

Newsletter

Saffron Walden u3a

August 2026

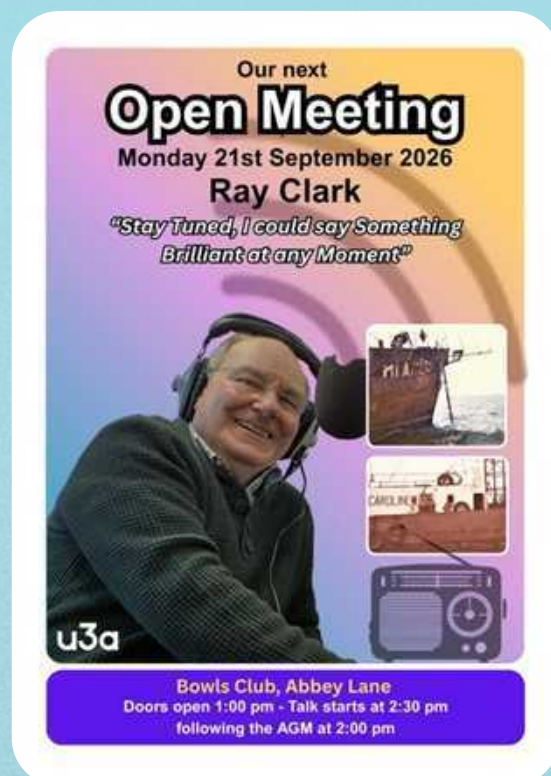
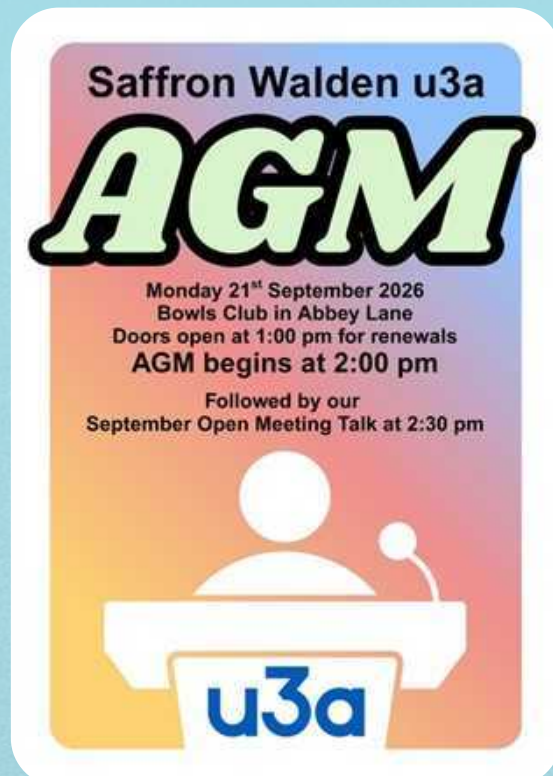
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Welcome to our August Newsletter. We hope you have been able to keep cool this summer - it's been a real scorcher hasn't it? Let's hope we will be getting some cooler temperatures soon, and perhaps a little rain? Whatever the weather does, the Saffron Walden u3a is always here.

Our main events coming up for September are our Annual General Meeting followed immediately by our September Open Meeting on 21st September at the Bowls Club in Abbey Lane.

Doors open at 1:00 pm for membership renewals, refreshments available from 1:30 pm, AGM commences at 2:00 pm and our Open Meeting begins at 2:30 pm - sadly there will be no raffle due to time restrictions.

Get that date and the time in your diaries now - please.



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NEWS ITEMS

No Cash

Saffron Walden u3a will shortly go cashless. This means we will only accept BACS, card or cheque payments. Watch out for more announcements from our Treasurer.

Waiting Lists

Our members should not be put off when trying to join one of our groups. If you are told that the group is full, then request to go on their waiting list. All waiting lists will be reviewed regularly by the Committee.

Film Club

Sadly, due to lack of interest, the Film Club is being discontinued. We will, however, reopen it if we get lots of positive response. ***If you would like it to continue then please contact John Trueman.***

New Groups

In our never ending quest for new groups, here are a few we've thought of: Chess, Whist, Flower Arranging, Cake Decorating, Jigsaw, Sewing Machine for Beginners, Gogglebox. Can you think of any? ***If you would like to be part of any of these groups, or one of your choices, then please contact Mary Curtis.***

WANTED

We're looking for someone to start a class teaching u3a members some basic skills in new technology such as mobile phones, computers, tablets, laptops etc.

If you believe that is something that you could do please contact Jim Dwyer in the first instance on 07531 115160 or jim_dwyer@btinternet.com



WE NEED YOU...

Saffron Walden u3a needs volunteers to join our Committee. The current Committee members cannot go on forever and without a Committee there would be no u3a

We are a friendly team to work with - contact Chairman Jim Dwyer jim_dwyer@btinternet.com or mobile 07531 115160