



## August 2019 Bulletin 2

### Group news

If you signed up for a group or two at the 3R's Meeting then hopefully you already know when and where the first meeting is. Many groups make this a planning meeting so you will all have the opportunity to discuss what the group will be doing during 2018/9. If you need more information then please use the group page on our website <https://www.meophamu3a.org.uk/> or contact Heather Wright [mepgroups1@gmail.com](mailto:mepgroups1@gmail.com)

#### New groups

There was sufficient interest to hold an initial meeting for

ARCHAEOLOGY: FITNESS FOR FUN: YOGA: WW2:

MUSIC ENSEMBLE: DIGITAL MAKING

Details of the date, venue and time of these meetings will be published in the September. You are welcome to attend these meetings even if you did not sign up yesterday.

#### Seeking Interest

Sign up at the September monthly meeting or email Heather Wright [mepgroups1@gmail.com](mailto:mepgroups1@gmail.com) to express interest in:-

WINDMILL: HISTORY 2: ART APPRECIATION 2: BOOK GROUP 3:

SCIENCE MATTERS:

An inaugural meeting will be arranged once there is sufficient interest.

### GROUP CONTACT MEETING

September 2019

There will be a meeting in September and we will let you have the date and venue shortly. We hope to see all our contacts, especially the new ones, at this meeting as there are a number of things we would like to discuss with you. If you cannot come along then please try to find another member to represent your group.

### **NOT REJOINING MEOPHAM U3A?**

We are sorry to see you go but if you have decided not to re-join please drop a quick email to our membership secretary at [u3ameopmemsec@gmail.com](mailto:u3ameopmemsec@gmail.com) and then she will know not to send you any more reminders.

### **FORGOT to REJOIN?**

Sometimes life gets in the way or maybe you have been on an exciting holiday. If re-joining has slipped your mind it is not too late .You will find an application form attached.

### **QUIZ NIGHT 5<sup>th</sup> October 2019**

Meopham Village Hall 7.15

£4 per head payable on the night.

Bring your own drinks and nibbles.

Seeking teams from our groups. Joyce promises the questions will be easy....well they always are if you know the answer!

### **Beacon Training**

If you are a new group contact or would appreciate a refresher session then Helen, Chris, Moira and Carole will be pleased to help. Contact [crdcu3a@gmail.com](mailto:crdcu3a@gmail.com) to book your session.

### **Bridge for beginners**

Thank you to those of you who showed an interest in Beginners Bridge. At the moment, we are trying to organise someone to guide the group.

Heather will be in touch with more information later.

### **WINCHESTER CHRISTMAS MARKET**

Thursday **November 28th 2019**

Last year over half a million visitors enjoyed the Christmas market which is held in the grounds of Winchester cathedral for four weeks. It is regarded as being one of the best English markets with over 110 stalls selling a variety of crafts and Christmassy things

The town of Winchester has also many interesting features such as the Cathedral and the market cross and is well worth a visit. There are numerous restaurants and cafes suiting everyone's taste. So come along and join us on this outing.

You can register an interest by email to Sheila at [sheila.n.garner@googlemail.com](mailto:sheila.n.garner@googlemail.com) and your place/s will be held for 7 days to enable you to send your payment in full. If you are applying by post, please send to: Sheila Garner 35 Northridge Road Gravesend DA12 5AZ.

The cost for this trip is £20.00 for coach travel and all gratuities.

The coach will pick up at the usual places.