



Wonersh

JANUARY/FEBRURY 2026 NEWSLETTER

Dear Members,



What a wet, cold and dreary January we have had. Thankfully it doesn't seem to deter the crocuses which are now appearing and will be cheering us up very soon.

Thank you to the seventy of you who braved the icy weather at the beginning of January to attend our annual New Year Lunch. Shalford Village Hall was buzzing with lively music, conversation and laughter. It was a very good way to start 2026.

REMINDER 2026 MEMBERSHIP FEES

Our membership subscription year ended on 31st December. The membership fee for next year remains at £16. There is no requirement to complete a renewal form unless your address and personal details have changed. ***Payment by BACS Sort Code 30-93-74 Account No 51040968 or by Cheque to Wonersh u3a and posted to Jacqui Ko, Old Gospel Hall, Hastards Lane, Selbourne GU34 3LB***

NEW MEMBERS

A warm welcome from Wonersh u3a to our new members. I look forward to meeting you all at our various events and activities over the coming year. We may be a small u3a but we are very active with lots going on and plenty of things to attend. If you need help or have any questions please get in touch, I would love to hear from you. Sandra.jarvis4@btinternet.com

AGM

Monday 2nd March, Bramley Village Hall 2.30pm. Our AGM provides members with an opportunity to comment on changes, how your u3a runs and your suggestions on how it might develop. The 2025 minutes and accounts can be found on our website Wonersh u3a under Newsletters/AGM.

COMMITTEE MEMBER VACANCY

Would you like to join our lovely committee and help us in running Wonersh u3a and shaping its future? We would love to have you on board. We are looking for someone to replace Sue Joslin, our website manager, who has recently moved to The States. Our website is crucial; it is the starting point for prospective members to find out about our u3a and for existing members to be able to view our programme and contact the groups. Sue has detailed the role below. Do please get in touch, even if unsure and would just like some more information. Sandra.jarvis4@btinternet.co

My job entails keeping the website up to date using Microsoft and Word. When renewing information at the end of the year, for the following year, it probably takes about 10 hours to get it all up to date. During the year I log in every now and then to update a few dates and add information. It takes about 15 minutes each time adding up to an hour/ hour and a half a month.

Learning how to update the website is not difficult. When I began I asked someone from another u3a who kindly came over for an hour to show me the ropes. I am also happy to train the person on zoom on how to use it, or when I am next over in March, I can meet with them.

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COMING UP

QUIZ Friday 6TH Feb 2.00-4.30 Tillingbourne Room, Shalford Village Hall
£2pp sandra.jarvis4@btinternet.com

PUB LUNCH Wednesday 11th February 12.30 The Seahorse, Shalford
If you would like to attend please contact Vicki 01483 890228
vicki.48@btinternet.com

WALK Monthly walk Thursday 19th February Meet 10.00 Clifford Manor Road. Led by Gerlinda ggroderbolton@gmail.com 07784 949948

COFFEE MORNING Monday 23rd March, The Percy Arms 10.00-12.00 £3pp
sandra.jarvis4@btinternet.com

EXPLORE LONDON River trip from London Eye to Greenwich with walk and sightseeing in Greenwich. Wednesday 6th May £42pp. More details to follow.

OUTINGS

Royal Military Academy Sandhurst 25th March 2026 £46pp

Hampton Court Palace 22nd April 2026 £45pp

Kelmscott Manor 28th May 2026 £49pp

Please contact Vicki if you would like to attend any of these outings 01483 890228 vicki.48@btinternet.com

If you have any ideas or suggestions for new groups please get in touch and we will do our best to make things happen.

Best wishes to you all. Sandra (Chair)

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