

Newsletter

Saffron Walden u3a

April 2026

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WANTED

Welcome to our April Newsletter. We are looking for someone to organise our venues and join our Committee. As you know, a lot of our groups use a venue that has to be hired, the person doing the hiring would need to keep a log to avoid clashes and duplication. The successful candidate would receive full training and would ideally be computer literate, they would also need to attend our monthly Committee Meetings and to assist at other events such as our monthly Open Meetings.

We are a friendly team and would welcome and support a new Committee member. If you believe that you could be our Venues Organiser and help with the smooth running of our u3a, please contact chairman Jim Dwyer on jim_dwyer@btinternet.com or telephone 07531 115160.

Our next

Open Meeting

Monday 20th April 2026

Derek Adams presents:

'Lee Miller: 20th Century Woman'

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Lee Miller was an American photographer, a New York fashion model, a WW2 war photographer and correspondent

Bowls Club, Abbey Lane

Doors open 1:45 pm for a 2:30 pm start

Next Open Meeting - Monday 20th April at the Bowls Club - Derek Adams talk is entitled 'Lee Miller - 20th Century Woman', Doors open 1:45 pm for 2:30 pm start.

Derek Adams is an author and poet and his talk on the 20th April is about Lee Miller, an American photographer and photo journalist who was also a fashion model in New York City in the 1920s before going to Paris where she became a fashion and fine-art photographer.

During World War II she was a war photographer and correspondent for Vogue magazine covering events such as the London Blitz and the Liberation of Paris. She had long been denied the recognition for her work as an artist, but her son's discovery and promotion of her work has established her reputation as an art and war photographer.

But there is so much more to learn about this remarkable woman - so please don't miss this intriguing and interesting talk, entrance is free along with refreshments and raffle - we look forward to seeing you there.

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Quiz

Saffron Walden u3a
present
a Quiz afternoon with
refreshments and prizes

Wednesday 20th May 2026
Bowls Club, Abbey Lane
Starts at 1:30 pm
Finishes 4:30 pm approx.

Free Entry



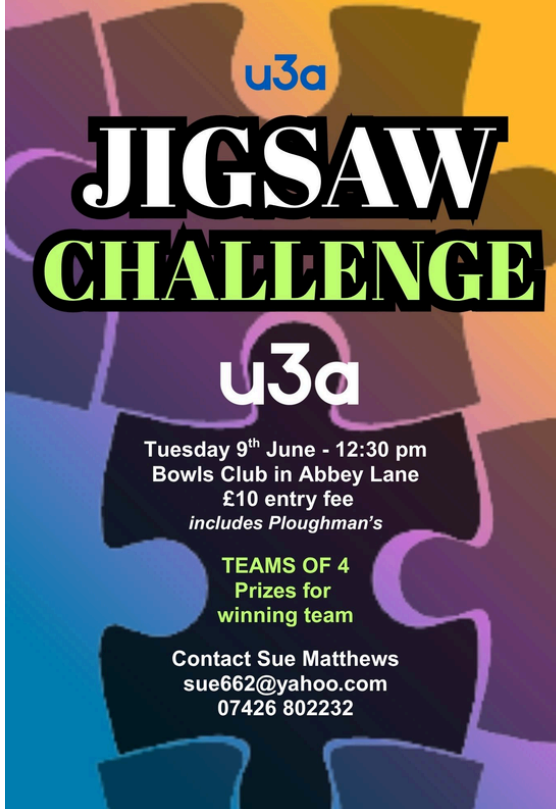
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JIGSAW CHALLENGE

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Tuesday 9th June - 12:30 pm
Bowls Club in Abbey Lane
£10 entry fee
includes Ploughman's

TEAMS OF 4
Prizes for
winning team

Contact Sue Matthews
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Saffron Walden u3a Harmony Choir presents
'World in Union'

The Summer Concert
on the Bandstand in Jubilee Gardens
Saturday 18th July at 12:00 pm

ALSO APPEARING
Saffron Walden Ukulele Group

Featuring songs made famous by: Take That, The Beach Boys, John Rutter, Mamas & Papas and from 'My Fair Lady' and more.

Entry is free, donations will be welcomed and will all go to the East Anglia's Children's Hospices (EACH)



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Top left: We are holding another **Quiz** on Wednesday 20th May at the Bowls Club in Abbey Lane starting at 1:30 pm. Teams of 6 please, couples and individuals can join a team on the day. Bring your own nibbles and drink; tea/coffee available in the interval. Please respond to Jim Dwyer on 07531 115160 or jim_dwyer@btinternet.com to say you're coming.

Top: On Tuesday 9th June we are holding a **Jigsaw Challenge** starting at 12:30 pm, teams of 4 please. Entry is £10 which includes a Ploughman's Lunch, prizes for the winners. Please respond to Sue Matthews on 07426 802232 or sue662@yahoo.com

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Our **Harmony Choir** is holding its **Summer Concert 'World in Union'** on Saturday 18th July in Jubilee Gardens from 12:00 pm. There's a great selection of music (see poster) and the **Ukulele Group** will entertain during the interval. All proceeds go to **EACH, East Anglian Children's Hospices.**