

# Surrey U3A Network Study Days from October 2004 to June 2024

## 2004 Season

8 October 2004 Box Hill – Its History, Wildlife & People  
 19 November 2004 Portraits - Representation & Projection  
 4 February 2005 Current Conflicts in the Middle East  
 11 March 2005 Literary Victorians  
 13 May 2005 A Study in Starlight  
 17 June 2005 The Organ – First Keyboard Instrument  
 16 July 2005 Romanticism into Impressionism

Lalage Grundy & Peter Creasey  
 Katy Brown  
 Brian Beeley  
 Julia Courtney  
 Kevin Attree  
 John Mansfield  
 Janet Canetty-Clarke

## 2005 Season

9 September 2005 Britain as a Garden  
 14 October 2005 Keyboard Kings & Princes  
 11 November 2005 Has the EU a Future?  
 10 February 2006 Jane Austen  
 10 March 2006 Industrial Archaeology  
 12 May 2006 Views on a Changing World  
 15 July 2006 Mozart; Salzburg & Vienna

Ian Tribe  
 John Hursey  
 John Broad & Others  
 Jill Anderton & Marion Dell  
 Alan Crocker & Paul Sowan  
 Jean Thompson & Others  
 Janet Canetty-Clarke

## 2006 Season

9 September 2006 Pompeii & Herculaneum; Art & History  
 20 October 2006 Surrey Local History  
 17 November 2006 The Middle East – An Update  
 19 January 2007 The Truth Behind Some Health Myths  
 16 February 2007 The Life & Works of Lord Byron  
 16 March 2007 Picturing Women  
 20 April 2007 Climate Change & What to Do about It!  
 18 May 2007 Music & Wellbeing

Leslie Pitcher  
 Tim Richardson & David Brookes  
 Brian Beeley  
 Vincent Marks & Others  
 Peter Cochrane & Christine Jones  
 Katy Brown  
 John Midwinter  
 John Hursey

## 2007 Season

21 September 2007 Surrey Chalk Downlands  
 19 October 2007 Archaeology of War  
 23 November 2007 Georgian Britain  
 15 February 2008 Maritime Heroes & Art  
 14 March 2008 Some Writers from Surrey & Sussex  
 18 April 2008 Modern America & Global Power  
 16 May 2008 Reading the Rocks; Evolution of the Earth  
 13 June 2008 A History of the Cinema

Alex Baxter-Brown & Roger Finlay  
 Julie Wileman  
 Alan Green  
 James Taylor  
 Jill Anderton & Marion Dell  
 John Broad & Others  
 Kevin Attree  
 John Wischmeyer

## 2008 Season

19 September 2008 Italian Palace Art  
 17 October 2008 An Updated View of the Middle East  
 21 November 2008 Bletchley Park & Role of Intelligence  
 13 February 2009 Dutch Painters – Rembrandt to Van Gogh  
 13 March 2009 Origins of Musical Instruments  
 2 April 2009 Bletchley Park & Role of Intelligence  
 17 April 2009 Nature Trust – Conserving our Heritage  
 15 May 2009 Keyboard Music through the Ages  
 12 June 2009 Various Health Issues

Leslie Pitcher  
 Brian Beeley  
 Hugh Davies  
 Katy Brown  
 Bridget Cunningham & Laura Justice  
 Hugh Davies  
 Roger Cayzer & Others  
 Janet Canetty-Clarke  
 Vincent Marks & Others

## 2009 Season

18 September 2009 Classical Myths in Art  
 16 October 2009 Shakespeare & Music  
 20 November 2009 From Mechanical Music to Mechanical Television  
 12 February 2010 The Operas of Puccini  
 12 March 2010 Georgian Britain  
 16 April 2010 The Caucasus  
 14 May 2010 British Naval History from 1066 to 2003  
 18 June 2010 The History & Literature of the Anglo-Saxon Period

Leslie Pitcher  
 Keith Richards & Don Moore  
 Ken Tythacott & Jon Weller  
 Gowan Hewlett  
 Alan Green  
 Malcolm Haslett  
 Ian Friel  
 Rosemary Thomas

## 2010 Season

17 September 2010 Some Nineteenth Century Novelists & Their Readers  
 15 October 2010 Music and Friendship  
 19 November 2010 The Geology of Britain  
 18 February 2011 WWII Intelligence in Action  
 18 March 2011 A History of the Impact of the Renaissance  
 15 April 2011 Archaeology, Ritual & Magic  
 20 May 2011 Jazz – The Sound of Surprise  
 17 June 2011 Africa – Yesterday, Today & Tomorrow

Julia Courtney  
 John Hursey  
 Kevin Attree  
 Hugh Davies  
 Anne Milton-Worsell  
 Peter Harp  
 Mike Head  
 Richard Thomas

## 2011 Season

16 September 2011 Velasquez & Goya – The Golden Age of Spanish Painting  
 21 October 2011 Marlborough, Nelson, Garibaldi & Bligh  
 18 November 2011 Climate Change & Future Energy Supply  
 17 February 2012 Genetics  
 16 March 2012 Volcanoes, Earthquakes & Tsunamis  
 20 April 2012 English Landscape & Gardens  
 18 May 2012 Sustainable Design: Building the Future  
 15 June 2012 Handel, Hogarth & Captain Coram's Foundling Hospital

Leslie Pitcher  
 Alan Povall & Colin Mitchell  
 Graham Hill, Ian Funnell, Trevor Williams & John Gallop  
 Carlton Wood  
 Mick Wright  
 Roger & Barbara Askew  
 Michael Herrmann  
 Janet Canetty-Clarke

## 2012 Season

21 September 2012 The French Revolution & Its Continuing Influence  
 19 October 2012 The Dazzling Culture of Medieval Italy  
 16 November 2012 Flora & Fauna of the North Downs  
 15 February 2013 Astronomy & Space Science  
 15 March 2013 My Life in Music: Singer, Broadcaster & Conductor  
 19 April 2013 The Archaeology of Early People in London & Surrey  
 17 May 2013 The Life of William Cobbett  
 21 June 2013 From the Medes to the Mullahs – A History of Iran

Ruth Cowl  
 Katy Brown  
 Peter & Fiona Creasey  
 Ian Hepburn & Others  
 Brian Kay  
 Jon Cotton  
 Richard Thomas & Luath Ferguson  
 Anne Davison

### 2013 Season

20 September 2013	Than Longen Folk to Goon on Pilgrimages	Catherine Ferguson
18 October 2013	The Architecture & Townscape of Venice	Barrie Clark
15 November 2013	The Future of Nuclear Energy in the UK	Ian Funnell, John Gallop, Bill Nuttall & Jeroem Veenstra
21 February 2014	Does the European Union have a Future?	Simon Usherwood
21 March 2014	Music of the People – The Folk Music of England	Mike Head & Steve Roud
11 April 2014	Astronomy, Big & Small	Kevin Attree
16 May 2014	The Holy Roman Empire: Power, Politics & the Papacy	Anne Davison
20 June 2014	Victorian Novels of Town & Country	Julia Courtney

### 2014 Season

19 September 2014	The Psychology of Daily Life	Anne Dale
17 October 2014	Modern Genealogy / Poetry in Motion	Nick Barratt / John Griffin
21 November 2014	Hail Bright Cecilia!	Peter Medhurst
20 February 2015	Long to Reign Over Us	Nigel Arch
20 March 2015	Hogarth to Gainsborough – Painting in C18 England	Leslie Pitcher
17 April 2015	The NHS & The Future	Martin Roberts, Stephen Potter & Sir Denis Pereira Gray
15 May 2015	The Story of Stonehenge	Michael Parker Pearson
19 June 2015	A Philosophical Romp	Marianne Talbot

### 2015 Season

18 September 2015	Yehudi Menuhin – His Life, His School & Its Music	Richard Hillier & Malcolm Singer
16 October 2015	The Maya – Children of the Corn	Maria Chester
20 November 2015	Cosmology – Big Bang to Big Rip?	Roger Luther
19 February 2016	Turning Points in C20 Painting - Breaking the Mould	Barrie Garnham
18 March 2016	Spying Through the Ages	Hugh Davies
15 April 2016	The Theatrical Heritage of Gilbert & Sullivan	Bernard Lockett
20 May 2016	Around the World, Around the Piano	John Hursey
17 June 2016	Majesty & Menace: Henry VIII & the Tudor Age	Siobhan Elizabeth Clarke

### 2016 Season

16 September 2016	English Cathedral Architecture Explained	Keith Hasted
21 October 2016	The Knight in Shining Armour	Nigel Arch
18 November 2016	The Inca: Children of the Sun	Maria Chester
17 February 2017	My Life in Crime / My Life in Rhyme	Richard Hawkins / John Griffin
17 March 2017	Celebrating Surrey	Lord Lieutenant of Surrey & Others
21 April 2017	Comfort & Convenience in the Country House	Marilyn Palmer
19 May 2017	Signs & Symbols – The Hidden Messages in Paintings	Val Woodgate
16 June 2017	Einstein 101 & His Continuing Legacy	Roger Luther

### 2017 Season

15 September 2017	All Change! Avant-Garde Art in the First-Half of C20	Barrie Garnham
20 October 2017	Plagues & Pestilence / Sherlock Holmes, Law & Forensics	Tim Mason / Carrie Parris
17 November 2017	Military History Through the Ages	Mike Fox, Pete Starling, June Davey & David Williams
16 February 2018	Making Sense of Militant Islam	Anne Davison
16 March 2018	Vincent Van Gogh & Painting in C19 France	Leslie Pitcher
20 April 2018	Energy Planning for the UK	Graham Hill, Robin Allen, Richard Rumble, Ian Funnell & John Gallop
18 May 2018	Hoaxes, Magic, Cartoons & Satire	Ian Keable
15 June 2018	Recent British Archaeological Discoveries	Michael Parker Pearson

### 2018 Season

21 September 2018	Major Infrastructure Projects	John Kennedy, Alan Dyke & Bernard Gambrill
19 October 2018	Creative Therapies & Singing for Health & Pleasure	Bekah Duncalfe, Rebecca Hitch & Ursula Steiger + Canterbury U3A Choir
16 November 2018	Landscape, Society & Agriculture - Food Systems are Shaping the UK	Richard Baines
15 February 2019	Philosophy in a Day!	Marianne Talbot
15 March 2019	The Bayeux Tapestry & Life in England before the Battle of Hastings	Imogen Corrigan
12 April 2019	The Aztec - The Eagle Warriors of the Sun	Maria Chester
17 May 2019	People & Places of Surrey	Steve Folan, Jane Turner, Matthew Piggott & Janet Mathews
21 June 2019	Mathematics in Action	Roger Luther

### 2019 Season

20 September 2019	Genetics - Development of Personalised Medicine & Treatment of Disease	Daniel Biggs, Felicia Anna Tucci & Justin Whalley
18 October 2019	An Age of Uncertainty / Public Discourse & Not the Economy!	Nigel Arch & Evan Davis
15 November 2019	The UK in a Changing Europe	Simon Usherwood
21 February 2020	Astronomy; Mercury, Moons of Solar System & Moon Landing Controversy	David Fishwick & Graham Bryant

### ***Curtailed by COVID-19 Pandemic & 2020 Season Postponed***

### 2021 Season

17 September 2021	Landscapes of South-East England	Geoff Mead
15 October 2021	The Most Famous Pharaoh of Them All; Tutankamen, The Boy King	Clive Barham Carter
19 November 2021	The Development of British Style & Life on the Antiques Roadshow	Paul Atterbury
18 February 2022	A Passion for Drawing	Colin Wiggins
18 March 2022	The Art and Objects of the Mughal Emperors, c. 1550-1650	Ursula Weekes
22 April 2022	Illuminated Manuscripts of the Medieval Period	Imogen Corrigan
20 May 2022	Chemistry, Cosmetics & Killers	Kathryn Harkup
17 June 2022	Understanding Turner: The Man, His Life & His Work	Maria Chester

### 2022 Season

16 September 2022	Voices from Ancient Mesopotamia	Irving Finkel
21 October 2022	Eureka – A Brief History of Maths from 3000BC to 2000AD	Roger Luther
18 November 2022	Industrial Archaeology at Fifty	David Perrett & Martin Adams
17 February 2023	Amelia B Edwards: The Great Forgotten Victorian Egyptologist	Clive Barham Carter
17 March 2023	A Study Day on Poetry	Steven Fowler, James Haddow & Roger McGough
22 April 2023	The Story of Polar Exploration & Arctic Frontiers in a Changing Climate	John Ash & Robert Headland
20 May 2023	The Dead Sea Scrolls - What They Are & Why They Matter	Hugh Williamson
17 June 2023	The Vikings & Their Influence in the World	Imogen Corrigan

### 2023 Season

15 September 2023	An Utterly Incomplete History of Keyboards & Keyboard Music	Steven Devine
20 October 2023	Quarks, the Universe, and Everything	Philip Harris
17 November 2023	Rembrandt - From Fame to Poverty & Final Acclaim	Colin Wiggins
16 February 2024	Railway Journey, Railway Adventures & Railway Cultural History	Paul Atterbury
15 March 2024	Europe at War: Putin's War in Ukraine & the British Commitment	Gordon Corrigan
19 April 2024	Earth's Atmosphere - Our Life Support System	David Phillips
17 May 2024	The Jazz Age & Beyond - Talks, Film, Demos & Musical Finale	Howard Lawes, Grace Evans & Dave Allison + The Alleycats
21 June 2024	Science Day – Rainforests/Evolution & Music/Colour	David Jones & Andrew Hanson