

News Flash

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Poetry competition in the current EYE

The deadline for entries is 30th September. See page 2 of your copy for details. Alternatively select this link to read the online version >> [The EYE Summer 2019 edition](#)

Summer Programme : Final event

2pm Thursday 29th August. Free entertainment brought to you by our own, our very own, "Singalong 4 Fun" group. Your MC will be David Hewitt, dressed in Victorian costume while group members will be in the audience to lead the singing.

Select this link >> [Victorian Entertainment.pdf](#) << for pictures of the rehearsals and more information including information on the next meetings of the group (29th July & 12th August). Book a place for 29th August using this link.>> [Victorian Entertainment booking details](#) <<

Enjoy photography?

Have you come back from your summer holiday with lots of photographs and:

- Don't think they quite reflect what you saw.
- Would like to see how to improve them.

U3A offers both beginners and intermediate groups to help you to learn. Select this link >> [1919 News Flash information.pdf](#) << for information and details of who to contact.

Out & about with your bus pass

Our Bus Pass group has proved very popular and has a longish waiting list. When we have substantial waiting lists for a group, we try to set up a new group on similar lines to the existing one. If you are interested in joining such a group, please send your details to >> groups@ilkleyu3a.org << and we will try our best to get a new group going.

Spare places: U3A visit Thursday 15th August

An invitation to take up the spare places on a Northern Towns group visit to Eyam in Derbyshire. Coach pick ups Ilkley, Burley & Otley. Cost £32. >> [Select this link for further details and how to apply for Eyam trip.pdf](#) << All U3A members welcome.

Just for fun

70 members emailed to share what they saw in the dress colours featured in the last News Flash. The results are now on our website along with another teaser. >> [Select this link to the website](#) << and scroll down the page. Any other ideas along a similar lines welcome.

Portrait Drawing

Kwan Bevan who runs the Portrait Drawing group has some temporary spaces for the summer. Select this link >> [1919 News Flash information.pdf](#) << for more information, available dates and who to contact.

Contributions for next edition of the EYE

Due for publication mid November. You know the format by now. Anything that will interest your fellow U3A members, particularly if there are good photographs. Remember our online version now has the capability of playing audio recordings and video. Email content or a request to help write up a story using this link:>> [Editor the EYE](#) <<

Membership update

Thanks to 1,145 of our members (66%) who have already renewed for next year. Since June, we have also attracted 66 new members. Welcome to U3A.

Use this link to see >>[a list of FAQs \(Frequently Asked Questions\)](#) << that have arisen over the past few weeks of the renewal process. You will need to be logged into the website to see this.

Combating climate change

In the last News Flash, members were asked to contribute to a survey conducted by a Leeds MSc student. Select this link for the results: >> [Combating Climate Change Electric Cars in Ilkley Report.pdf](#) <<

Harrogate U3A Photo Exhibition

The Annual Exhibition of Harrogate U3A Photography Group opens 12 noon Monday 19th August and then 10am to 4pm daily to Saturday 24th August. St Peter's Church, Cambridge Street, Harrogate, HG1 1PB. **Entry is free,**

Messages or items for News Flash, please use this link to email Mike Fourie

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Cheers, John & Mike