

## Coronavirus Update 17 March 2020

Following the government's latest advice issued on 16<sup>th</sup> March, Guisborough U3A urgency committee convened today and resolved that ALL U3A Activities and meetings including the AGM will be suspended from 5pm today. This notice will be placed on our website as well as circulated to all Group Coordinators in order that all members can be informed.

Planned excursions have been cancelled by the appropriate team leader/coordinator and members will be reimbursed by post.

All group meeting venues are cancelled until further notice.

Those members who have paid next year's membership renewal can be reassured that decisions will be made to ensure that they do not suffer financially but it is hoped that this can be achieved without reimbursing the money but by carrying it forward to whenever we restart activities.

We will continue to communicate with members via the website, newsletter and through Group Coordinators when more information becomes available and when restarting activities can begin again.

At that time we may organise a garden inspection competition as I expect that considerable improvements will have taken place in the intervening period!

John Wardill Chair