THE UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

Keighley Newsletter November 2026

Wednesday Meeting Nov 4th 2026

10am Action Point

Speaker: Jim Brevett The Rise and Fall of the Probation Service

All members welcome at our monthly meetings.

Please try and arrive around 10am so that we can get refreshments out of the way to allow the speaker to start at 10.30am prompt.

Wednesday Events Programme 2026

December 2nd Christmas Party

Dates for your Diary

Quiz Group:	Next meeting	25.11.26	2.00 pm
English Group:	Next meeting	09.11.26	10.00 am
History Group:	Next meeting	46.11.26	10.00 am
French	Next meeting	Ring Marie for details	
Art Appreciation	Next meeting	18.11.26	1.30 pm
The Exercise Group	Next meeting	09.11.26	10.15am
Kelfolk	Next meeting	11.11.26	1.30 pm
IT Support Group	Next meeting	08.11..26	11.00am

Keighley U3A Website

Our new Website co-ordinator will be happy to have any news of your group. Please have a look at our website on Keighley u3a group. Mike has done a wonderful job so please have a look. Mike Ward 07799451145 email klyu3asec@gmail.com
Keighley U3A Facebook!! Lynaire Munton 07950674391 is your contact for our facebook

Weekly, Fortnightly and Monthly Meetings

The Exercise Group Monday 10.15 to 11.45 am Action Point
Joan Coan 01535 611482
Janice Pedder 01535 601565

Kelfolk : Most Wednesdays 1.15 to 2.45pm
Long Lee & Thwaites Brow Village Hall#
Cora King 07427435473

Fortnightly Meetings

French : 2nd & 4th Tuesday 2pm
St Joseph's Church
Ring Marie Farrar 01535 448682

English: 2nd & 4th Monday 10.00 to 12 noon.
Action Point
Pam Pennington 01535 642986

History: 1st & 3rd Monday 10.00 to 12 noon.
Action Point
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Quiz Group: 4th Wednesday 2.00 to 4.00 pm Action Point
Bernadette Seaward. 07591134225

Art Appreciation: 3rd Wednesday 1-30 to 3.00 pm Action Point
Sheila Butler 01535 642155

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IT Group
The next two Support sessions are on Thursday 5th November & Thursday 19th November from 10.00am -12noon in Morrisons Community Cafe.
If you require practical & friendly help with your devices: Phones, iPads, Tablets or Laptop.

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Christmas Party
This year's party will be held on Wednesday Decmber 2nd at !0 am
There will be a Free Raffle. Quizes. and Stand Up Bingo Our very own Kelfolk will be playing and accompanying the Carol Singing. The morning will be rounded off with a buffet lunch.
This is a free event so please come along and make a start to the Festive Season

Garden Appreciation Group

October's visit was to Parcevall Hall near Grassington to see it in its autumn glory before it closes for winter. We were very fortunate with the weather as it wasn't too slippery underfoot and the colours of the trees were just starting to turn. The wide summer borders were still in bloom though there weren't many visitors which meant that the tea shop wasn't too busy. Part of the joy of going here is the drive past Bolton Abbey into the dales.

Unfortunately I have decided to cancel the trip to the valley gardens in November which would have been our last visit of the year as there has been no interest in this. It may be that it is more suitable for a visit in the spring months.

I will be sending an email to group members with a date to meet up to decide next year's programme. If anyone wishes to join our group then please do contact me either by email at keighleyu3a.garden@gmail.com or mobile 07970700979