

Monthly Newsletter

This is a message for all members of Barnsley uu3a. Please pass this message onto those without email

Our next monthly meeting will be on **Friday 1st August**
1.30- 3.00pm at Priory Campus Lundwood

Yorkshire Building Society **Fraud and Scams**

Martin Vellensworth & Wendy Sleight

Find out more:

- What do “Fraud & Scams” mean?
- Who is impacted?
- What do criminals try to do?
- What do various scams have in common?
- How to protect yourself
- What to do if.....



VJ Day (Victory over Japan).

The 80th Anniversary of Victory over Japan (VJ) Day is
Friday 15 August 2025.

The Mayor of Barnsley, Cllr David Leech invites you to join
him and the Mayoress to a commemorative service to mark
the 80th Anniversary of VJ Day on Friday 15 August 2025 at
11.00 am.

The Mayor and Mayoress will be joined by the Mayor's
Chaplain, Fr Peter Needham, representatives from the
Royal British Legion and local veterans to mark this
occasion at the War Memorial in front of the Town Hall.



Fundraising Policy

The revised Fundraising Policy is now available on the website
under the Groups - Coordinators page

Bu3a Committee

This chair is waiting to be sat upon by a Vice Chair. It doesn't need anyone with qualifications, skills or previous experience of sitting on chairs - just enthusiasm and a desire to develop Bu3a. With all the talent and energy in Bu3a there must be a suitable posterior!



For further information ask the chair - you decide which one!



u3a week 2025

This year the u3a week falls between 22nd - 28th September.

The room facing Eldon Street has been booked as a venue on Wednesday 24th from 10.00am - 3.00pm. We will have a recruitment stand but would love to use it as a drop in cafe for any passers-by.

I would like to have a selection of work from members to display or posters or demonstration of what goes on in the activities to have on the day. Let me know if you feel able to contribute - anything (well nearly anything) considered! I might even be contacting you directly!



30th Anniversary 2026 - 2027

To Celebrate our 30th Anniversary and considering that it is now 80 years since the end of the WW2, there must be some memories or anecdotes of the meals served during and after that period, especially considering the rationing that was in place.

Do you have any of these - an age old “That recipe has been in the family for ages” type of thing. If so would you mind sharing it with the rest of the group? The recipes may even be used for sampling purposes only! A sentimental recipe book could be produced to remember those days.

Please get in touch



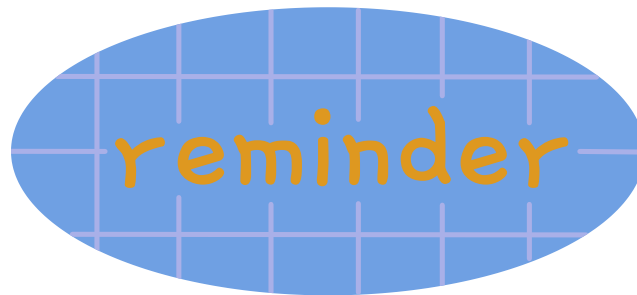
Monthly Meeting Review

The Executive Committee carries out regular reviews and is now looking at the monthly meetings. Hannah Lucas is asking for your contribution to the review. Please send her your comments and views on any aspect of these meetings. She is interested in knowing if you attend regularly, sometimes or never with possible reasons why, and also your views on the meetings irrespective of how often you attend. Please send replies by 24th August 2025 to bu3abussec@gmail.com



Travel Update

Booking for the trip to the Black Country Museum on Sunday 14th September can be made at the next monthly meeting on 1st August. The trip will pick up in Penistone and Barnsley Bus Station. Cheques £45.00 payable to Yorkshire Rose Holidays



Penistone Drop in

Penistone Drop in is moving back to St John's Community Centre on Thursday 7th August from 10 - 12 noon. Bookings can also be taken here for the trip to the Black Country Museum

Future Topic at next Monthly Meeting

5th September 2025

Many of us have been to Jersey but how much do you know about it?

An insight into Jersey, a beautiful island in the English Channel, looking at the history, culture, agriculture and food and drink.

Dining Out: Italian Night
Thursday 18th September at
Dreaming Napoli. Bookings and
deposits will be taken at the monthly
meeting on 1st August

