



Aston Clinton U3A

Charity Number 1115424

Information

May 2016

Science and Technology, Tuesday 24th May, 10, 00 at Erica's

Our next meeting is the much anticipated 'New Maths for Grand Parents'. Mrs McDonald who is responsible for maths at the village school will be giving the talk. If you are as frustrated as I am when I look over little shoulders and unable to help, you should not miss this session. Open to all members. Might also be fun, as I keep telling the grand children! Bring pencil and paper.

Leicester Space Centre trip on Wednesday June 29 meeting at 8.00 at the Bell. Details will be sent by email/ post.

New Forest trip. Final payment by June please. Colin

The Great Stink Tuesday 13th of September. The story of the building of London's sewerage system after the last major cholera epidemic. I will be collecting names for this trip at May's meeting (I'm unable to come to June's meeting) and I will collect the cheques for the trip at July's meeting as there isn't a general meeting in August.

Our first stop on this trip is at Knights Templar, Chancery Lane where we have coffee or tea and biscuits and meet our guide. The Guide will give us a short walking tour and an introduction to the history of London's sewers.

We then have a boat ride to Greenwich, and the Crossness pumping station.

You will need to bring a picnic lunch to eat while we are cruising down the Thames .

The cost of the trip will be in the region of £43 .We will leave Aston Clinton around 8-ish, (the time hasn't been confirmed yet) and leave the pumping station at 5pm. Trina

NEW! - Intermediate Walking Group. The first walk will be on **June 16th**, at Ashridge, length approximately **2.5 miles**. Contact Mary F for more details.

VISITING CHURCHES GROUP

Our June visit will be in the afternoon of Wednesday 15th June to St Andrew's at Chinnor. It is one of the largest parish churches in our diocese and has many fine brasses, now wall mounted, and other interesting features. Please tick your name on our list of members at the monthly meeting if you would like to come along, or contact Margaret B if you would like to join our group. All welcome.

MELA EVENING: This has now been booked for Monday 24 October. The entertainers will be Flanders & Swann (not the originals of course!) May I please have a £10 deposit (we have to pay for the entertainment when we confirm booking) either at the May or June general meeting. Depending on numbers attending I can then let you know the balance, but that won't be needed until September. It will be in the region of £20 - £25 each.

Maggie E.

U3A Trips, Outings and Holidays				
Organiser - Trina Stallwood				
Destination	Date	Transport	Cost	Group Leader
Leicester Space Centre	Wednesday 29 th June	Coach	£25	Colin Tufnell
The Great Stink	Tuesday 13 th September	Coach		Trina Stallwood
Lyndhurst, New Forest	5, 6 & 7 October	Coach	£210	Colin Tufnell

Always remember. When booking trips etc. payment should be by cheque and made payable to Aston Clinton U3A Travel. **Cash payments can no longer be made unless by special arrangements.**

<u>MONTHLY MEETINGS at ANTHONY HALL 2.30 till 4.30</u>		
May 17 th	Richard Day	The Fire Restoration at Windsor Castle
June 21 st	William Fench	William, the Butler
July 20 th	Alastair Lack	Travels with Auntie - World BBC

History Group : The next meeting will be on **Tuesday May 24th** at 2:30 at the Anthony Hall
 Our speaker is Hugh Granger who will talk on **THE ART OF DECEPTION IN WW2.**
 How we faked everything from maps, bomb damage, lorries, tanks, parachutists, harbours and airfields to entire invasions. Phil S



Many thanks to all those who volunteered to help at the Village Market, and to our current members who “visited” our Stand to give us encouragement. We felt it was a great success, many interested people some from other areas who knew nothing of the U3A. We tried to approach any passers-by who looked over 50 (a diplomatic challenge) and spent an enjoyable day standing in the sun chatting to them. Thanks also to Geoff for all the work he put into creating an interesting stand. *Maggie Evans*

Mid Bucks U3A are running a trip to **Leeds Castle** (with an optional garden tour) and the Embroidery Guild on 9th June. Departure is at 08.55 from the bus stop outside the Bell, Aston Clinton. Cost £28.50. Refer to Mid Bucks website for contact information.

Ink Cartridges. More spare cartridges – free to good home! Used on a Canon Pixma MG6350. May fit other Pixma Printers.
 Black 551XLBK (2), Cyan 551CXL (2), Grey 551GYXL (4), Magenta 551MXL (2), Yellow 551YXL (3), and Black 550XLBK (3). Contact Malcolm W.