

April Bramhall U3A

North East Cheshire U3A - Study Day 2018 - Saturday 28 April - 10am to 4pm

A Literary Exploration - Focussing on the works of Graham Greene.

Bramhall URC - £20 (including refreshments)

For further details please contact Dorothy Chesterman

Real Ale Appreciation Group - The April 2018 meeting will be a trip to Marble Arch, Manchester on the 26th April. For more information about the trip and the group, please contact: groups@bramhallu3a.org.uk

New Group Planned: Walking Football - Walking football is a slower version of the National game. It is usually played in teams of 5 or 6 and can be played indoors or outside. Any running is penalised and there is no contact allowed between players. Games can be 15 to 25 minutes each half and substitutes can be used at any time. Women welcomed. To join in the fun email: groups@bramhallu3a.org.uk.

Volunteers are needed for 3 research projects.

1. How does the brain process language using measurements from electroencephalography (EEG) and questionnaires?
2. How does the brain assess language and memory in healthy people using them as controls for people who have had a stroke?
3. How does the brain perceive motion using visual tasks on a computer screen?

Studies 1 and 3 involve a single session of 1 to 2 hours, while study 2 involves two sessions of 2 hours each.

The research will take place at Manchester University and travel expenses will be paid.

For further information go to <http://bramhallu3a.org.uk/other/community.html> and then the Research section or contact Mike Hollingsworth

Information Technology Basics Course

Our IT support course is taking place during April with 15 U3A members participating at the Village Club in Lumb Lane. The course is flexible enough to ensure that all types of equipment and issues are covered and moves at a pace so that nobody feels left behind. It is now full but if you would like to improve your mastery of your phone, computer or tablet then do get in touch with me, Paul Ramsden (paulramsden@talktalk.net) so we can get an idea of numbers for a future course.

Outings

Co-ordinators: Chris Hollingsworth & Val Graham

Events can be booked at monthly meetings or via our website www.bramhallu3a.org.uk.

Date	Outings - Events open for booking	Price
Wed 11 July	Coniston & Ambleside (includes boat trip & lunch)	£37
Fri 10 to Mon 13 Aug	Edinburgh tattoo and Glasgow 3 Twin rooms available (can be converted to single rooms at a supplement)	£420 p.p. £50 deposit £135 single room suppl.
Outings – Events on Waiting list		
Fri 18 May	China's first Emperor and the Terracotta Warriors plus Ferry 'Cross the Mersey (includes lunch)	£38 (N.B. long waiting list)
Thurs 6 Jun	Bodnant Garden (including morning coffee & scone)	£16 (N.T./R.H.S. members)

There is no Theatre Co-ordinator in role at the moment and so **'Mary Stuart' was the last theatre trip.** All future theatre trips, including to local Amateur Dramatic Societies, are totally dependent on a new team of Bramhall U3A members volunteering to help organize them. We really do need your support.
Interested in helping keep the theatre trips going? Then contact any BU3A committee member.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, there will be no May newsletter. Please check the website for the latest news.

Groups

Adventure (S.C.R.U.F.F.)
Art
Badminton - Open
Bird Watching

Books
Bowling (Crown Green)
Bridge Beginners
 Improvers
Café book club 1
Café book club 2
Canasta
Card making
Computers
Creative writing - Open
Cribbage
Cycling
Dining

Discussion

Embroidery - Open
Family History

Film & discussion
Fitness & flexibility
French
Gardening
German Intermediate
History

History Visits
Italian Improvers
Knitting A
Knitting B
Line Dancing - Open
Mapping Bramhall
Music for Pleasure
Photography
Pilates
Play reading
Poetry
Pub Quiz
Real Ale Appreciation
Real Railways
Science for All
Scottish country dance - Open
Scrabble
Singing for fun
Spanish - Intermediate
Spanish - Upper Intermediate
Spanish - Self Help
Table Tennis: Fun for All
 Competitive Singles
Ukulele

Video & Film Making
Walking
Wine Tasting - Open
Holidays

Co-ordinators

Jenny Richmond
Chris Stubbs
Carolyn Johnson
Diana Oldfield
Paul Carter
Dudley Newell
Gordon & Ruth Kempster
Peter Levy
Ray Lee
Kay Witham
Olga Hampson
Sue Young
Dorothy Chesterman
Paul Ramsden
Pat George
Val Barker
Dave Rowell
Vera Moore
Jan Boys
A - Dina Levy
B - Pat Wright
 Dorothy Chesterman
A - Diane Bright
B - Mary Hambleton
C - Brian Turner
Pamela Roth
Vikki Radford
Kay Witham
Marilyn Hughes
Jean Cox
Angela Devaney
Margaret France
Glenys Steedman
Helen Webster
Sheila Porter
Shelagh Lord
Chris Chapman
Val Murray
Jackie Harmer
David Pechey
Wendy Litchfield
Olga Hampson
Lynn Whyte
Frances Bell
Lawrence Devaney
Peter Webster
Mike Hollingsworth
Sheila Bruce-Smith
Val Barker
Gillian Rowe
Diana Blaney
Janet Smith
Pat George
Liz Pennington
Liz Pennington
Joyce Kilgour
Ann Gray
Alaister Macrae
Bob Dumbarton
Jenny Richmond
Gill Moorhouse

Days/Times

Monthly - Days/times vary
2nd + 4th Wednesday 10am - 12
Tuesday 1.45 - 3.45pm
Usually 4th Wednesday
@ 9.15am
4th Thursday
April to October - Mondays 11am
Tuesdays 2 - 4pm
Wednesdays 10am - Noon
Monthly. Tuesday PM
Monthly. Monday 10.30am
1st + 3rd Mondays - 2pm
Alt. Mondays 2 - 4pm
Phone for information
2nd Wednesday 2pm
1st Thursday 7.30pm
Typically, one ride per fortnight.
Tuesday or Wednesday evenings -
4th week of each month
4th Monday 2pm
3rd Friday 2pm
2nd Thursday 10am - 12
Monthly - Wednesday 2pm
Monthly - Wednesday 2pm
First Thursday 1 - 3pm
4th Wednesday 10.30am
Mondays 09.45 - 10.30
Alternate Mondays 2pm
4th Thursday
2nd and 4th Tuesdays 10.30am
Alt Thurs 10 - 12
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Contact for details
Thursdays at 10am
1st Tuesday 2pm
1st Thursday 2pm
Wednesday 1.30 - 3.30pm
3rd Monday 2pm
3rd Friday 10.30am
3rd Monday 2pm
See website for details
1st Thursday 10am
2nd Monday 1.30pm
Monthly first Thursday 8.30 for 9.00pm
Monthly - days and times vary
Contact for details
1st Wednesday 2 - 4pm
Every Friday 1.45 - 3.15pm
2nd Monday 2 - 4.30
1st + 3rd Mondays 10 - 12
Thursdays 2 - 4pm
Tuesdays 10 - 11.30am
3rd Wednesday at 2pm
1st, 2nd + 3rd Wed 10.00 - 12
4th Wednesday 10.30-11.30am
1st + 3rd Tuesday
2pm
Alternate Fridays 2pm
See schedule on website
Bi-monthly - contact for detail
See newsletter and/or website