

Monthly Meetings held at the Community Centre starting at 2.p.m.

Date: 8th March	Date: 12th April	Date: 10th May
Speaker: Gemma Summerfield	Speaker: Mrs Olivia Cunliffe-Lister	Speaker: Derrick Clark
Subject: The Red Arrows	Subject: Modern Day Life in an Historic Home	Subject: A Light hearted look at Antiques & Collectables

GROUP ACTIVITIES**Archaeology:**

Date: 20th March, 17th April, 15th May
Time: 10.30 a.m. -12.30 p.m.
Venue: Community Centre, Driffield
Group Leader: Susan Adamson (270429)
(Chris Leadbetter 250193)

Art Group: Also see overleaf.

Date: Mondays weekly
Venue: Community Centre (Large Hall)
Time: 9-30 am-11-30 am
Group Leader: Jean Balarkas 01482 866015

Watercolour & Pastel Group (All abilities)

Date: Thursdays weekly
Venue: Community Centre
Time: 9-30am to 11-30 am
Group Leaders: Jane Brigham 250789
Robert Kelly 01262 488117

Bell Fitness Centre: Also see overleaf.

Group Leader: Marcia Roughley 255279

Dancercise:

Date: Thursdays weekly
Time: 10 -11 a.m.
Venue: Driffield Methodist Band Room
Group Leader: Sally Jones. 272459

Dance For Fitness:

Date: Tuesdays weekly
Time: 10-30 a. m.
Venue: Masonic Hall
Group Leader: Margaret Killin 241338

Family History:

Date: 5th March, 2nd & 30th April.
4th June cancelled due to Jubilee celebrations
Venue: Community Centre (Small Hall)
Time: 10am to 12 pm
Group Leader: M. Winn 254167
£ 2.00 payable on entry, includes Broadband.

Film Group: No meeting on 14th March.

Date: Wednesday weekly
Time: 2.00 p.m. (Tea & biscuits from 1.45)
Venue: Community Centre(Committee Room)
Group Leader: Alan Dymond (232717)
£1.50 payable on entry.

French Conversation:

Date: 1st and 3rd Wednesday every month
Venue: Community Centre
Time: 9am-10.30am
Group Leader: Jim Clark 256897

Geology:

Date: 8th & 22nd March, 12th & 26th April
Time: 10.30 a.m.- 12.30 p.m.
Venue: Driffield Cricket & Recreation Club
Group Leaders: Kathy Turrell (255052)
Frank Prescott (255360)

Local History:

Venue: Community Centre.
Date: 21st March
Speaker: Peter Maw
Subject: Driffield 50 years ago
Date: 18th April
Speaker: Pauline Wasling
Subject: Burton Agnes Hall through the year.
Time: 2.00p.m
Group Leader: Sheila Redshaw 252198

Mah Jongg:

Venue: Community Centre, Committee Room
Time: 2 pm to 5 pm.
Tuesdays - March 13th, April 10th, May 8th
Thursdays - March 22nd, April 26th, May 24th
Group Leader: Chris Leadbetter 250193
Group in recess from June until September.

Movement to Music:

Date: Tuesdays weekly
Venue: Masonic Hall
Time: 9-00am to 10-00am
Group Leader: Pauline Kenington 200403

Music:

Date: 13th March
Subject: The Armed Man (Joy Anslow)
Venue: Blacksmith's Shop, Harpham
(01262 490452)
Date: 10th April
Subject: Planning Meeting/Music Making-
Voices & instruments (Alan Massey)
Date: 8th May
Subject: Miscellany (Mary Millar)
Venues: 8 Westfield Close, Nafferton(254520)
Group Leader: Janet Ella 236467

Musical Theatre Craft:

Date: Tuesdays weekly
Time: 2.00pm—3.30pm
Venue: Community Centre
Group Leader: Carole Bullock 202042

Pub Lunch:

Date: 5th April
Venue: Cross Keys, Nafferton
Date: 3rd May
Venue: T.B.A.
Time: 12.00 for 12.30 p.m.
Contact: George Brown 252616
Tom Morton 240267

Quilting and Craft Group:

Date: 1st & 3rd Monday each month
Venue: Driffield Recreation Club
Time: 10am to 12 midday
Group Leader: Ann Bricklebank 253734

Reading Group:

Date: 29th March
Subject: A book read as a teenager or
current teenage book .
Venue: Hazel Senior(272723)
27, Bracken Rd, Driffield
Date: 26th April
Subject: A book written by an author living
on the Indian sub-continent.
Venue: T.B.A.
Group Leader: Anita Grace 270261

Rummy/Canasta: Also see overleaf

Date: 3rd Tuesday in month
Time: 2-00 pm to 4-00 pm
Venue: Blue Bell Inn, Riverhead
Group Leader: Molly Steer 257987

Scrabble:

Date: 27th March, 24th April, 22nd May
Time: 2-00pm
Venue: Blue Bell Inn, Riverhead
Group Leader: Joan Hooper 270364

Square Dancing:

Date: 14th, 21st & 28th March .
Venue: Community Centre
Time: 10.00-12.00
Group Leader: Anita Grace 270261

Study/Discussion:

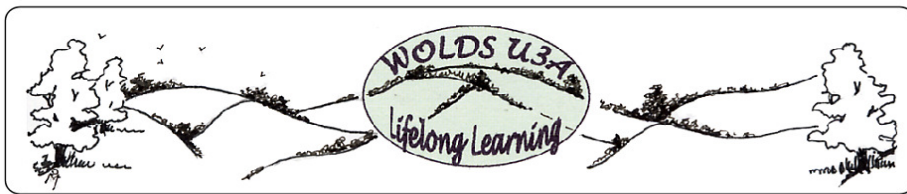
Date: Fridays weekly
Venue: Community Centre
Time: 9-30 am—11.00am
Group Leader: Eric Fowler 253642.

Tai Chi:

Date: Thursdays weekly
Time: 11.00 am
Venue: Community Centre
Group Leader: Molly Steer 257987

Walking Group:

Date: 6th & 15th March
Venue: Market Weighton to Sancton (8.5 mls)
Leader: Geoff & Maureen Moore
Date: 3rd & 19th April
Venue: North Dalton (8 mls)
Leader: Ron Thompson
Date: 1st & 17th May
Venue: Rosedale -up on't moors (7mls)
Leader: Freda & Terry Holland
Leader: Ron Thompson(232958)
Meet at Eastgate Car park 9.30am prompt.
Bring stout shoes/waterproofs/picnic lunch.
Car sharing £2.00pp.No dogs. Leaders take
care but walkers responsible for own safety.



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Newsletter March/April 2012

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Susan Adamson. 270429 Jill Ainsworth 256331
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JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS. It has been suggested that we celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. As speakers have already been booked for most monthly meetings, and since June seems to be the focus for the Jubilee celebrations, the best time to hold ours would be after the AGM. To proceed we need ideas for the content and format for our event. Has anyone any ideas or suggestions of what to do, or can you, or someone you know, provide entertainment? If so please contact the Secretary or a member of the Committee as soon as possible, as time is short.

ASKHAM BRYAN, August 15th. Two groups will be representing Wolds U3A at this regional event in August. Nearer the time the organisers may appeal for help as guides, programme sellers etc. Please let the Committee know if you could volunteer, or if you would like to attend the event but not participate, as it may be possible subject to numbers to hire a coach. This event will also celebrate the 30th anniversary of the formation of the U3A movement in Britain.

PETER WALKER. It was with great sorrow that we learnt of the sudden death of Peter Walker. Peter had run the Art Group since 2008 and is sadly missed. He will be remembered for the time and effort he devoted to running the group and for the encouragement he gave to his family.

ART.

Jean Balarkas has agreed to run the Monday Art Group temporarily until July. It is hoped that a replacement for Peter Walker can be found to take over in time for the start of the new 'term' in September. Anyone willing to fill this vacancy please contact Jean on 01482 866015.

RUMMY/CANASTA

The Canasta Group has changed its name to Rummy/Canasta as this more clearly describes the game that is played. Also, the group has a new leader, Molly Steer. New members are welcome. No skill needed, just come along and join in a light hearted, fun, game of cards.

SINGING FOR PLEASURE.

MONDAY MARCH 12th at 2.00—4.00 p.m. is the next 'Singing for Pleasure' event in the Fellowship Room at Driffield Methodist Church. This is open to all who enjoy singing, regardless of perceived ability or lack of it. It is a fun afternoon with tea/coffee/biscuits all for £3. For further details contact Hazel Senior 01377 272723

BELL FITNESS GROUP.

There are a few vacancies for this group, where members have access to the Bell Hotel Gym and Swimming Pool. If you would like to know more please contact Marcia Roughley 01377 255279.

DUST UP DRIFFIELD. Driffield Town Council, Driffield in Bloom and the Driffield Partnership are looking for volunteers to help with this initiative to clean up the town. Anyone willing to help is asked to be at the Council Offices on Market Walk on 14th April for 09.30. It is anticipated that it will finish at 12.00.

NATIONAL NEWS. Details on notice board.

- 1) U3A Photography Comp. 'Seasonal Britain' Closes 8th May.
 - 2) Advice Sheet 10- Licences- gives information on what can or can't be copied, played or watched under the licences we hold. Look on the notice board if you need to know more.
 - 3) International Conference/Cultural Tour, Lisbon 17/21st Apr
 - 4) DANA Alliance lecture 'The Rhythms of life'- 'How our Biological Clocks Tick' -22nd May- The Royal Society, London.
 - 5) Interest form about possible National U3A Choir event in 2013 to coincide with 30th anniversary of The Trust.
 - 6) Promotional material for celebration of 30th anniversary of U3A in Britain.
 - 7) Ambassador Theatre Group Workshop March 12th & 27th.
 - 8) Summer Schools-Harper Adams & Royal Agri College- still places on some courses.
 - 9) Software4Students, discounts ending from April 1st.
- YORKS & HUMBER REGIONAL NEWS.** On notice board
YAGR Newsletter February 2012.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Subscriptions become due on 1st April. Renewal forms are enclosed with this newsletter. Subscriptions remain at £10. As postage may be increasing again we are appealing to all members who could receive their newsletter by email, but who currently receive it by post, to reconsider this option. If more members use email it is less likely that we will need to increase subs. After a few gremlins emailing the newsletter is working well. To use email in the future please send an email to woldsu3amembers@gmail.com so the Membership Secretary has the correct address. If more members use email less has to be spent on postage & stationery.

All contribution for the next newsletter by
25th April 2012 please to:- Janet Spear.
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