

The Third Age Trust have asked us to pass on to all members the attached information about three new forums. Please do join in these important discussions so that we can all work together to improve our situation.



## Mailing

# New U3A Discussion Forums

### Using digital platforms to stay connected

During these unprecedented times, the Third Age Trust has been looking at different ways to support our amazing U3A community. We wanted to enable and support U3As, members and Interest Group leaders, to stay active and connected with each other.

If you are not familiar with online forums, we have prepared a [how-to guide](#) to help you get started. We welcome your feedback on the guide. Your feedback will help us develop our guide which will be available on the [national website](#) in the next few days.

It is easy to get started. All you need to do is visit the forum website at <https://forum.u3abeacon.org.uk>, click the 'register' button and fill in your details.

**There will be three forums that you can join:**

**Learning** – discussions around subjects and all forms of interest and learning

**Our U3A Community** – discussions arounds how we support each other

**Beacon** – discussions around using Beacon, the U3A management system

This is just an outline of what the forums are about because it will be led and developed by you when you join and the conversations that are happening.

A volunteer team will moderate the site and support you to use the forums in a safe, positive and productive way.

and in the newsletter.

Third Age Trust website address - [www.u3a.org.uk](http://www.u3a.org.uk)

**Please join us, sign up and get chatting. Together we will network, share ideas and stay connected.**



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