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 You can view it on your tablets, smart phones, laptops or PC. \* Full information on all our groups. \* Contact details and all policy documents. \* Access to Newsletters and Bulletins online.  
 \* Up to date information on outings, trips and social events.  
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<p><b>Monthly Meeting</b></p> <p><b>May 2025</b>              Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 2:15pm              Community House, Peacehaven</p> <p><b>The end of World War II in Europe</b></p> <p>Songs and anecdotes  <i>Singing for Pleasure Group with the Ukulele Group</i>  <i>Members invited to share anecdotes</i></p>	<p><b>Monthly Meeting</b></p> <p><b>June 2025</b>              Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June at 2:15pm              in The Hillcrest Centre, Newhaven</p> <p><b>The Woodland Trust</b></p> <p>A talk by  <b>Emma Lansdell</b></p>
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**Please remember to bring your own cup/mug for tea/coffee**

**Members News**

**To all members visiting the Meridian Centre, Peacehaven**

The Meridian Centre have informed us that due to misuse of the car park immediately to the south of the Centre, there will now be no parking available for visitors. The land belongs to Morrisons and they are operating a click & collect service. Unfortunately, at times their vans have been unable to access the private car park, due to unauthorized, hazardous and double parking. Whilst Morrisons allow Meridian Centre staff and deliveries to use the unmarked area outside the venue doors, we as a venue hirer are only allowed use for drop-off. This area has always had signs at the entrance stating NO PUBLIC PARKING and Morrisons have now erected several poles with CCTV cameras. u3a have been told that the old CO-OP car park is open to all and is not monitored.

**Nigel Barnes**

**Nature Ramble Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May**

I have two places available for the Nature Ramble around Castle Hill Nature Reserve in Newhaven. It will be particularly interesting to find out the changes that Spring has brought to the birds, insects, plants and trees. The ramble lasts for approximately one and a half hours and we meet outside the Co-op on the corner of Fort Road and Gibbon Road at 10.30. Appropriate clothing and footwear are needed as the hill can be quite rugged and slippery. If you are interested please contact Marian Stanley email: [marianstanley43@gmail.com](mailto:marianstanley43@gmail.com) or telephone 01273 611068. I also have spaces available for the Rambles on Friday August 1<sup>st</sup> and Friday October 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Charity Book Sale**

Due to unforeseen circumstances the sale has been postponed until later in the year. Please save all your donations of good quality paperbacks / novels until nearer the new date.

**Sharon Ahearn**

**Breakfast Club**

The Breakfast Club meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month at the Peacehaven Stonehouse Carvery. The next meetings will be on 28th May and the 25th of June. Contact me on 01273 588288 for details.

**Heather Booth**

**Poetry Group**

Contact details for the Group are: Carol Starkey on 07487 434197 or 01273 587046

**The u3a is a self-help learning organisation for people who have completed their career or finished raising a family and is an equal opportunities organisation welcoming all members.**



## Bus Outings

We need someone to organise inexpensive Bus Pass Outings for our members. Last year I organised a very successful outing to East Dean on the 12X but now other commitments have taken my time so a new leader is needed.

You just need to decide where to go and look up the timetables so a small group of people can travel together to have an inexpensive day out. Suggestions have been Horsham where I believe the town centre has recently been developed, The Depot Cinema in Lewes where a wide range of films are shown and tickets are half price on Tuesdays or a trip on the 700 to Worthing to have lunch on the pier and see the amazing glass panels there. Please contact Tricia Shepherd (Groups Coordinator) on 01273 516079 if you would like to know more.

## Heather Booth

### New Events

#### [Fiddler on the Roof](#)

Saturday 8th November 2:30pm – Congress Theatre Eastbourne –£52

#### [To Kill A Mockingbird](#)

Saturday 6th December 2:30pm—Congress Theatre Eastbourne—£48

#### Still Taking Bookings For:

[Summer Lunch 2025](#)—Thursday 24th July 12:30pm for 1pm.Saltdean Lido £32 or £28

LAST DATE FOR BOOKING: 20<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Download [Booking Form](#)

#### [Lunch Bunch May](#)

Friday 30th May 12:15 for 12:30 TRAWLERS – 32 Church Street Seaford, [Booking Form](#)

#### [Lunch Bunch June](#)

Friday 20th June 2025 12:15pm The Old Plough Seaford, [Booking form](#)

*Information on all activities can be found on our website.* For Theatre contact Jacquie on 07428159444

#### [Music of the Movies](#) **Peacehaven Players**

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2:30pm—Community House Peacehaven - £12.40

#### [Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat](#)

Thursday 31st July –Royal Hippodrome Theatre, Eastbourne—£18.50

#### [Les Miserables](#)

Saturday 23rd August—Theatre Royal Brighton—£43.18

#### [2:20 A Ghost Story](#)

Thursday 9th October 2:30pm Theatre Royal Brighton - £36

#### [Brick Lane Music Hall - West End to Broadway](#)

Saturday 11th October—£65

#### [Inspector Morse – House of Ghosts](#)

Thursday 23rd October 2:30pm - Theatre Royal Brighton - £40

#### [Thursford Christmas Spectacular](#)

11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> December £260 per person in a double twin room only.

#### [PRISCILLA QUEEN OF THE DESERT](#)

Thursday 18th June 2026 2:30pm—Theatre Royal Brighton—£45

**N&P Coffee Morning**

**Newhaven**  
4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday each month  
**Brewers Fayre**  
**The Drove**  
Next to Sainsbury's



**Peacehaven**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday each month  
**Peacehaven**  
**Stonehouse**  
**Carvery**  
South Coast Road

10am–12noon

Join us for a chat and a cuppa

### To make a payment via the u3a Bank Account

Account: Newhaven & Peacehaven u3a  
 Account number: 83005390  
 Sort code: 60-16-41  
 Ref:  
 Use a reference that tells us what the payment is for.  
 Do **not** use your name as a reference.



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**Dates For Your Diary**



[Details of all Dates For Your Diary on our website](#)

<b>May</b>	Thursday 1st	14:15	Monthly Meeting: <b>The end of World War II in Europe</b> , Community House, Peacehaven
	Friday 2nd		5 Deans u3a outing to National Motor Museum, Beaulieu and Gardeners' World Spring Fair
	Tuesday 13th	10:00	<b>u3a Coffee Morning Peacehaven</b> , Peacehaven Stonehouse Carvery
	Friday 16th	10:30	<b>Nature Ramble</b> , Castle Hill Nature Reserve, Newhaven
	Tuesday 27th	10:00	<b>u3a Coffee Morning Newhaven</b> , The Drove, Newhaven
	Wednesday 28th	09:30	<b>Breakfast Club</b> , Stonehouse Carvery, Peacehaven
	Friday 30th	12:15	<b>Lunch Bunch</b> , Trawlers, 32 Church Street, Seaford, BN25 1LD