

Monthly Meetings, held at the Community Centre usually starting at 2.p.m.**Date:** 9th January**Subject:** Drifffield Partnership.**Speaker:** John Wardle**Date:** 13th February**Subject:** Changes in the NHS & how to take care of yourself.**Speaker:** Dr. Jane Taylor**Date:** 13th March**Subject:** Life on the ledge**Speaker:** Steve Race. RSPB Bampton Cliffs Education Officer**General Enquiries: 01377 255975.****Membership Enquiries 01377 270429****GROUP ACTIVITIES****Archaeology:**

Date: 1st & 3rd Tuesday each month.
Time: 10.00 a.m. -12.30 p.m.
Venue: Committee Room, Community Centre.
Group Leader: Eric Fowler 253642

Art Group:

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:

New Group Leaders: Pauline Agar 254753
 Pat Dowson 253884

Craft & Quilting Group:

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

Dancercise:

Date: Thursday weekly
Time: 10 -11 a.m.
Venue: Cass Hall
Date: Fridays weekly
Time: 11.15—12.15
Venue: Community Centre
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: 6th January, 3rd February, 3rd March
Venue: Community Centre (Small Hall)
Time: 10am to 12 pm
Group Leader: Mary Thorncroft 538396
 £ 2.00 payable on entry, includes Broadband.

Film Group:

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

French Conversation:

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

Geology:

Date: Thursday 9th & 23rd January
 Thursday 13th & 27th February
Venue: Drifffield Cricket & Recreation Club
Time: 10.30a.m.—12.30p.m.
Group Leaders: Kathy Chilver (255052)
 Frank Prescott (255360)

Local History:

Venue: Community Centre.
Date: 15th January
Speaker: Brian Fairfield
Subject: Drifffield Town Crier
Date: 19th February
Speaker: Bill Coulthard
Subject: Meeting our Ancestors.
Time: 2.00p.m
Group Leader: Joyce Fowler 253642

Movement to Music:

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

Music:

Date: 14th January
Subject: Keyboard Music (Maureen Moulds)
Venue: 3 Briar Garth, Drifffield (253527)
Date: 11th February
Subject: Guitar Music (Eileen Rose)
Venue: 3 Briar Garth, Drifffield (253527)
Group Leader: Janet Ella 236467

M.T.C. (Tap and Soft Shoe Dancing):

Date: Tuesdays weekly
Time: 2.00pm—3.30pm
Venue: Community Centre
Group Leader: Ann Laing 272524

Pub Lunch:

Date: No lunch in January
Date: 6th February 2014
Venue: Bay Horse, Kilham
Time: 12.00 for 12.30 p.m.
Contact: Tom Morton 240267
 George Brown 252616

Rummy/Canasta:

Date: Third Tuesday each month
Time: 2-00 pm to 4-00 pm
Venue: Contact Molly Steer for venue details
Group Leader: Molly Steer 257987

Reading Group:

Date: 30th January
Subject: The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry
 By Rachael Joyce
Venue: 3 The Orchards, Orchard Lane
 Hutton (270261) Anita Grace
Date: 27th February
Subject: Early or first examples of a genre.
Venue: T.B.A
Group Leader: Anita Grace 270261

Scrabble:

Date: 28th January, 25th February, 25th March
Time: 2-00pm
Venue: Drifffield Cricket & Recreation Club.
Group Leader: Joan Hooper 270364

Sociable Strollers:

Date: 7th February
Venue: Watton
Date: 7th March
Venue: Wetwang
Contacts: Margaret Briggs 250183
 Norma Fassnidge 232765
 Meet at Cattle Market car park at 1.p.m.

Square Dancing:

Date: 15th, 22nd, 29th Jan & 5th & 12th Feb,
 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th March & 2nd April.
Venue: Community Centre
Time: 10.00-12.00
Group Leader: Anita Grace 270261

Study/Discussion:

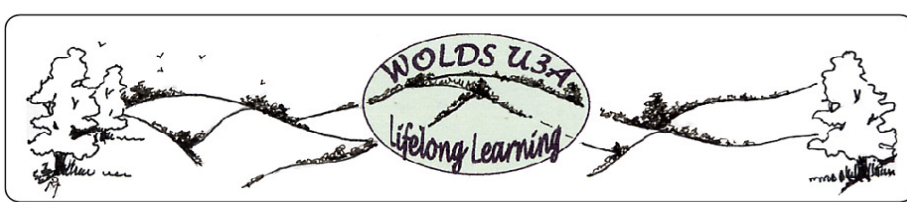
Date: Fridays weekly
Venue: Committee Room, Community Centre
Time: 9-30 am—11.00am
Group Leader: Eric Fowler 253642.

Tai Chi:

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

Walking Group:

Date: 7th January—10.30 a.m.
Venue: Planning Meeting, Community Centre
 Drifffield with coffee/tea, biscuits & chat.
Date: 16th January
Venue: Nafferton—Lowthorpe Church
 (Snowdrops ?) - 6 mls
Leader: Ron Thompson
Date: 4th & 20th February
Venue: Bampton Cliffs—6mls
Leader: Ron Thompson
Group 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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Driffield [Capital of the Wolds]

Newsletter January/February 2014

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Those members who came to the December meeting will know why Eric Fowler was dressed like this !! Those who didn't come missed a most enjoyable afternoon of entertainment when Eric & Joyce Fowler, Hazel Senior, Kathy Chilver, Norma Fassnidge, Pat Jowett, Margaret Briggs, John Allred and Tony Fouracre performed 'Four Girls Bright & Beautiful', 'Oh, what a beauty!' and 'We will live until we're 90'. Then Gordon Stowe performed some magic which gave those mentioned a chance to change costumes for a pocket panto of 'Snow White'. After the tea break we sang carols. Very many thanks to all the performers, to Keith Caley the pianist and to Richard Mole for projecting the words and pictures to go with the carols. Do we have any other performers who could provide some entertainment next year, or is it a case of same again, but different, please ?

New Group Leaders have come forward to run the both the **Family History** and **M.T.C.** groups. Mary Thorncroft takes over Family History from January. Anne Laing has already taken over the M.T.C. group. A warm welcome goes to both for volunteering so that the groups can continue and thanks go to Malcolm Winn and Carole Bullock for running these groups for many years.

Following the well received talk in November 2012 we have now received information about the **Gilbert & Sullivan Festival** which is being held in Harrogate from 2nd—28th August. Group bookings with possible discounted tickets may be available if someone would like to arrange a trip.

Reminder-Walking Group Planning Meeting- 7th January- 10.30 a.m.- Driffield Community Centre.

Good condition **books** are always wanted for sale on the stall at the monthly meetings. Unfortunately, Mike didn't quite manage to raise the £100 for charity he was hoping for by the end of 2013. Perhaps we can achieve this, and maybe a lot more by the end of the financial year instead. So please bring some books and buy others.

Driffield School has sent information about their **ACE Centre** which is now available for hire during the day, evenings and weekends. It has facilities for meetings, training and conferences. Room hire is £15 per hour for a room for up to 30 people seated at tables, £25 per hour for up to 80 also at tables and £20 per hour for a 30 seat IT suite. A range of refreshments are available. There is ample parking. Contact Elaine Collinson 01377 253631 extn 415



Our Panto 'Stars' and Gordon Stowe

THIRD AGE TRUST/NATIONAL NEWS:

(details on notice board)

- 1) Flyer on U3A Explores Science at the Ri- 24 March 2014.
- 2) Details of Summer schools at Harper Adams(10 subjects) & Royal Agricultural Universities(9 subjects) in July & August.
- 3)U3A Study Day at the National Gallery 27 March 2014.
- 4)Media Training Day- London- 11 March 2014.
- 5)Britain's Greatest Generation—History Documentary
Company want to hear from people in their 80s,90s & 100s who have vivid & interesting stories from their past.
- 6)Flyer from Imperial War Museum about it's Centenary
Partnership marking WW1 anniversary.
- 7)North West Summer School, Penrith 26/29 August.
- 8)Anyone interested in playing Chess might like to join U3A National Chess by Email. Go to www.u3a.org.uk, members' area or for information contact dick.chapman@ntlworld.com

All contributions for the next newsletter by
26th February 2014 please to:- Janet Spear.
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