



NEWSLETTER

April 2012



This month's meeting - Tuesday April 17th



Cl?ve's B?g Qu?z

Our monthly meetings take place in Kibworth Grammar School Hall, on the third Tuesday of the month, 1.45 - 3.45 p.m.

Forthcoming meetings for your diaries include:

May 15th Our Spring Social

Come and enjoy a cream tea, chat and browse our stalls. Jams, marmalades and chutneys will be on sale. Please bring plants for the Gardening stall and your unwanted CD's and books.

June 19th My life as a Tiller Girl

Margret Hudson

Please note there is no meeting in July

Barn Dance Success –see page 8



A new traditional folk and country dancing group proposed - see page 3

Read all about last month's fascinating talk on Bell Ringing – see page 9



Queens Diamond Jubilee celebrations – for details



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Chairman's Musings



As this is my first report I thought that a good source of inspiration would be to look at some of the previous reports and they proved a fascinating insight into the evolution of our U3A. Back in Oct 2007 (The first year of the K & D U3A) membership was 180 - now it stands at 270+. There were 23 active Groups – now there are 30. In those days the Committee, then called the Steering Group, was mainly concerned with setting up procedures for running groups, arranging public liability insurance cover, writing a Constitution, setting up a website and newsletter and deciding other matters relating to the every day running of the U3A. The Committee then pursued an application for a section 106 fund grant which enabled us to buy equipment for Groups and secured our financial position for many years to come . Thanks to the hard work of these Committees under the Chairmanship of Clive Huntley and then Martin Crofts we now have a thriving and financially stable U3A with a good Newsletter, an informative website and an active membership.

From 2008 Newsletters it was apparent Groups faced issues that are still current; some were considering closing membership as they were full whilst others notably Social Bridge and the Walking Group were short of members. Both of these are now thriving due to the persistence and hard work of their leaders. The Groups evolve but they rely very much on the enthusiasm of their leaders. We are lucky to have so many competent enthusiasts!

Groups are the lifeblood of the U3A so PLEASE join the ones that interest you and if you have an interest that is not supported then **start a group!** You may be surprised by the interest. Help is available from the Group Coordinator (see details page 11) to get you started. The U3A always needs new groups and it is the hard work of the group leaders that keeps us going.

There are the usual challenges for the Committee in 2012. The monthly meeting has to be arranged, the Newsletter published, the Website updated and the general smooth running of the U3A ensured. A new venture this year was the Barn Dance which was attended by about 80 members and was a great success. More to come?

Other opportunities this year will be the Jubilee Celebrations in June and the Olympics torch coming through Kibworth later in the year. We are currently involved in flower arrangements at St Wilfrids and stalls and demo's at the Cricket Club for the Jubilee Celebrations. For the Torch procession the National U3A can provide banners flags etc if we want to have an official presence. As usual we as a Committee rely on the Group Leaders and Members to make these events successful. **PLEASE HELP!**

Keith

Introduction to our new Chairman - Keith Holyoake

I am married with a 30 year old daughter and moved to Kibworth in 1985 from Kingswinford in the West Midlands after joining Cleco Ltd in Market Harborough as Engineering Manager.

I retired in 2004 having been Engineering and Projects Director at Cleco for many years during which I saw it progress from making special lift trucks to supplying complete automated warehouses to many of the High Streets' well known retail giants. Exciting times!

In retirement I enjoy spending time with my wife, building and flying remote controlled models, am a keen gardener, an allotment holder, a computer enthusiast and love holidaying and walking. Much more relaxed than work but generally more enjoyable.

The U3A, which I joined in 2006, was *my* bridge to village life after 20 years of a work dominated life which had resulted in me knowing very few people in Kibworth. Membership of the U3A was truly life enhancing!

I am honoured to be Chairman and hope that I can serve you well

News from Interest Groups

New Groups

Anglo Zulu War study Group

Our new group continues to enjoy aspects of the Anglo-Zulu War, having added another recruit to our ranks. At our last meeting we studied the finer aspects of Isandlawana in more detail and at our next meeting we will be turning our attention to Rorke's Drift and the film "Zulu". We meet on the last Tuesday afternoon in the month, so if anyone is interested in joining us on the ramparts, just give me a ring!

Martin Crofts

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Digital Photography

The Digital Photography Club will start on Monday 23rd April, 10 - 12 noon at the Scout Hut in Kibworth.

Initially we will cover the basics of DP and then progress to file management and photo editing using Picasa and GIMP Photo Editors. Session cost will be £2 per session - initially for 4 sessions.

Bring your camera and laptop along if you have one or you can use a U3A laptop.

Keith Holyoake

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Possible new group -Traditional Folk and Country Dancing.

My thoughts for a possible club would be that we'd learn the steps and moves for a wide variety of Folk and Country Dances ranging from the 16th Century through to more modern compositions. An introduction to dance formations and dance progressions would then be a natural follow on that in turn would help develop a good understanding of the topic.

Ultimately we could progress on to host a "Costume Ball" similar to dances in the film "Pride and Prejudice". We couldn't promise Mr Darcy, but can guarantee entertainment, enjoyment and good fun.

No need for a partner and all dances will be thoroughly taught with patience, so all attending enjoy a good level of accomplishment.

Please let me know if you are interested - I am happy to answer any specific questions.

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Existing Groups

Book Club

Our March read was "The Woodcutter", by Reginald Hill, who also wrote the Dalziel and Pascoe novels.

A complex book combining romance, fairy tale and tragedy in a gripping crime mystery. Heroes and villains interconnecting, their stories entwining. A compelling read

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(Duplicate) Bridge

We would like more players to come to our "easy going" Duplicate Bridge sessions, which take place every Wednesday in St Wilfrid's Church Hall. Start time 2 pm prompt. If you would like to come but do not have a partner please telephone me and I shall try to help.

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(Social) Bridge Group

This is a social bridge group where we try to learn something most weeks but our main aim is just to socialise and play rubber bridge. We welcome players of all levels and will help players from many years ago to update to ACOL bridge and help learners to improve.

We play Chicago about once a month. We play in the Lounge at the Grammar School Hall every Thursday 2.30 to 4.30 pm Plenty of car parking. I am afraid we have now reached maximum capacity for the room and tables and therefore cannot take any new members for the near future.

Clive & Joyce Huntley 0116 279 2528
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Bridge Tip of the Month

When supporting as responder, use the Responder Line:

0 to 5 points – PASS, 6 to 9 points -TWO ,10 to 12 points – THREE, 13+ points – FOUR.

Example – Your partner opens 1 H, you have 4 hearts and 11 points so bid 3 H.

Your partner should then have a good idea of your points and decide, depending on his own points whether to go further

Calligraphy

A group of **Beginners** and **Improvers** meets twice a month to practise and learn new hands. Currently we are studying Italics and Gothic Black Letter. We are currently planning our display for the Diamond Jubilee celebrations, as a group project. Forthcoming meetings: 1st, 8th and 22nd May; NOT ON 24 April as previously announced.

Ros Holmes 0116 279 6010
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Computer Club

The Computer Club on the 27th March only managed to attract 4 members but I think we enjoyed our exploration of Picasa. Hopefully the poor attendance was due to the excellent weather!

Next Computer Club is Tuesday 24th April - all are welcome just bring your laptop or use one of the U3A machines. Session project will be "Purchasing on the Net" and will be from 2 till 4pm at the Grammar School hall.

The **Improvers' Course** continues to run on Tuesday May 1st and 8th and has 11 signed on members. Unfortunately the course is now full.

If you need any assistance with a computer issue please contact me. I may be able to help and it's free!

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Clive Huntley 0116 279 2528
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Concert Band

We are looking forward to playing at the Diamond Jubilee Monday Fete. Our leader has found us some really great music, a little swing, some classical and something from My Fair Lady. All together now, "*I have often walked...*" We continue to meet in each others homes and mostly concentrate on enjoying the music. Call

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Craft Group

The Craft Group continues to meet every other Tuesday afternoon 2-4 at the Methodist Church rooms. We knit and embroider at present, but the choice is yours. We stop for tea and biscuits and contribute £2 towards the room. We have room for one more person. For dates and more details contact

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Introduction to Family History

This small friendly group meets about once a month when we help each other by pooling our ideas and knowledge. All members have made a really good start to their family trees. Our last get together will be in May and then the current group will finish. I would love to start a new group in the Autumn if enough people are interested

Val Crofts 0116 279 2218
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Flower Arranging

At present we are planning flower arrangements for decorating the church for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee, in conjunction with the St Wilfrid's Flower Group. If anyone would like to help please contact me. You don't need to be an expert flower arranger - any help would be welcomed

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French Conversation

This is a group for people who know enough French to take part in ordinary conversations and would like the opportunity to do so more often. We meet on the first and third Thursday morning of each month between ten-thirty and midday. For details of the next meeting please ring.

John Willcocks 0116 279 1085

Gardening

The sun shone for our enjoyable visit last month to the beautiful Spring gardens at Copper Coin and Parkside in Gaddesby.

Prompt Start

We have a full coach for our day trip to Springfields Festival Garden & Outlet Shopping Centre at Spalding on **25 April**. Please note **the coach will leave promptly at 9.30am** from Kibworth Grammar School Car Park.

30 May

Please make your own way to **South Kilworth for 2.30pm** for our visit to NGS County Organiser, Colin Olle's fascinating garden at Croft Acre, The Belt, LE17 6DX – you may remember he gave us a wonderful talk last year - and also to Pam and Martin Shave's colourful NGS garden at Oak Tree House, North Road LE17 6DU. Admission is £3.50, plus £2 for homemade tea.

We Need Your Help?

The K & D U3A will be hosting a special Cream Tea Afternoon at the monthly meeting on **Tuesday 15 May** and there will be stalls raising money for local charities. Our Gardening Group has been asked to share a Plant Stall with Market Harborough Flower Club. Please could you kindly let Gail know if you have any spare plants you could let us have to sell with profits going to the local 'Relay For Life' event.

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German Conversation

We meet in members' houses on the second and fourth Wednesday in the month for informal chat on whatever subject occurs at the time. This group is now full.

Elizabeth Willcocks 0116 279 1085

Guitar Circle

The Guitar Circle usually meets on the second and fourth Wednesday afternoons of the month and John Hooley leads the sessions. We play a mixture of folk, rock, blues etc. We currently have four members and would welcome new members. If you are interested in joining us, please give me a ring.

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Investment Club

Our main aim is to buy and sell stocks and shares with a social side to the experience. We have now reached our maximum number so sadly we cannot take any new members at this time. Please contact me if you want to be placed on a waiting list.

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Latin for Beginners

The Latin Group is still enjoying the stories of the Romans as portrayed in the Cambridge Latin Course and having some fun at the same time.

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Line Dancing

"Where have all the dancers gone?" One week we were overflowing and now we cannot cover the rent! We are moving to the Scout Hall as from Monday 16th April at the usual time of 2 – 4pm, which means we would love to have some new members. It doesn't matter if you have two left feet and no knowledge of Line Dancing! I am happy to start with the basics for anyone new. It's not only good physical exercise but trying to memorise dances and steps is really

good for the mind. We have 4 men in the group, so come on men – don't be shy!

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Luncheon Club

On Wednesday May 9th we will be having lunch at the **The Red Lion in Gilmorton**. Please book your meal with Gill before Friday May 4th if you wish to join us.

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Beryl Tory 0116 279 2184
Pam Moody 0116 279 2817

Music Appreciation

We are a friendly little house group, who all share an interest in varying types of music. We meet monthly to play and discuss music of a chosen subject. Recent selections have included music about reminiscences of youth and jobs. Future subjects will feature parts of the body and fun and laughter. Unfortunately, this group is full at present but if you are interested please contact me. If there are enough people who show an interest, there may be scope for a second group.

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Painting

The Art Group continues to meet every other Friday afternoon, 2 - 4 pm in the Methodist Church rooms. We stop for tea and biscuits and the cost is £2 each. Thanks to Roger who organises the room. We have room for one more person. We learn from one another and find out about local Art Exhibitions. We have tried our hand at painting on silk and painting on glass. For more details and dates contact

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Play Reading

The Play Readers meet in the evening on the second Thursday in the month. We are now thoroughly enjoying Noel Coward's witty

comedy "Blithe Spirit". Unsurprisingly, the group's interpretation of the wonderful Madame Arcati character (remember Margaret Rutherford?) was the highlight of the evening!

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Poetry

We meet on the first Wednesday morning of the month to look at the life and work of poets chosen by the members. This month we are having variety with the Dymock Poets and we couldn't resist having another look in May at Wordsworth.

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Singing for Pleasure

The Singing Group will resume again on the morning of Thursday 26th April. New members always welcome. This is a very relaxed and sociable group.

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Sketch Club

A group where people who enjoy sketching can share their interest and gain support and encouragement from fellow enthusiasts. Meetings are on the second and fourth Friday morning of each month between ten-thirty and midday. Just ring if you would like details of the next meeting!

John Willcocks 0116 279 1085

Swimming (with Great Glen U3A)

Numbers have been good so far this year. New members have been regular attenders so we are not looking for any new members at the moment.

(Courtesy of Great Glen U3A Newsletter)

Table Tennis

We meet every Friday, 2.30 - 4.30 pm, at the Kibworth Scout Hut. We welcome all levels of players from good players to people who have never played before or who have not played since school and who want to get some exercise, socialise and learn to play or improve table tennis. We have a break half way through for tea and biscuits and put the world to rights. We have some spare bats so why not come along and give it a try. Just turn up at the Scout Hut at 2.30 pm Fridays

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John Smith 0116 279 2129

T'ai Chi

We have now finished until September. I would hope to have more information about this in the summer.

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Walking Group

On 16th March we were led by Nicola and



David on a walk around **East Carlton Country Park**. It was a bright, dry, spring day and with 23 of us, we made quite a large party. This was an area of countryside

that many of us had not visited before and the park was full of interest including its medieval 'fairy tale' tree carvings (pictured), History of Steel museum and craft workshops. These made it a very different and entertaining walk. We then retired to the **Spread Eagle**, for a splendid lunch, at the beautiful village of **Cottingham**.



30th March saw Barbara and Stephen leading us on a special 5th Friday

walk; when we go further a field. This was to **Fineshades wood** near Corby. Although the weather was a little colder, after the March 'summer', 20 hardy souls put on their walking boots. During the morning we enjoyed a walk through the woods with Red Kites soaring above and the primroses flowering below. Then after a lunch at the **Top Lodge** it was off to the picturesque village of **Barrowden** for an afternoon stroll across the fields.

Our next walk will be to **Manton**, near Rutland Water on **Friday 20th April**. The walk will start at the **Horse & Jockey**, St. Mary's Road, Manton. LE15 8SU. (East Midlands Tourism Silver Award for 2010). The Car park is directly opposite. If you are planning to join us then please arrive between 10 and 10.15 to order your lunch. The walk will begin at 10.30 and total 5.25 miles in all, with only one noticeable uphill section. It is a really enjoyable route with no stiles and a mixture of environments; tracks with wide open views, wooded green lanes and a few fields.

The walk leaders will be Alan & Marion Brown.

Our first walk in May will be led by Su Coward & Keith Holyoake. This will be on **Friday 4th May** and will be a longer walk of between 5 & 6 miles. Starting at **The Wheel and Compass** in **Weston by Welland** at the usual time of 10.30, please arrive earlier if you wish to book lunch. The walk uses minor roads, bridal ways and field footpaths. There are at least six stiles, some of which are doubles. Further details are available from

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Our shorter walk will be on 18th May when **Ros Holmes** will be leading. Details of this walk will be available from Ros, Mike and in the next U3A Newsletter.

Ros Holmes 0116 279 6010
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Please advise the walk leader a couple of days in advance if you intend to walk or require further information.

New members always welcome. If you would like to know more about what we do or want to join us, please contact

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If you would like to join any of our groups, please contact the relevant leader

Our first Barn Dance – a great success!

Thank you all, you barn dancers, for coming to our 5th Anniversary Barn Dance and making it such a success. Being new to organising a barn dance I was very unsure of quite a few things:

- To get the right numbers for the Hall - too few would be a bit of a flop and too many would ruin the barn dancing because of lack of space. By pure chance we have discovered that 80 is the best number for the Grammar School Hall as it worked out just right on the night.
- We did not set out to make a profit but had to set the cost a bit on the high side to ensure we did not waste our members' money. As it happens we made a reasonable profit which will go into our general funds and also be a back up fund for next years Barn Dance.

- Who should I choose as a caller? Knowing nothing about Barn Dance Callers I called on Charlie and Jean McCann who hold very successful Burns Night dances every year. Charlie and Jean gave me 2 recommendations one of which was Roy Garrington who turned out to be ideal for us. So my thanks go to Charlie and Jean.
- My thanks to our Concert Band and Guitar group for, again, entertaining us. We are so lucky to have these groups. I do know how much work they have to put in just to do a few numbers on stage.
- My thanks also to the many helpers who moved tables and chairs, organised the nibbles and cleared everything away at the end.

Clive Huntley



‘Bell ringing – an English art’ by guest speaker Andrew Young

By profession a lecturer at Leicester University, Andrew is ringing master at St Peter’s Oadby and principle of the Oadby Ringing Centre for young learners, to whom his speaker’s fees are donated. Andrew’s strong voice, articulate delivery and ability to inform, as well as entertain, make him a popular speaker.

His illustrated talk started and ended in an idyllic English setting, village green, pub and bells ringing out from the church tower. After a brief history starting in China ca. 3000BC, Andrew focused on full-circle ringing, which shaped and defined today’s uniquely English art.

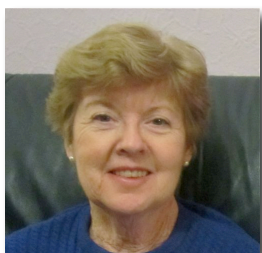
We discovered that the ringing world has many claims to fame. Of the two surviving English foundries Whitechapel is the world’s oldest and Taylor’s of Loughborough the largest. Liverpool Cathedral boasts the highest and heaviest ring of bells in the world - and there’s a preservation order on Big Ben’s crack!

Of local interest Leicestershire alone has many more towers capable of full-circle ringing than the whole of the world outside Britain! Through its association with Taylor's foundry Loughborough is also home to a famous carillon, a tower that houses fixed bells chimed musically by mechanical linkage to an organ-style manual. Peterborough Cathedral owes 10 of its 12 bells to the closure of Leicester's St John the Divine (now apartments).

Andrew explained the basics of change ringing, in which adjacent bells swap places in a prescribed sequence or 'method'. Appropriately, a new method awaiting its first performance is 'Kibworth Surprise Major'. I doubt we'll spot the difference!

Ian Hearn.

From our Secretary



Membership Database - important

If you have changed your name, address, telephone number or email address in recent times and not conveyed the details to K & D U3A, please get in touch with Christine Lea as soon as possible. Similarly, if you are about to set sail for pastures new in a different country, country or galaxy and finally if you can no longer come to our meetings and/or do not want to continue your membership, do please let me know.

Christine Lea

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NEWSLETTER

Next deadline –Tuesday 8th May

Group Leaders – please email your entries to our new email address:

newsletter@kibworthu3a.org.uk

If you have any photos (preferably over 1MB) or stories of your groups activities that could be published in a future edition please send them to the above email address. Thank you.

Our Newsletter

Copies of this Newsletter are available :

1. at the monthly meeting.
2. from either Kibworth or Fleckney libraries, shortly after the meeting.
3. by email if you have requested one (contact the secretary – details above - if you would like an emailed copy and don't forget to notify her of any change of email address)
4. if you can't get one by any of the above methods, the Secretary is willing to send out a copy by post on receipt of a large s.a.e. Please send your envelope to: Christine Lea, 12 Beaker Close, Smeeton Westerby, LE8 0RT

This Newsletter is now available online (and with colour pictures!) at

www.kibworthu3a.org.uk/newsletterapr12

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The Kibworth Villages Diamond Jubilee celebrations

As you all know Kibworth is planning an exciting series of events to celebrate the Queens Diamond Jubilee. U3A representatives attended a very enthusiastic planning meeting in late March. We are part of events such as “Flowers in the Church” and “Line Dancing” and are also planning to have a marquee at the Rotary Fete held at the Cricket Club on Monday 4th June. The Fete runs from 10.00am to 2.00pm. This is a chance for us to show the Villages what we can do. We are hoping that all groups will be able to mount a small presentation or demonstration. We hope to have stands, acoustic music and perhaps cakes or hoopla or other fete themed events. It’s really up to you so please contact Pam Moody (0116 2792817) to get involved.



“It is thrilling that Kibworth can mount these splendid events to mark the Queen’s Diamond Jubilee,” said John Hooley (Chair of Kibworth Beauchamp Parish Council). “We already have a wide range of activities planned and U3A are an essential part of that programme. Please do contact Pam as soon as possible.”

Kibworth’s celebrations for the Queen’s Diamond Jubilee will draw together a wide range of village groups in a series of events from Friday 1st June to Tuesday 5th June. Activities will range from Theatrical Productions to Sports Tournaments and will include something for everyone. A full schedule of events is on the parish council website at

<http://kibworthbeauchamp.leicestershireparishcouncils.org/kibworths-queens-diamond-jubilee.html>.

The Parish Council Clerks can provide any further information you may need.

The next open meeting has been called by the Parish Councils to discuss preparations for the Jubilee on Wednesday 2 May 2012 at 7.00pm at Kibworth Cricket Club. All are welcome.

John Hooley

PS Please let Pam know if you have a gazebo or marquee you would be willing to lend to one of our groups for their stand.

How to join K&DU3A

Joining could not be easier, provided that you are over 50 and no longer in full-time employment. Please contact our membership secretary **Cliff Hollingsworth, 20 Springfield Crescent, Kibworth, LE8 0LH** Tel: **0116 279 2025** giving name, address and telephone number. Subscriptions: cheques payable to K&DU3A.

The national U3A magazine is sent out three times a year; to find out about what's going on in between times, see the website: www.u3a.org.uk for on-line courses and further information.

OUTINGS

Bletchley Park

Thursday 14th June

We will be leaving from Grammar School Hall car park at 9.30am. Now we are waiting for an enjoyable outing. Thank you all for paying the balance.

Hampton Court Palace

Wednesday 5th September

With a minimum number of 20 the cost will £36. There are still places available on the coach, so please see the list at the meeting to either **confirm** your place or **add** your name.

It is important to check the list, so that we know the number wishing to go.

If you have not been to the meeting, will you please ring Jean or myself.

I will be asking for a deposit of £24 in May with the balance due in June, as this will be the last meeting before the outing. The balance of £12 could change depending on additional people filling the coach

All payments, PLEASE, to be made by cheque, payable to K & D U3A OUTINGS, together with the slip - see below.

Two outings may be included on one slip, but separate cheques please.

For further information please contact

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KIBWORTH AND DISTRICT U3A – OUTINGS - REPLY SLIP

To: Gill Newnham, 6 Birdie Close, Kibworth, LE8 0PW

I wish to book _____ place(s) on the outing to _____
and enclose the sum of £ _____

Cheques should be made payable to: K&D U3A Outings

Name: _____ Tel: _____

Please print clearly

Address: _____