

NEWSLETTER FOR NOVEMBER 2009

Blackwater Valley



Our speaker on November 19th will be

Mr Ken Crick

talking about

“Dragonflies

and their habitats in the Blackwater Valley”



We welcome seven new members:- Pamela Gifford, Bruce Lachlan, Julie Hurst, Dani Pateman, David Robinson, May Robinson and William Davies.

100 Club:- the October winners were: (1) Liz Chapleo (2) Christine Khawaja (3) Jerry France

The Craft Group will be selling some of their work this month. (The charity table is being discontinued for the time being).

GROUPS *(see overleaf for details of all groups)*



Walking. The next walk will be on Thursday December 3rd, led by Frank Heckscher. This will be a local walk of 5-6 miles, including Xmas lunch. For more details contact Frank Heckscher on 01252 879006.

Strolling. The Stroll on December 10th will be a mystery walk and Christmas lunch. For more details contact Toni Spencer on 01252 874416. Meet at The Greyhound, Finchampstead, at 10.15am.

Ambling. There will be no amble in December. Resuming in January.

The Book Group

There will be no meeting in December. Just an exchange of books.



Garden Visits

The garden visits for November and December regrettably have had to be cancelled.

Gardening Group

Next meet on 17th November. Then 15th December. Both at Bill Camp's house.



2nd Thursday Pub lunches

December 10th - White Lion Antique Centre, Hartley Wintney.
January 14th - The Heron on the Lake, Fleet.

No Ten-Pin Bowling in December

Hoped-for New Groups Is there anyone who might like to run a new Genealogy Group, or a new Photography Group?

A request for help We need more people who could arrive at 1.15pm to help in setting up the hall with chairs, and who could help with the teas.

The Okehampton holiday - June 14-18th 2010 Places are still available. See Blanche if you are interested.



Our next meeting on December 17th will be our

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Please bring a smallplate of festive food.

Punch will be provided.

There will be a special raffle,
displays of Line Dancing,
and Arts and Crafts.



Group Leaders are invited to bring along any photographs or other exhibits which illustrate what their groups have been doing during the year.

Blackwater Valley U3A Groups

Group	Venue	Time/date	Contact	Phone number
100 club	At the Monthly meeting	Each month	Carol Pascoe	01252 651872
Ambling	Various	1st Thursday in each month at 11am	Chris Bowen	01252 872709
Art	Darby Green and Frogmore Social Hall	Mondays 11am- 1.30pm	Anne Thalmessinger	01276 34412
Books	Private House	Last Thursday in the month - 2 pm	Christine Bowen	01252 872709
Bowls (summer)	Fleet Social Bowling Club	Every Tuesday at 11am	Bob Atkins	01252 871899
Canasta and other card games	Private house	Wednesdays 2pm Thursdays 7pm	Jackie Barkaway	01276 502812
Computing	Yateley CAB	Tuesdays 2 pm (not 2 nd tues of the month)	Meg Thomson	01276 33727
Crafts (1)	Private House	Tuesdays 10.00 am to 12.00 noon.	Blanche Burrell	01276 510957
Crafts (2)	39 Lawford Crescent Yateley	Every other Monday afternoon, 2-4 pm	Jean Huckle	01252 878152
Garden Visits	A different place each month	Fourth Thursday in the month (in the new year)	Anne-Marie Langford	01252 547311
Gardening	Variable	3 rd Tuesday in the month (morning)	Bill Camp	01276 32549
Gym	Frogmore leisure centre	Friday 10.30-11.30 am	Ann Atkins	01252 871899
Line Dancing	The Tythings, Yateley	Every Tuesday at 6 pm	Meg Thomson	01276 33727
MOTO	Poppies Cafe, Yateley	First Wednesday of the month at 8pm	Pam Cuthbertson	01252 872221
Mini-Breaks	Various	Check noticeboard	Pam Cuthbertson	01252 872221
Pub Lunch	Variable	2 nd Thursday in every month at noon	Blanche Burrell	01276 510957
Strolling	Various	2 nd Thursday in every month	Toni Spencer and Christine Heckscher	01252 874416 01252 879006
Ten-Pin Bowling	<u>Farnborough Recreation Centre</u>	4 th Wednesday in most months, <u>1.45 p.m.</u>	Blanche Burrell	01276 510957
Theatre trips	Check notice board for details		Blanche Burrell	01276 510957
Walking	Various	First Thursday in every month.	Roy Spencer	01252 874416

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Our monthly Newsletter. This is sent out about a week in advance of our monthly meetings to all members who are on email. Do please let Philip Martin know if you are not receiving it, by sending him an email to the address shown above.

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