



u3a
40th Anniversary



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Happy New Year u3a Chairs and Business Secretaries

2022 has arrived, the 40th Anniversary of the birth of our wonderful movement.

Forty years of learning and laughing (and living, naturally!). Attached is the current list of information about u3a UK Anniversary events. Of course, almost every day in 2022, there will be something to celebrate!

Some anniversaries will be perfect for some kind of joint initiative or partnership with another organisation. Here are just three from January 2022, which could be the subject of one of your Interest Groups ...



5 January: 100th anniversary of the death of Sir Ernest Shackleton, British Antarctic explorer

15 January: 400th anniversary of the birth of French playwright Moliere

27 January: 300th anniversary of the publication of Moll Flanders by Daniel Defoe

Websites

The start of a New Year is an opportunity to refresh your u3a website, maybe update the Welcome page photo (some date back to 2021 and beyond!) and get rid of outdated 'clutter'. Two publications are attached. Please ignore the 'sales pitch' and frequent references to 'fundraising' and 'funding'.

With my very best wishes to you and your u3a members
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