



NewsFlash

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The Newsletter of u3a Clitheroe April 2024

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Now that Spring is here it's time to be thinking about trips out and I thought it might be good to visit my three favourite Cathedrals in England.

Ripon-----It has an unbroken history reaching back to the 7th century and is the church of St Peter and St Wilfrid.

It was founded by monks of the Irish tradition in 660, then re-founded as a Benedictine monastery by St Wilfrid, who brought stonemasons, plasterers and glaziers from France and Italy to work on the building.

The minster finally became a Cathedral in 1836 as a focal point of the newly created Anglican diocese of Ripon. There is a ring of 12 bells and a very impressive organ.

Liverpool---The Anglican Cathedral. Its foundation stone was laid by King Edward V11 in 1904 and is based on a design by Giles Gilbert Scott.

It's construction lasted from 1904 till 1978 and it is the longest Cathedral in the world. As well as being the fifth largest in the world it is also one of the world's tallest non-spired church buildings. It is the fourth tallest structure in Liverpool, dominating the city and is clearly visible from the river. It was only the third opportunity to build an Anglican Cathedral since the Reformation. St Paul's being the first after the Great Fire of London and Truro in the 19th century.

Carlisle----It was founded as an Augustinian Priory and became a Cathedral in 1133. It is the second smallest of England's ancient Cathedrals with a set of medieval choir stalls and the largest window in the Flowing Decorated Gothic style in England.

It has nine lights and a tracery which has been calculated to have been drafted from 263 points. The window still contains much of the medieval glass.

The building was begun in 1122 during Henry 1st reign. Carlisle is one of only four Augustinian churches in England to become a Cathedral. During the time of the Civil War a portion of the nave was demolished by the Scottish Presbyterian Army to use the stone to reinforce Carlisle Castle.

If you have a spare day, take a trip out, to one, or all of these magnificent Cathedrals.

Marjorie Taylor, Chair

April Meetings

Activity Group	Date	Time	Group Convenor	Information	How often
Architecture	Apr 3rd	2pm	Paul Fisher 07874 696374	An introduction to Huddersfield Architecture prior to the Trip May 1 st by Julie Whitehead. Page 12	1 st Wed
Art Appreciation	Apr 23rd	2pm	Ann Ward 07783 894855 topgm@hotmail.co.uk	Meet at WBVH. Freda Kahlo, artist, political activist, fashion icon. By Jacquie Melia.	4 th Tues
BH Band	Apr 4th	2pm	Anne Rhodes Butler brearpm@gmail.com Roy Gonsalves rmgonsalves1953@outlook.com	Meet at Whalley Golf Club. BB7 9DR	1 st Thurs
Board Games	Apr 17th	2pm	Lesley Charnley 01200 538476 lwcharnley@gmail.com	Meet at Convenor's Home. 1 Meadowlands, Low Moor, Clitheroe BB7 2ND.	3 rd Wed
Book Discussion	Apr 25th	2pm	Ann Yates ann.yates01@gmail.com	Meet at Clitheroe Library. <i>A God in Ruins</i> by Kate Atkinson	4 th Thurs
Canasta	Apr 19th	2pm	Christine Snape clitheroechristine@gmail.com	Meet at Christine's home, 1 Beechwood Avenue, Clitheroe.	3 rd Fri
Circle Dancing	Apr 3rd/ 17th	10 am	Sally Maxwell 01772 379926	Pendleton Village Hall.	1 st /3 rd Wed
Discussion Group	Apr 11th	2pm	Liz Lawson and Sandra Allwood 01254 697183 01254 245191	Meet at Convenor's Home, Myles Wife Hey BB1 5QZ. Note. 2pm.	2 nd Thurs
Food and Wine	Apr 25th	7 pm	Gill Kilbey 07840 882775	Scandinavian Food at Robin & Marjorie's, 6 Durham Drive, Wilpshire, BB1 9NX.	4 th Thurs
French Conversation	Apr 16th	2pm	Sue Paramore 07515 988955 sueparamore@gmail.com	Meet at Clitheroe Fire Station, Princess Avenue BB7 2AL.	3 rd Tues
Garden Group	Apr 5th	2pm	Ann Ward 07783 894855 topgm@hotmail.co.uk	Meet at Trinity Hub Members Questions and Answers. See page 10.	1 st Fri
Genealogy	Apr 23rd	10 am	Marianne Wilson mrsmariannewilson@gmail.com	Meet at WBVH. A demonstration of the website MyHeritage.	4 th Tues
Geology	Apr 10th	2pm	Frank Taylor frankhtaylor@yahoo.co.uk 07952 720778 Dave Wilson 07909 821831	Meet at WBVH Lake Michigan, the Azores Volcanoes, and two possible causes of Life.	2 nd Wed

Group	Date	Time	Group Convenor	Information	How often
German Conversation	Apr 4th	2pm	Denis Cassidy 01254 822345. David Grimes davidgrimes1@mac.com	Meet at the home of Anne Gretton.	1 st Thurs
History	Apr 24th	12 Noon at Church	Hazel Best hazelbest@gmail.com 01200 426756	Skipton Self-Drive trip to Holy Trinity Church and Skipton Castle.	4 th Wed
Italian Conversation	Apr	2pm	Wendy Richardson 01254 247977	No Meetings April & May 44 Kemp Court Ramsgreave, Blackburn BB1 9DB.	4 th Tues
Let's Lunch	Apr 18th	Noon/ 12.30 pm	Anne-Rhodes Butler brearpm@gmail.com 07597955474	Meet at The Station Hotel, Clitheroe. Note: Doors open at noon	3rd Thurs
Music Appreciation	Apr 1st	2 pm	Margaret Cunliffe 01200 424940 marywoodmhs@gmail.com	Meet at WBVH. Vive la France presented by Ian Ramage.	1 st Mon
Photography	Apr 8th	2 pm	Mark Stein markstein2010@live.co.uk	Meet at The Trinity Hub Bring along 3 images in Black and White. See page 10.	2 nd Mon
Play Reading	Apr 22nd	1.15 pm	Kate Hamlin 07732 721963 Helen Coles 07835 920887	Meet at Clitheroe Fire Station, Doors open 1.15 for 1.30pm	4 th Mon
Plodders	Apr 16th	10.45 am	Marie Birkett 07941 581349 mariebirkett58@hotmail.co.uk	Meet at The Car Park behind the Co-op on Pickup Street, Clayton-le-Moors BB5 5NS. See page 9.	3 rd Tues
Quiz	Apr 26th	2pm	Christine Snape clitheroechristine@gmail.com	Meet at Christine's home 1 Beechwood Avenue Clitheroe BB7 1EZ	4 th Fri
Science and Scientific Enlightenment	Apr 17th	10 am	David Grimes davidgrimes1@mac.com 01254 240707	Meet at Trinity Hub. "The Cambrian Explosion of advanced life-forms" - geological and biological. Frank Taylor & David Grimes.	3 rd Wed
Singing For Pleasure	Apr 16th	10am	Pat Pearce tel. 07974 815212 Patchp56@aol.com	No Meeting 2nd April West Bradford Village Hall. See Page 8.	1 st /3 rd Tues
Strollers	Apr 22nd	10.45 for 11.am	Ann Kay. 01254 824103 ann.kaymitton@gmail.com	Meet at Pendle Heritage Centre Car Park Barrowford BB9 6JQ. See Page 9.	4 th Mon
Table Tennis	Apr 25th	1-3pm	Janet Elliott 01254 248106 Jkelliott108@gmail.com	Meet at the Trinity Hub.	4 th Thurs
Walking Group	Apr 19th	9.45 for 10 am	Julie Cooper julescoops@yahoo.co.uk	Meet at The 3 Millstones Inn, Waddington Road, West Bradford BB7 4SX. See page 9.	3 rd Fri
Wine Appreciation	Apr 18th	3pm	Christine Snape clitheroechristine@gmail.com	Meet at 1 Beechwood Ave. Greek Wine. Please bring cheese and biscuits.	3 rd Thurs

Our AGM will be held at the Main Meeting
on Tuesday 9th April at St Mary's Hall.

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Followed by "Art Deco in Europe"

David & Jennv Grimes



u3a Clitheroe
Agenda for the 26th Annual General Meeting to be held on
Tuesday 9th April at 14.00 at St Mary's Centre, Clitheroe

- 1 Apologies
- 2 Appointment of Tellers
- 3 Minutes of the 2023 AGM
- 4 Chairman's Report
- 5 Treasurer's Report
- 6 Appointment of Independent Examiner
- 7 Group Co-ordinator's Report
- 8 Election of Officers and Committee members for 2024-2025
- 9 Resolutions from the Chairman

Following the business

David & Jenny Grimes will speak on

Art Deco in Europe

Members proposed for election to posts on the 2024-2025 committee:

Name	Position	Proposed	Seconded
Anne Rhodes-Butler	Chair	Jo Kirby	Margaret Coulson
Jacqui Melia	Vice-Chair	Anne Rhodes-Butler	Su Penson
Su Penson	Committee member	Virginia Aighton	Margaret Coulson

Committee members remaining in post for 2024-2025

Treasurer	Paul Fisher
Secretary	Julie Whitehead
Membership Secretary	David Grimes
Groups Co-ordinator	Jenny Grimes
Programme Secretary	Roy Gonsalves
Newsflash Editor	Robin Taylor
Committee Member	Liz Wolstenholme
Committee Member	Jeremy Lambert

Members of the support team

Webmaster	Frank Taylor
Publicity	Virginia Aighton / Su Penson
ICT Support	Jonathan Pickup / Stan Unsworth / Philip Bradshaw / Paul Fisher/ Brian Hudson
Special Events	Marjorie Taylor / Liz Wolstenholme/Gill Kilbey
Refreshments	Sue Monks, Liz Wolstenholme

Annual Reconciliation		
Bank Balance Jan 1st 2023	Annual Totals	
£5,323.47	Income	Expenditure
Architecture	£968.31	£1,076.75
Art Appreciation	£471.05	£280.00
Auditor	£0.00	£41.00
Bank Charges	£0.00	£0.00
Basics	£0.00	£0.00
Bird Watching	£0.00	£0.00
Book Group	£110.00	£140.00
Cardnet	£50.00	£117.60
Catering	£0.00	£28.68
Literature	£35.00	£0.00
Singing For Pleasure	£154.00	£168.00
Coffee Morning	£0.00	£60.00
Diaries	£0.00	£0.00
Fashion	£541.00	£173.45
Expenses Clitheroe Cttee Meetings	£0.00	£156.00
Music Appreciation	£158.00	£56.00
French	£107.00	£226.00
Garden Study	£0.00	£0.00
Genealogy	£252.00	£384.00
Geology	£0.00	£0.00
History	£2,676.45	£3,036.49
Merchandise	£0.00	£231.74
Miscelleaneous	£20.00	£898.02
National Conference	£0.00	£0.00
I Pad Group	£0.00	£28.00
Philosophy	£0.00	£0.00
Play Reading	£0.00	£0.00
Poetry	£0.00	£0.00
Printing	£42.00	£47.15
Room Hire	£0.00	£1,451.00
Science	£100.00	£60.00
Speakers	£0.00	£663.50
Subscriptions	£6,690.20	£115.00
Special Lunches	£3,726.65	£3,339.36
Table Tennis	£230.00	£240.00
Theatre	£0.00	£0.00
Third Age Trust	£0.00	£2,662.56
U3A Shop	£0.00	£0.00
Visitors	£0.00	£0.00
Wine Tasting	£0.00	£40.96
New Singing Group	£0.00	£21.65
Sub Totals	£16,331.66	£15,742.91
Bank Balance Beginning of Month	£5,323.47	
Plus Income	£16,331.66	
Less Expenses	£15,742.91	
Balance End Of Month	£5,912.22	
Unpresented Cheques/Accruals	£0.00	
Reserves Allocation	£433.71	
	£5,912.22	

Accounts Comments

There has been a lot of activity in 2023 in comparison with 2022 due to the reopening of groups following the COVID period.

Many groups have had income that exceeds expenditure and vice versa this is due in the main to phasing for example income taken in December 2023 for courses in January 2024 and beyond. Overall income has been £16,331 and expenditure of £15,742 a variance of £589 positive but as above this is mainly due to phasing.

Reserves for groups are included within the final balance for centre.

There has been a change of charging policy from West Bradford Village Hall in that there is now a consolidated monthly invoice. A catch up of invoices for some groups was issued and

Some groups do not cover all costs however, u3a Clitheroe is committed to ensuring that groups do meet and provided that they are of interest then a subsidy from centre is acceptable.

We have also seen a development of short course groups which is to be encouraged and the formation of new groups where start-up costs are provided for.

Miscellaneous Costs

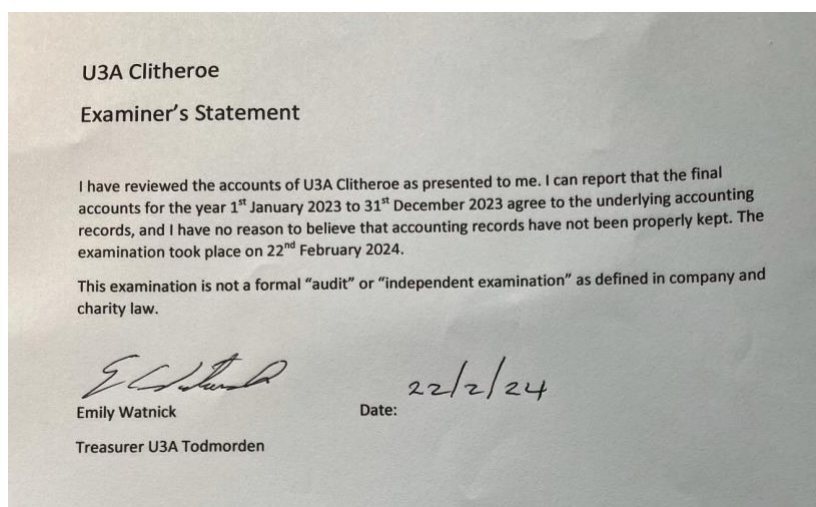
Includes costs for postage, refreshments for the main meeting, printing, prizes for quiz, convenors' meeting room hire and refreshments. The various functions open to all members such as the summer celebration and Christmas lunch have costs associated with them. Not all costs are covered by ticket sales.

Centre Costs

u3a charge for the TAM publication insurances and for membership support and general organisation.

Account Examination

The accounts for the year January to December were examined by the Treasurer of Todmorden, Emily Watnick and found to be in order. Please see the note as below confirming the accounts.



On April 9th at the AGM I stand down as Clitheroe u3a chair after two years in post.

I have been both honoured and delighted to have represented such a great u3a when attending nationwide and north-west meetings. There has always been something exciting and positive to say about our membership and the way our groups develop and grow.

There are many people to thank who facilitate the smooth running of our organisation and I have mentioned them more fully in the chair's report that I shall present to the AGM.

Looking back over the past two years it has to be noted that our membership and number of groups has increased. We held our very first afternoon dance which seemed a great success, we have a new Garden, Photography, and Quiz group, as well as a couple of short courses.

I would ask you all not to be a T U B E -----"Turn Up and Be Entertained "let's stay close to the core principles of the u3a, which include peer to peer learning with a focus on member-led activities.

Let's give our support to our new chair Anne Rhodes-Butler and vice-chair Jacqui Melia, by working together we will promote our values and ensure that Clitheroe u3a is attractive to new members and a place where existing members want to Learn, Laugh, Live.

Marjorie Taylor

 **SINGING FOR PLEASURE...FAREWELL MAESTRO** 

It was with great sadness that we were informed by Alan Amos following our meeting in early March that he felt he could not carry on any longer due to his declining health and that of his partner Jean.

Alan has been at the helm for over 10 years and has encouraged us to give performances in many venues both within the U3A and outside in churches, residential homes and garden parties. We will miss him and thank him for all his hard work.

Going forward we have a new pianist Peter who has very bravely taken the lead and Bev who has again been with us from the start, but we need more people who are musicians or leaders to join the team and take control of our group of 30 U3A singers.

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 16th April 10am at West Bradford Village Hall so do come along and join us.

Pat, Denise, Bev, Wendy and Peter.

More Group information

Walking Group

The 19th April walk is a circular walk of approximately 4.5 miles.

The walk is a mixture of field paths, lanes and tracks with some inclines, and returning along the River Ribble path. There are approximately 3 wooden stiles. Could be muddy in parts subject to weather preceding the walk. Walking boots advised.

Meet at 9.45 for a 10am start at The 3 Millstones Inn, Waddington Road, West Bradford BB7 4SX. Lunch available afterwards in The 3 Millstones Inn.

The landlord has given permission to park in the car park.

Walk leader Julie Cooper

Group Convenor: Julie Cooper (07981 473806) email: julescoops@yahoo.co.uk

Strollers

Meet on Monday 22nd April at Pendle Heritage Centre Car Park Barrowford BB9 6JQ. 10.45 for 11am start. An easy, relatively flat, river & canal stroll. One muddy path and one field, no stiles. Lunch (optional) at the Thatch & Thistle BB9 7TZ.

Leader: Tricia 07762427170

Convenors: Ann 07768322125. Wendy 01254 247977

Plodders

Date and time: Tuesday 16th April at 10.45am for an 11.00pm start

Walk Leader – Robin Taylor – 07443575512 robwill9@yahoo.com

Meeting Place – Car Park at the back of the Co-op on Pickup Street BB5 5NS

Details below.

The April walk starts on the Car Park at the back of the Pickup Street Co-op Clayton-le-Moors and proceeds to the Leeds - Liverpool canal. Turning right to go under the Motorway.

The walk may be muddy so please wear substantial footwear. The walk will take about one hour.

Please note that Pickup Street is right of Whalley Road (A671) just past a Pelican crossing on the way to Accrington.

Group Convenor: Marie Birkett – Tel: 07941581349 – Email: mariebirkett58@hotmail.co.uk

More Group information

Photography Group.



The Photography Group met at The Trinity Hub with the request for 'Three photos of Spring'.

← We liked this one from Valerie. At our April 8th Meeting at 2pm Trinity Hub we are looking for three black and white images from members.

Assistance is offered to all who wish to take part in this new group.

Further information: contact Mark Stein markstein2010@live.co.uk

Mobile 07858 761337

Garden Group.



Member's Questions and Answers

Bring your questions and let's support each other.

Trinity Hub 2.00pm Friday April 5th
New members welcome.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Have you anything to contribute to the NewsFlash? We would like all our members to contribute. Anything that interests you, short pieces are fine. Text should be sent as Word Documents, or just within an email rather than attachments. Illustrations or photographs are best sent separate from text, in jpg format.

May NewsFlash deadline: 22nd April. Please send contributions by email to the Editor Robin Taylor

newsflasheditor@3acilitheroe.com

A Taste of History.

A course of six modules

- An introduction to food history
- Prehistoric
- Roman-British
- Anglo-Saxon
- Scandinavian invaders
- Early Medieval



Sources of information:

- Archaeology and related sciences, art, artefacts, written sources, experimental archaeology
- Middens, human and animal remains (bones, teeth, stomach contents, coprolites), burials, grave goods.
- Plants, fossils, pollen, preserved material, root cavities, seeds, human waste, agriculture, horticulture.
- Cooking equipment, tools, storage, preservation, cooking methods.
- Ingredients – meat, fish, hunting and fishing, tools and equipment, fruits, herbs, spices, fats, eggs, dairy, how they were sourced or made.
- Drinks.
- Economy of the time – barter, coinage, foreign trade etc.

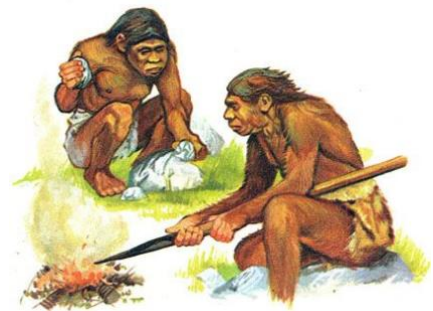
Participants will be encouraged to undertake personal research and experiment – make a coiled pot, attempt dishes or drinks, produce art-works, models, weaving. The suggestions are not compulsory.

The meetings will be held at the West Bradford Village Hall, 2:00pm until 4:00pm, on the third Monday of the month, beginning April 15th. With an introduction to food history, The Prehistoric.

April 15th, May 20th, June 17th, July 15th, August 18th, September 16th.

There will be a cost of £12 for the course, paid by BACS or bank card.

Convenor: Ann Ward Tel: 07783 894855, email: topgm@hotmail.co.uk



Bird of the Month.

The Red Kite (Milvus Milvus)

I wonder if anyone was out in the vicinity of St. Mary's church, Langho on Friday, 23rd February, for I was surprised to see a red kite flying leisurely towards me above the trees. The red kite has been reintroduced in the South Lakes and the Harrogate area, as well as being resident in Wales. This bird is more slender and more elegant than the buzzard, with narrower wings and a deeply forked tail, which it often twists as a rudder. The red kite eats dead animals, such as rabbits, catches birds as large as gulls and also feeds on insects, earthworms and



More Group information

CAN YOU PLAY A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT?



Would you like to join a group playing all kinds of music?
Our BH Group is looking for members who can help.

If you are interested, please contact,
Roy Gonsalves: 07779 123699 or rmgonsalves1953@outlook.com

Architecture Group Trip

The architecture group is organising a trip to Huddersfield on 1st May which will be the first of the trips this year.

The group will travel by coach, pick up points are in Clitheroe and Whalley circa 9.30am, to meet a guide at St George's Square at 11:00am for an hour and a half's tour. The tour will take in many famous buildings which were built during Huddersfield's hayday. The town was a very wealthy town and features many interesting and diverse buildings. Free time for lunch at 12:30 followed by reconvening at 2:00pm at the piazza for a further tour and finishing at the university area. Outline programme will be provided with further details of the day. The cost of the day is £25.00 per person. Please note this is a walking tour so sensible shoes ICE cards which are available for emergencies, and telephone to contact the organisers if necessary.

For more information contact: -

Paul Fisher, Group Convenor, pfisher3@btinternet.com or telephone 0787 4696 374.

Julie Whitehead, Organiser, jcw57@icloud.com or telephone 0747 4860 250

Coffee Morning

The date of our next Clitheroe u3a Coffee Morning is below: -

It's an Ideal opportunity for New Members to meet the
Convenors and pick up information on our many Groups.

Trinity Community Hub Clitheroe.

Thursday May 2nd 10.15 – 11.45 am.



TEA DANCE AFTERNOON RAVE

An afternoon to remember!!!
A wonderful time was had by 75 members at the Tea Dance/Rave on Wednesday March 13th at Whalley Golf Club. There was a great selection of dance music, thanks to Liz Wolstenholme for arranging the DJ. As the dancers were asking "When is the next one?" Watch this space!



A warm welcome to New Members:
Judith Marr, Eleanor Brazendale and Russell Davies

Reviews of the Main Meeting and the Liverpool trip.

At our last main meeting we were treated to a delightful musical treat, given by singing partners, Phillip and Jane, who perform under the name of 'The Robinsons'.

The duo mainly focussed on the music of Paul Simon and Art Garfunkel, with an additional small sprinkling of songs, made famous by the Everly Brothers.

Jane kept the pace going, in between pieces, by telling us some interesting stories about the background to each song.

I thought Phillip played the guitar accompaniment brilliantly and I was quite fascinated by his whistling technique!

However, obviously it was the songs themselves and the way they were sung which captured the attention of the audience.

There are 'a lot of words' in Paul Simon's writing and the diction in The Robinsons' singing, was crystal clear. Very impressive!

I also very much admired the way that Jane and Phillip brought out the meanings of the songs, singing with such feeling and emotion.

But it was the quality of the harmonies which stole the show. Some of them were so beautiful they were quite magical.

Jane told us that Paul Simon was a writing genius and Art Garfunkel was the harmony expert and this was certainly reflected in The Robinsons' performance of their songs.

Only 96 members out of a possible 385 attended the meeting on Tuesday. They missed a treat. If you are a member and haven't been to any of the Main Meetings, why not give it a try? It won't cost you anything and you will have a relaxing afternoon out. In addition, it could give you further insight into other aspects of our u3a, which you might not have known about before. All that, plus a cup of tea, or coffee – with a biscuit! What's not to like?

Ginny Aighton (Publicity Officer)



What a great Saturday afternoon of entertainment we all had at the Liverpool Royal Court to watch, as advertised, 'an unforgettable performance of Lennon and McCartney's music'.

It was indeed! The storytelling of their meteoric rise to fame over the decades, not to mention the songs, performed brilliantly by all members of the band were very definitely a nostalgic trip down memory lane. The standing ovation at the end to 'Hey Jude' lay testament to that!! A special thank you to Marjorie Taylor for event. *Su Penson (Publicity Officer)*



THE BIG SING

Saturday 15th June 2024, 10.15 a.m. – 3.30 p.m.

at

The Quaker Meeting House, School Lane, Liverpool.

Led by Fredrik Holm, music specialist and

Members of the North West Regional Team.

PROGRAMME

- 10.15 Refreshments and registration
- 10.55 Welcome & Introduction
- 11:00– 12.15 First practice session
- 12.15 – 1.15 Lunch - bring your own or use the local cafes
- 1.15 – 2.15 Second practice session
- 2.15 – 2.45 Comfort break
- 2.45 – 3.30 The Big Sing – putting together everything you have learned

The venue is accessible and there is a lift to all floors. Parking is limited but there is a public carpark nearby and the venue is within walking distance of Lime Street and Central Stations. If you book parking in advance through Q-Park you can obtain a discount using QUAKERSLV. Please indicate if you have any special requirements with regard to seating or large print.

Cost for the event: £15.00 including refreshments.

Please note, lunch is not provided. Bring your own or use nearby cafes.

Please try to register by June 7th

By Online form using this link <https://forms.gle/EY9hUmvagdTJQzqQ7>

or send name, u3a and contact details with a cheque for £15 payable to

North West Region of U3As

To G. Russell, 71 Barn Hey Crescent, Meols, Wirral CH47 9RW.

If you prefer to pay by BACs pay to North West Region of u3as,

Acc no: 00197002 Sort Code: 30-90-16 and add Big Sing as reference

For more information contact Gill Russell: mob: 07710531876 u3anwrchair@gmail.com

North West Region of U3As



Registered Charity No: 1159091

invite applications for the 2024 Summer School

**Residential Summer School Tues 13th August – Friday 16th August
At University of Cumbria, Fusehill St Campus, Carlisle, CA1 2HH**

An opportunity to learn in the inspiring setting of historical Carlisle



The Fusehill St campus is located in the centre of Carlisle and less than 15 minutes' walk from Carlisle Railway Station. The campus has modern facilities, student en-suite rooms with Wi-Fi access. A large room is available for meeting and socialising. There will be a quiz on the first evening and a "Gala Dinner" on the third and final evening.

Full Board Residential Delegate; £420. (+£10 car parking charge if applicable; +£25 field trips (2 off) surcharge for archaeology, and £15 field trip surcharge for British artists courses) We include full board for 3 nights, including dinner on 13th August, breakfast, lunch and dinner on 14th August, breakfast, lunch and gala dinner on 15th August, and breakfast on 16th August. Also, tea and coffee refreshments on each day.

Non-Residential Day Delegate: £210 (+parking and field trip surcharge if applicable) includes lunches, teas and coffees, excludes breakfast daily and dinner on Tuesday and Wednesday but does include the gala dinner on 15th August. Accommodation is available nearby in the Carlisle city centre.

An Application form (available online at north west site) must be completed by post or email, Payment can be either by bank transfer (North West Region of U3A's, Lloyds Bank sort code 30-90-16, account 00197002 quoting name and post code) or by cheque (payable to North West Region of U3A's)

DO NOT SEND PAYMENT UNTIL YOUR APPLICATION IS CONFIRMED (SEE BOOKING NOTE 8)

queries should be directed to Alan Hough on 07544 359125 or

alanhough1949@gmail.com

Post to 8 Salwick Close, Wigan, Gtr Manchester. WN3 6RE

The 7 courses on offer are:-

Archaeology: "Archaeological sites in Cumbria"; Art Challenges: "Working in the style of..."; Literature: "North by North west"; Art: "British artists: Hogarth to Hockney"; Genealogy; Ukulele for Improvers and Japanese Encounter.

Full course synopses available separately (and on north west site).

Clitheroe u3a Officers and Committee 2023

Chairman:	Marjorie Taylor	01254 249897	marjorietaaylor@hotmail.co.uk
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Treasurer:	Paul Fisher	07874696374	treasureru3aclitheroe@outlook.com

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Speakers Secretary	Roy Gonsalves,	01200 442460,	rmgonsalves1953@outlook.com
Committee Members	Liz Wolstenholme,		
	Jeremy Lambert,	Anne Rhodes-Butler	
Co-opted Members	Su Penson,	Eileen Narain	

Committee Support Team

ICT Support Team:	Jonathan Pickup, Brian Hudson
Publicity Officer:	Mary-Ann Renton
Refreshments Co-ordinators:	Janet Elliott, Liz Wolstenholme and Sue Monk
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