone Fractures , Elder care
12 May 2020	Shirley Roberts - The Walled Garden in Clumber Park
9 June 2020	Commander Neil Jervis - A short submarine patrol
14 July 2020	David Longford - Theatre Royal

Christine Shepherd , Speaker Finder

Refreshments

Thank you to everyone who helped with the refreshments at the January meeting. The refreshment helpers rota for February is shown below.

Elaine Bass

Refreshment Helpers Rota

February	Sue Ellis	Pam Thatcher	Betty Toone	Marlene Whitaker
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Rota for putting out Tables and Chairs at Monthly Meetings

February	Pauline Gilby	Hazel Pritchett	Roger Newman	Gill Newman
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Committee Notices

Committee Meetings

The minutes of the last Committee meeting, held on 21 January are available on our website or by [clicking here](#)

Membership News

A very warm welcome to our 3 new members who joined in January; Alan and Linda Crawford and Ron Clayton. Our membership now stands at 412 members.

New Members Coffee Morning Tuesday February 25th at 10.30

This is for new members to learn lots more about the U3A and the Burton Joyce U3A groups that you can join. Also you will meet other new members, the committee and refreshments are provided

If you have joined in the last 6 months or so or missed the coffee morning when you first joined and would now like to come please contact Caroline Roberts on 0115 9313679 or e mail membershipsecretary@bju3a.co.uk

The coffee morning lasts about 1hr 30mins, its very relaxed and a great opportunity to learn a little more and meet other people. It's held in St Helen's Church Centre, Church Road, Burton Joyce. NG14 5DJ. It's very accessible and is situated behind St Helens Church which is next to the children's playground in Burton Joyce. Parking is available down the driveway to the left hand side of the church or just off the road directly in front of the church.

Signing in desk rota.

Please see below for the rota.

There are a few spaces left so please contact me if you can help at the February meeting or any of the meetings later in the year

This is an easy role that any member can undertake and requires no experience! This job can be done sitting down or standing up. It is a great way of meeting and getting to know other members.

We require 2 people for every meeting so why not give it a go and either sign up at the next meeting or email me.

Caroline Roberts Membership Secretary

Date	Volunteer 1	Volunteer 2
11 February 2020	Mary Russell	
10 March 2020	Mel Gotheridge	John Fletcher
14 April 2020	Mary Rumney	
12 May 2020	Lynne Cater	
9 June 2020	Jill Fetherby	
14 July 2020	Anna Styles	David Burgess
11 August 2020	Vicki Radford	David Davies

Shirley McKee

We've received the sad news that Shirley Mc Kee, a member of our U3A for many years, has died. Shirley was instrumental in starting the Italian Group. She was the most able member of the class but modest with it. She had also belonged to a number of other groups.

Groups News

This section of Newslines contains the Groups Facilitator's updates on recent changes to our Groups. It also has reports from the Groups themselves on their activities and any changes to their normal meeting programme. Group Information is listed alphabetically on the last three pages of Newslines, and fuller details on individual Groups are given on the "Our Groups" page on the website: <https://u3asites.org.uk/burton-joyce/groups>

Chordless Choir

From Frank Sinatra's "My Way" to Robbie Williams "Angels" by way of Elvis Presley, Buddy Holly, Don McClean, Abba and anyone else you can think of from our youth, there are songs to suit everyone.

We have a new system that is easy to read with large print on a clear background. If you haven't been back because of the problems, do try us again. Singing improves your mood. It releases the same feel-good brain chemicals as sex and chocolate! It is very effective as a stress reliever and improves sleep. Singing releases pain-relieving endorphins, helping you to forget that painful tooth/knee/whatever.

And there is room to practice your jive steps while you sing. What's not to like?

Countryside Walks Group

In December the Group visited Holme Pierrepont and in January ventured into Wollaton Park .



Film for Fun

The film group meets on various Monday afternoons over Autumn and Winter at the Broadway cinema. February and March will see our last two months of films for this season so if you wish to come along and haven't yet been this season or if you wish to sign up then it's not too late. We watch a wide range of films so there should be something to suit all tastes. I will email the film choices to you each month. Please email me if you want to know more.

February's Films

17th February at 1400 **Emma** - Jane Austen's comedy about finding your equal and earning your happy ending

24th February at 1530 **Greed** Steve Coogan stars in a caricature of Topshop supremo Richard Green

University Interest Group

A good number of members attended a fascinating lecture on January 29th given by Professor Terry Moore at The University of Nottingham on "The myths and realities of Satellite Navigation."

This was eye-opening on many levels. I don't think any of us quite appreciated how central GPS technology is to so many aspects of our lives. To name just a few - banking, engineering, credit cards, energy transmission, agriculture all rely on it - as well as the satnav in our cars and phones. Or rather they all rely on the time signals that these GPS satellites send out. For it is a time signal accurate to billionths of a second sent out by the satellites that allows our devices to calculate where they are to within 10m or less anywhere in the world. These signals are sent from satellites that are travelling 20,000 km above our heads!

Quite worryingly these satellites aren't ours. We use the American GPS system which was developed for their military as well as the European Galileo system which we were a founder member of but left on 31 January along with other things we won't mention. We learned we will still be able to use this system but only the public parts.

Professor Moore stressed the need for us in the UK to address the vulnerabilities that our reliance on GPS systems has created. Losing GPS would cost £1bn a day. He estimates that it will cost the UK £8-10bn to put our own systems in place.

Some of the myths he highlighted were:

- That GPS will work often indoors - just not as accurately. It also works in cities - but not very well.
- That our phones don't send anything to GPS satellites - no-one is tracking us through this.
- That GPS isn't just about finding your way around.
- By adopting GPS so widely we have also made ourselves quite vulnerable should it not work.

This was a really fascinating and informative talk that was enjoyed by everyone. Thanks go to those who organised it for us as well as Professor Moore.

Colin Simm

International Dining

The Chinese New Year of the Rat was celebrated by 39 members at the Springwater restaurant, Calverton. There was a superb choice of food available to suit everyone's taste. We were entertained with a performance of the Chinese Lion accompanied with cymbals and drums.

A really enjoyable evening ended with a fantastic fireworks display. Thanks should go to David Falkner for arranging the venue and also Vic Wightman who arranged the minibus.

Sue Hollings



If you have any questions about our Groups, would like to start a new Group, or are willing to be the Co-ordinator for a new or existing Group, please have a word with me, David Falkner, at the monthly meeting, or contact me via e-mail at Groups@BJU3A.co.uk or by phone on 01636 918973.
David Falkner.

Talks, Visits & Excursions News

This section of Newsline contains updates on talks, visits, excursions and similar events being planned by members, or by the Outings Support Team, in which all members of our U3A can participate, as well as information about organising outings, progress updates on events, and reports on past events. Events being planned by Groups for their own members will still be covered in Groups News. If you have ideas for a talk, visit, excursion or one-off event, or would like advice or help on organising such an activity for our U3A, please contact the Outings Support Team at Outings@BJU3A.co.uk. They will be very pleased to hear from you. There is a list, with contact details, of all events being organised on the final page of Newsline.

Outing to The World of Wedgwood

Monday 16 March 2020

A visit to the UNESCO recognised V and A museum collection at Wedgwood, Barlaston, Stoke on Trent has been arranged. This will include a guided tour of the museum, a factory tour, use of the self service restaurant and tea room with access to the Wedgwood flagship store and factory outlet.

Coach travel has been arranged with SILVERDALE Coaches.

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9.00 am. Leave the parade of shops pub in Burton Joyce

10.30 am. Arrive at the World of Wedgwood

3.30 pm. Leave the World of Wedgwood

5.00 pm. Arrive back at Burton Joyce

This timetable is subject to change due to traffic or weather etc.

The cost of the visit is £23 p.p. to include coach travel, drivers gratuity and all of the above.

Look out for the sign up sheet at the next meeting.

For further information, call *Chrissie Marrows* on 07905889054

Members' Corner

Members' Corner is an occasional feature containing articles of general interest sent in by members. Any views, comments or opinions expressed are those of the individual concerned and should not be taken as a reflection of the views or opinions of the Committee, or of Burton Joyce & District U3A. If you have an item for inclusion in this section, please e-mail it to

Gedling Seniors Council

The next meeting of Gedling Seniors' Council will be on Friday 28th February 2020, from 10.30 to 12.30 at the Civic Centre in Arnold. The meetings are open to all residents over 55 in the borough of Gedling; each meeting is themed, with invited speakers and Q- and- As on relevant services, followed by Gedling Seniors' Council members' business and discussion. The theme of the February meeting is Quality of Life, including housing, community care and independent living. The meetings are an opportunity to get to know a wide range of older residents from across the borough and to influence the facilities and amenities provided for the community.

Ann Whitfield, Burton Joyce and District U3A representative and Vice-chair of Gedling Seniors' Council.

Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Healthwatch (HWNN)

HWNN holds "TalkToUs" sessions at Park House Medical Centre, Burton Road, Carlton on the last Monday morning of each month, for patients to comment on their experience(s), positive or negative, of any part of the NHS. There is also a Question of the Month, this time on the availability of access to healthcare and social care over the Christmas and New Year period. All comments are confidential; the information from across the city and the county is collated and the report passed to the relevant service provider.

HWNN also "signposts" people to relevant services such as Nottinghamshire Carers' Hub, which provides regular support, information and training for relatives and friends who are carers. There are meetings from 10.30 to 12.30 on the second Tuesday morning of every month at Gedling Methodist Church, Gedling Road, Carlton. The meeting on Tuesday 11th February, on "Making Sense of Dementia", includes coping strategies and dealing with behaviours resulting from dementia. For more information about the talk and about the Carers' Hub, contact the very helpful team on 0115 8248824.

Ann Whitfield, Healthwatch TalkToUs volunteer, Parkhouse Medical Centre.

Email: margaret.ann.whitfield@gmail.com; tel:0115 9611604.

Village Hall

Can you spare a few hours each month to help your Village community ?

The Village Hall (much used by U3A groups) requires a new " Maintenance Person " and your U3A have been asked if we have anyone who can assist.

This role is not necessarily to do the maintenance work yourself but to supervise the allocation of work that is required to local trades people.

Perhaps you are a retired tradesperson yourself or a keen D.I.Y enthusiast who would understand what is needed or could even undertake some of the required tasks .

If you think you could help or if you require any further information please contact Rupert Williams by e-mailing ...vicechairman2@bju3a.co.uk

Third Age Trust Notices

Information on the items listed below will be displayed at our monthly meetings, or you can visit the Third Age Trust website (<http://www.u3a.org.uk>) for further details and a wealth of other information about U3A and its operations. Much of the information is only available in the Members Only area. To get maximum benefit you will need to register on the Third Age Trust website and obtain a user name and password. Members wishing to use the Resource Centre also need to apply for an Identification Number to borrow items.

Nottinghamshire Network of U3As

The Nottinghamshire Network of U3As was established to enable cooperation between U3As and the provision of support across the county and also to enable the launch of new U3As to take place. Since it began in 2009 many new U3As have been started and more are planned. There have also been workshops held for committee members to learn from one another's experience and expertise and another to establish a group of mentors who are available to work with officers in new U3As and anyone else in need of support.

Do you receive the Third Age Newsletter?

This monthly Newsletter is sent by email and contains news updates, details of educational events, national events, and learning resources. It's very easy to subscribe to the newsletter. Just go to www.u3a.org.uk and click on the Newsletter tab, then fill in your email address, your name, and click on "Subscribe".

Diary Dates & External Events

Diary Dates and External Events provides information about events organised by members of BJU3A, or in which they are participating. If you have an item for inclusion in this section, please e-mail the details to bj3anewsline@outlook.com



Come and join us for our
FUN QUIZ NIGHT
7.00 SATURDAY 29th
FEBRUARY

At Burton Joyce Village Hall

Teams of up to 6 PRIZES	Tickets £9 per person – includes supper (beef or vegan lasagne, salad, garlic bread) Bring your own drinks and glasses	CONTACT PATRICK ON 931 4139 07779 970269 OR RUPERT ON 9313095
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Thurgarton Community Association



Bring your own drink and picnic and enjoy a relaxing afternoon of jazz!
Tickets on sale NOW from any member of the TCA committee or villagehall.thurgarton@gmail.com

Thurgarton Village has an afternoon of "Jazz in the Village Hall" on Sunday 16th February 2020. 2pm-4pm. Tickets £10.

This features Ian Millar on saxophone and Dominic Spencer on piano. Bring your own picnic and drink and enjoy a relaxing

afternoon of jazz.

Tickets from Hania on 07982 830318 or from Villagehall.thurgarton@gmail.com

Committee Members

At the date of publication of this edition, the members of the Committee are:

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David Falkner	Vice Chairman	07860 502479	vicechairman1@bju3a.co.uk
Rupert Williams	Vice Chairman	0115 931 3095	vicechairman2@bju3a.co.uk
Anne Hegarty	Treasurer	0115 931 2171	Treasurer@bju3a.co.uk
Alan Comerie	Business Secretary	07581 456253	Secretary@bju3a.co.uk
Christine Shepherd	Speaker Finder	07773 156813	speakers@bju3a.co.uk
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Caroline Roberts	Membership Secretary	0115 931 3679	MembershipSecretary@bju3a.co.uk
Colin Simm	Newsline Editor	07850 553133	bju3anewsline@outlook.com

Additional administrative contacts

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Grenville Shepherd	Fire & VH Keyholder	0115 9618840	grenshepherd@yahoo.co.uk
Colin Simm	Website Manager	07850 553133	web_admin@bju3a.co.uk

Group Information

Details of Group meeting times and venues are also published on our website, www.bju3a.co.uk/groups.html. *Groups which are full when this edition of Newslines was published are shown in italics.* The letter (C) after a Group shows that there are sufficient members interested in this activity for a new Group to be formed, and that a Co-ordinator is required for the Group. If you have a query regarding a Group, please contact that Group's Co-ordinator, or the Groups Facilitator, David Falkner, on 07860 502479

Group	Co-ordinator	Telephone	Time	Normal Meeting Days
Aerobics for the Young at Heart jskeepfit@outlook.com	Jackie Spencer Jan Smith	07932 417318 07814 056418	09:30	Every Wednesday
<i>Antiques & C20th Collectables 1</i>	<i>Jane Taylor</i>	<i>0115 931 2087</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>2nd Monday</i>
<i>Antiques & C20th Collectables 2</i>	Angela Mallett	0115 9663799	10:00	4th Monday
<i>Antiques & C20th Collectables 3</i>	<i>Pat Holmes</i>	<i>0115 8911735</i>	<i>10:30</i>	<i>2nd Monday</i>
Antiques & C20th Collectables 4	TBA			TBA
Art Appreciation	Judith Wright Sharon Bennett	0115 931 2805 07966 039982	Varies	Varies Monthly
<i>Art Expression</i>	<i>Julie Smith</i>	<i>07597 330160</i>	<i>19:00</i>	<i>2nd Wednesday</i>
Beer and Cider Tasting	Rob Johnson robjos6@ntlworld.com		19:00	3rd Thursday
Bird Watching	Hil MacCallum	07803 925715	10:00	Alternate Thursdays and Fridays
Board Games	Dorothy Pinkett	0115 931 4576	14:00	1st and 3rd Thursday
Boccia (October - April)	Dil Vowles	07879 425643	10:00	1st, 3rd and 5th Thursdays
<i>Book Club 1</i>	<i>Judith Wright</i>	<i>0115 931 2805</i>	<i>14:00</i>	<i>3rd Wednesday</i>
Botany	Karen Taylor	0115 841 9099	10:00	3rd Wednesday
Bridge 1	Dorothy Burton	†	14:00	1st, 3rd, 4th Tuesday, 2nd Monday
Bridge 2 (Beginners)	Dorothy Burton	†	14:00	Every Thursday
<i>Canasta 1</i>	Colin Simm	07850 553 133	19:30	1st & 3rd Wednesday
<i>Canasta 2</i>	Barrie Tyson	0115 931 4149	18:30	2nd & 4th Monday
Canasta 3	Sally Wightman	07760 866 178	19:30	2nd & 4th Wednesday
Chordless Choir	Sue Hollings	0115 8453724	19:00	2nd Tuesday

Group	Co-ordinator	Telephone	Time	Normal Meeting Days
Computer Buddies	Alan Comerie	07581 456253	N/a	As required
Country Walks	Cowan Jamieson	0783 5715545	10:30	3rd Monday
Craft & Patchwork	Christine Sheath	0115 931 3260	10:00	2nd Friday
Cribbage	Sally Wightman	07760 866 178	19:30	1st & 3rd Wednesday
<i>Croquet 1</i>	<i>Vic Wightman</i>	<i>07767 752963</i>	<i>14:00</i>	<i>2nd & 4th Monday</i>
Croquet 2	Sally Wightman	07760 866 178	13:30	1st & 3rd Monday
Darts for Fun	Jacqui Hudson	0115 998 5417	19:30	2nd & 4th Tuesday
Discussion	Charles Bushell	0115 966 4032	14:00	Usually 1st Monday
Escape Rooms	Keith Bowker	07592 008962	Varies	Ad hoc
Family History	Sue Clifford	0115 931 3937	14:30	3rd Tuesday
Film 4 Fun	Peter Price-Horne	07791 752585	Varies	Monday afternoons
<i>French 1</i>	<i>Sue Clifford</i>	<i>0115 931 3937</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>Every Friday</i>
<i>French 2 (Beginners)</i>	<i>Sarah Hervey</i>	<i>07950 556 201</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>Every Thursday</i>
<i>French 3</i>	<i>Christine Foster</i>	<i>0115 931 2571</i>	<i>10:15</i>	<i>1st and 3rd Friday</i>
Garden Group 1	Gardening1@bju3a.co.uk		10:00	1st Wednesday
<i>Garden Group 2</i>	<i>Alwyn Foster</i>	<i>0115 931 2571</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>1st Monday</i>
Garden Group 3	Christine Shepherd	0115 961 8840	14:00	4th Wednesday
Garden Group 4	Alwyn Foster	0115 931 2571	10:00	4th Tuesday
Garden Group 5	Groups@bju3a.co.uk			
<i>Guitar 1</i>	<i>Tony Kirk</i>	<i>0115 961 4587</i>	<i>Varies</i>	<i>Variable</i>
Hikers	Paul Geeson	07969 068214	10:00	2nd Wednesday
History 1	Viv Bushell	0115 966 4032	10:30	2nd Monday
History 2	Jean Lewis	0115 911 9166	14:00	1st Tuesday
Information Exchange	Maggie Gaborak	0115 998 5798	N/A	N/A
International Dinner	David Falkner	07860 502479	18:45	Various
Italian Intermediates	Mary Simm	0115 841 3605	14:30	Every Friday
Jiving for Beginners	Dil Vowles/Jane Taylor	0115 931 2300 0115 931 2087	18:30	1st and 4th Thursdays
Kurling	Paul Geeson	07969 068214	10:00	2nd & 4th Thursday
Luncheon Group	Margaret Robinson	0115 9663793	12:30	4th Tuesday
Mah-Jong	Sandra Giles	0115 966 5144	10:30	1st & 3rd Wednesday
Meditation	Tricia Blanco-White	0115 9663563	14:30	Last Monday
Petanque 1 (Apr - Sept)	Roz Tuffrey	0115 931 2754	10:00	1st & 3rd Monday
Petanque 2 (Apr - Sept)	Dil Vowles	0115 931 2300	13:30	Every Friday
Petanque 3 (Apr - Sept)	Sally Wightman	07760 866 178	13:30	2nd and 4th Monday
Petanque Winter (Oct - Mar)	Dil Vowles	0115 931 2300	13:30	Every Friday
Photography	Margaret Hutchby /Brenda Draper	photography@bju3a.co.uk	14:00	3rd Wednesday & 1 ad hoc/month
Photography for Fun	Bob Clifford	0115 931 3937	10:00	1st Thursday

Group	Co-ordinator	Telephone	Time	Normal Meeting Days
Ramblers 1	Keith Bowker	07592 008962	10:00	Last Wednesday
Ramblers 2	Paul Geeson	07969 068214	10:00	3rd Wednesday
Rambles - Plus	Paul Geeson Sally Wightman	07969 068214 07760 866178	TBC	1st Wednesday
<i>Spanish 1</i>	<i>Paul Beard</i>	<i>0115 931 3601</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>Tuesday - Fortnightly</i>
<i>Spanish 2</i>	<i>Mike Chapman</i>	<i>0115 965 2489</i>	<i>10:30</i>	<i>2nd and 4th Thursday</i>
Spanish 3	Groups@bju3a.co.uk			
Speed Walking	Caroline Roberts	0115 931 3679	09:00	Every Tuesday
<i>Sunday Lunch 1</i>	<i>Eileen Frier-Kelsey</i>	<i>07970 712433</i>	<i>12:15</i>	<i>3rd Sunday</i>
Sunday Lunch 2	Cynthia Julians	0115 91 13169	12:30	4th Sunday
<i>Sunday Lunch 3</i>	<i>Jacqui Hudson</i>	<i>07775 450 497</i>	<i>13:00</i>	<i>1st Sunday</i>
<i>Table Tennis 1</i>	<i>Tony Simpson</i>	<i>0115 845 8142</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>Every Monday</i>
<i>Table Tennis 2</i>	tabletennis2@bju3a.co.uk		<i>19:00</i>	<i>1st & 3rd Tuesday</i>
Table Tennis 3 (C)	Groups@bju3a.co.uk			
<i>Theatre 1</i>	<i>Christine Smith</i>	<i>0115 952 6559</i>	<i>10:30</i>	<i>1st Friday</i>
<i>Theatre 2</i>	<i>Brenda Chapman</i>	<i>0115 9652489</i>		<i>Usually Wednesdays but may vary</i>
Theatre Group 3	Sign-up sheet available at monthly meetings			
Ukulele	Keith Stafford	0115 931 2657	14:30	1st & 3rd Wednesday
University Interest	Trevor Wright	0115 931 2805		Ad hoc
<i>Water Colour Painting</i>	<i>Yvonne Kirk</i>	<i>0115 961 4587</i>	<i>9:30</i>	<i>1st & 3rd Wednesday</i>
Wildlife Walks	Cynthia/Mick Julians	0115 911 3169	10:30	4th Tuesday
<i>Wine Tasting</i>	<i>Alan Comerie</i>	<i>07581 456253</i>	<i>19:00</i>	<i>Usually 4th Thursday but may vary</i>

Notes:

- † Please contact via David Falkner on 07860 502479.
- (C) Indicates a Group formed from members on the waiting list for an existing Group with the same interest. The Group needs a volunteer to become the Co-ordinator for the Group so that it can then start to meet.
- (S) Meetings normally take place during the late Spring, Summer and early Autumn months. Contact the Group's Co-ordinator for more details.
- (T) Temporary or time limited Group, which anticipates holding a set number of meetings and then dissolve. The Co-ordinator for the Group concerned, or our groups Facilitator, can provide more information, or see the sign-up sheet for the particular Group.
- (W) Meetings normally take place during the late Autumn, Winter, and early Spring months. Contact the Group's Co-ordinator for more details.

If any of the above information is incomplete, incorrect, or out of date for your Group, please e-mail the correction to David Falkner at Groups@BJU3A.co.uk, and copy

Information about Talks, Visits & Excursions

The talks, visits and excursions currently planned are listed below in date order, showing contact details and the date of the event. New items or changes to information are shown in **red**.

Activity	Contact	Telephone	Date of Event
World of Wedgwood	Chrissie Marrows	7905889054	16 March 2020
Iolanthe - Gilbert and Sullivan	Alwyn Foster	0115 931 2571	12 August 2020