



**u3a**  
Barnsley & District



# Bu3a Newsletter

## Chair's Update

*This is a message for all members of Barnsley & District u3a. If you are aware of any member without email please pass this message onto them.*

**MONTHLY MEETING**  
**NOTE THE CHANGE OF DAY**  
**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> JULY 1.30PM PRIORY CAMPUS**

At lunchtime 8<sup>th</sup> April 1908 the waitresses at the Cabin Restaurant, Piccadilly Circus, came out on strike, and hit the headlines around the country. Come and listen to their story.

Talk given by Dr Ann Featherstone who is a historical writer of non fiction and has 2 published novels. Her expertise has been in demand on TV on programmes such as Who Do You Think You Are.



**Travel Group**  
**Trip to The Black Country Museum**  
**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September**  
**Cost £45**

**Cash or cheque (made payable to Yorkshire Rose Holidays)**

## Committee Vacancies

**As mentioned at the AGM there are vacancies on the committee. Information regarding these posts is below. Come and join us. You are welcome to see the committee at work. We meet monthly at Storefirst in Hoyland.**



### Assistant Treasurer vacancy.

**We are looking for an assistant treasurer to work alongside Niall. You do not need any financial qualifications, just be comfortable working with numbers. We are moving to a new accounting system this year as well as taking on PayPal for subscriptions renewal so this is an opportunity not just to support Bu3a in an important role but be in on the ground floor during these changes. If you are interested, please contact Niall by email [bu3atreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:bu3atreasurer@gmail.com)**

### Vice Chair

**We are looking for a vice chair to join the committee and assist the chair in Bu3a work. No previous experience is needed, just common sense and an ability to work in a team. The post has been adapted to take responsibility for the management of our external events and adds an exciting developmental aspect to the role. If you are interested, please contact Pauline by email [bu3achair@gmail.com](mailto:bu3achair@gmail.com)**

### Committee minutes

Committee minutes are now available. There has been an issue with storage of bu3a documents . If you should want to read a copy please contact [bu3a.bussec@gmail.com](mailto:bu3a.bussec@gmail.com)

### Trades List

This list has been removed. It needed constant updating and many names on the list had stopped operating.



### TURKISH NIGHT

Istanbul Kitchen and Bar  
29 Wellington Street  
2 course meal  
21<sup>st</sup> August 6.30 for 7pm  
Price £20

£5 non refundable deposit with reservation  
Booking available Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July at monthly  
meeting  
Places limited to 40

We have been offered a discount at Barnsley Civic to see organic gardening expert Bob Flowerdew on July 16th. Bob is regular on Gardener's Question Time on Radio 4 and by all accounts a bit of a character and raconteur.

Here is a link to the event:

<https://barnsleycivic.co.uk/event/an-audience-with-bob-flowerdew/>

Members can get a 30% discount either on line or over the phone with the promotional code **Flowerdew30**



**Next year is our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!**

**July 1996 was the start of it all!!**

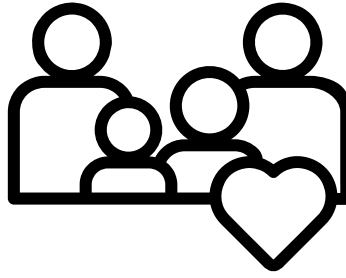
**How would you like to celebrate it?**

**Fun, games, quizzes, dances, meals? We have a year to sort it out and then a year to really enjoy!!**

**Everything within reason considered!**

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There is a Family History Conference taking place on September 6th at the  
Palace Hotel Buxton Derbyshire.

For further information go to the Peak District u3a or

<https://peakdistrictnetwork.wixsite.com/familyhistory/about-5>