

From Ely to Dedham – Cromwell to Sir Alfred Munnings

Our next U3A open to all illustrated talk will again be held at The Cut at 2.30 on Tuesday 16th July when Jenny Hand Director of the Munnings Art Museum in Dedham, will give an illustrated talk. The museum was previously the house where Munnings lived from 1919 until his death in 1959. The museum now promotes and celebrates the life and work of this important local artist, who also had connections to the Halesworth area. As always there is no charge to U3A members, all others as always are most welcome £.3.00 tickets available on the door or in advance from The Cut Box Office.

There will be no talk in August and we return again to The Cut in September for our AGM and a talk about local archaeology.

June saw our now annual summer move away from the monthly talk, when 2 coaches of members and friends went to Ely for the day. About 50 people also took advantage of the pre-arranged informative walking tour of this interesting and very attractive town. The rain held off and by all accounts a good time was had by all. Kings Lynn has already been suggested as a possible U3A day out destination for the summer of 2020.

As always, the promise of warmer weather sees a number of U3A groups enjoying the outdoor life with the Birdwatchers travelling to Lackford Lakes near Bury St Edmunds, the Walkers enjoying a 5 mile walk around Middleton and Eastbridge and the Beer Research Group venturing out to deepest Sweffling. The U3A Ukulele group having just celebrated 5 years strumming together playing out to the wider public at events in Leiston and at the recent Lowestoft First Light Festival.

For those who may be interested in finding more about U3A over a coffee and would like to meet with some of our longer standing members please come to U3A new/potential members hour in the Cut Café from 11.00 until noon on Friday 26th July

Alternatively, for more information you can visit our website, just search 'Halesworth U3A', or to print application forms or to make contact with us

As always, we welcome new members to join us in a wide range of activities and groups to continue to 'Live, Learn, and Laugh' while enjoying each other's company and to share each other's common skills and interests.



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Martin Stevens for Halesworth and District U3A