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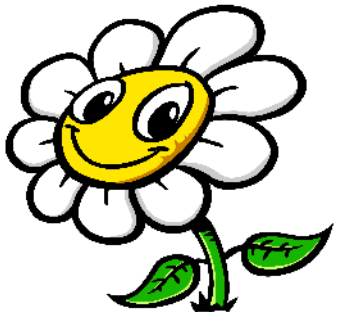


Welcome to our July 2026 Newsletter

COFFEE MORNINGS

The next Coffee Morning will be **Monday 6th July** (host group to be notified). There will be a talk by **Ability Net Paul Scarbrough, Staying Safe Online**.

The host for the Coffee Morning on **Monday 3rd August** to be notified.

Doors will be open at 10:00am for a prompt 10:30am start in the ***Roundswell Community Hall.*** Admission £1 to include coffee/tea, biscuits and a raffle ticket.

Please Welcome our New Member

Thelma Rhodes

ALLOTMENT 21 GROUP ANNOUNCEMENT

The Allotment Group will need a new Group Leader from October when I, and other members, will be "retiring". The allotment is well resourced for facilities, is extremely fertile and has very low running costs. A new leader will mainly be coordinating the group's planting schedule, organising basic maintenance, and act as the contact point for the group. If this sounds like something you, or someone you know, would find interesting please contact me (see Contacts List for contact details) to explore it further. *~Patrick Byrne, Allotment Group Leader*

WEBSITE UPDATES

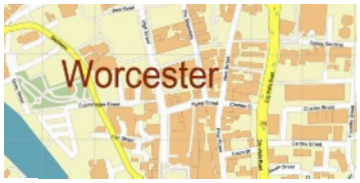
As with our newsletters, up-to-date information is paramount for all our members and any prospective new members. Would Group Leaders please make sure they inform Paul, our Webmaster (contact details in the Contacts List) of any changes to their groups, such as changes to meeting times or places, so he can then update the website accordingly.

~Paul Boden, Webmaster

ADVANCE NOTICE - GROUP LEADERS' MEETING MONDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER

The Group Leaders' Meeting will be held in the back room at the Roundswell Community Centre, after the Coffee Morning. Please remember to collect a perking permit for your vehicle. *~Richard Taylor, Group Coordinator*

TAW U3A - Worcester Holiday - Monday 28th September to Friday 2nd October 2026



The next holiday will be on **Monday 28th September to Friday 2nd October**. We will be staying at the Whitehouse Hotel in the centre of Worcester. On the Monday we will stop at Hereford for shopping, sightseeing and lunch. Tuesday we will go to Tewkesbury for shopping, sightseeing and lunch. In the afternoon we will ride on the Gloucester-Warwickshire Steam railway from Broadway to Cheltenham Race Course. Wednesday we visit Cadbury World. Thursday we go to Shrewsbury starting with a one hour boat trip then the rest of the day free to explore Shrewsbury. Friday we return home with a visit to Cheltenham or Gloucester.

Regarding the traffic situation, I will be monitoring it very closely. At the moment we will going with the usual pickups: Bideford; Chilpark; Fremington; Bickington; Sticklepath Hill; Tuly Street; Litchdon Medical; Landkey; South Molton. First stop at Bideford will be at 8:00am. Depending where everyone wants to get on, pick ups may change, and road closures may affect it. I'm sure someone will come up with something I haven't thought of.

I will be at the Coffee Morning taking bookings. Provisional bookings until cheques received for full amount. I only have 7 singles at the moment but may be able to squeeze a couple more if struggling to get 30 people. *~Kim*

Booking Form on Page 2 of this Newsletter

TAW U3A - Worcester Holiday - Monday 28th September to Friday 2nd October 2026

BOOKING FORM

Name/s: ……

Address: ……

…….. Post Code: ……

Mobile Phone Number/s: ……

Membership Number/s: …… Single, Double or Twin Room: ……

Any Special Requirements: ……

Pick up Point: ……

Pick up points: **8:00am** Bideford; other pick-up points to be confirmed.

Cheques **must** be made out in full to: **BLAKES COACHES**

Completed forms and cheques to: Kim Conibear, 7 Redlands Road, Fremington, Barnstaple, EX31 2NY
Phone: 01271 328511 (answer machine available)
Email: kimconibear@btinternet.com

Cost: Double/Twin rooms: **£575pp** plus optional insurance **£38pp**
Single rooms: **£575pp + single supplement £100 total £675pp** plus optional insurance **£38pp**

Total Amount Enclosed: ……

Chair's Report June 2026

We have made it through to the AGM, one year in office, my thanks and gratitude to those of you at the AGM that entrusted in me for another year as your Chair. With a new Chair in place there was always going to be a transition period of changes and doing things slightly different. As I said at the AGM, "You can please some of the people all of the time, you can please all of the people some of the time, but you can't please all of the people all of the time". This certainly covers some of the changes we have made so far and no doubt the challenges and changes we're going to face in the coming year.

At the AGM we saw changes in the Trustees, with Veronica McLaughlin stepping down after many, many years as our Membership Secretary. To show our appreciation and thanks we presented Veronica with a bouquet of flowers. Wendy Evans kindly came forward and at the AGM was elected to the committee as Membership Secretary. We also saw Peter Robinson and Bob Godfrey stepping down as Trustees. My thanks and appreciation go to both for their service and time they gave to TAW U3A. Moving forward, Linda James was elected to the committee as our Secretary, along with Carole Wardle and Gail Lucas-Brumby elected as Trustees.

In line with the changes ALL Banks are making to their Charity Status accounts, we are limited to having twelve Trustees including officers, which we now have. This requirement means our Constitution needs amending. The proposed changes were submitted and accepted at the AGM. These changes will be incorporated into the Constitution with the updated document placed on our website once completed.

By the time our July Newsletter goes out the road closures around the Fremington – Sticklepath area will have begun. For those of you who live and/or are affected by these closures, I do hope you are coping with the upheaval.

At our July coffee morning we have Paul Scarbrough coming in to talk about staying safe online. Hopefully I will see you all there.

~Martin, Chair

REMINDER: If you **move house** or your **email** or **telephone number changes *please*** let **Wendy Evans,** the **Membership Secretary,** know so that we can continue to keep in contact. It will also ensure you continue to receive the Newsletter by email.

ILLNESSES and BEREAVEMENTS: **Annabelle Marriott** is responsible for keeping in touch with members who become ill or are taken into hospital. If you become aware of any such cases please contact her. **See Contacts List for her contact details.** Would Group Leaders please take responsibility for informing Annabelle of illnesses of their group members. Would the family, Group Leader or any other member please inform Annabelle of the details of names and dates of deaths. **A single line announcement will be included in the Newsletter unless the family do not want any acknowledgment. It is for the Group Leader to notify Annabelle who will notify the Newsletter Editor.**

It is with great sadness that we learn of the passing of Ivan Upright

Our Groups

Members are encouraged to contact the Group Leaders of groups they are interested in joining and have their names added to any waiting lists.

ALLOTMENT 21 - Patrick Byrne. Please see notice on the front page of this Newsletter. This is a friendly, relaxed group of leisure gardeners who enjoy being out in the fresh air - with the added bonus of (largely) free fruit, veg and flowers. For more information please contact the Group Leader. *~Patrick*

AMBLERS - Diane Wild. Amblers will be walking on **Tuesday 14th July**. We will be meeting at **11:00am** at the ***Haunted House car park, Westwood Ho!*** for a walk led by Ann. *~Diane*

ART - ***TEMPORARY CONTACT*** - Martin Allison. The Art Group meets on the **1st and 3rd Thursday each month** from **9:30am to 12:00 noon** at the ***Rhododendron Methodist Church Hall***. We have 3 vacancies in the group. We are also seeking a new Group Leader as Derek retired in April after many years doing the job. Hopefully it might appeal to someone looking to run a very friendly group. With your help the Art Group can continue to flourish. Please contact Martin if you are interested (see Contacts List for contact details). *~Martin*

BADMINTON - Jim Smith. ***Tarka Leisure Centre,* 9:30am to 10:30am** on **Tuesday** and/or **2:00pm to 3:00pm** on **Thursday**. We invite you to get in touch if you are interested in playing and (ideally) have some racquet skills. You are welcome to come along for a free session. *~Jim*

BOOK CLUB - Barbara Vercoe. We now meet on the **4th Monday of each month** at **10:30am** at the ***Bike Shed in Barnstaple***. At present this group is fully subscribed. *~Barbara*

BOOKWORMS - Linda Tyrrell. We meet at the ***Library*** on the **last Tuesday of each month** at **10:00am.** The group is now fully subscribed, but if anyone is interested in joining us, do please feel free to contact me. *~Linda*

BREAKFAST CLUB - Wendy Walmsley. This group is held on the **1st Wednesday of the month** at **9:30am** (please note new time). The next breakfast is on **July 1st** at ***Tea by the Taw***. If you are UNABLE to attend please let Wendy know. If you would like to join this friendly group for a chat over breakfast, please contact me. *~Wendy*

CANASTA - Linda Lee, Yvonne Geary. The next meeting of the Canasta Group will be on the **20th July** at **2:00pm** in the ***Beechfield Centre in Fremington***. We now have room for new players so if you would like to join us do get in touch. We appreciate the effort made by everyone to negotiate the roadworks and get to the June meeting. Thank you. *~Linda & Yvonne*

COFFEE MUGS AND TEAPOTS - Jackie Ward. We meet every **3rd Wednesday of the month**. Come along and join us, this happy group will welcome you. We meet **10:30am to 12:00 noon** in ***Arti's Too Café, 20 Cross Street, Barnstaple***. We look forward to meeting you. Contact Jackie. *~Jackie*

CREATIVE CRAFT - Valerie Fama. We usually meet the **1st Tuesday of the month** at the ***Fremington Methodist Church Hall, Old School Lane,*** from **10:00am to 12:00 noon**. We have a free 15 minutes extra each end for setting up and clearing. Free parking on site. We take our own projects, share knowledge and skills, drink tea/coffee and eat biscuits (of course!), and natter while we work. Our meeting on **7th July** is, unfortunately, cancelled due to the hall being needed for a church function. Our next meeting will be **Tuesday 4th August**. We have one place available. Please contact the Group Leader for more information if you are interested in joining us. *~Valerie*

CREATIVE WRITING - Sue Boyd. No report this month. *~Bob*

CRIBBAGE - Richard Taylor. We meet at the ***New Inn, Fremington*** on the **2nd and 4th Fridays** from **3:00pm 'til 5:00pm**. The aim is to enjoy playing crib. Help is available for those wishing to learn how to play. Free parking on site. Please let me know if you are interested in joining us. *~Richard*

CURRENT AFFAIRS DISCUSSION 1 - Alison Clayton. We will be meeting on the **1st Thursday of the month** at ***Barnstaple Library Room*** at **10:15am**. Please check on reception as to which room we will be allocated, as this can vary. The group is full at the moment but if you would like to be added to the reserve list then please contact the Group Leader. *~Alison*

CURRENT AFFAIRS DISCUSSION 2 - Chris Daly. This small group meets on the **4th Thursday of the month** at the ***Roundswell Community Centre*** from **10:00am to 11.30am**. We discuss interesting topics that are currently in the news. Tea and coffee are available. We are currently fully subscribed but please contact me if you are interested in going on a waiting list. *~Chris*

DANCERSIZE - Hilary Newing, Jenny Arnold **(New Deputy Leader)**. **July 7th, 14th and 21st**, then no more classes until **September**. Enjoy your break. *~Hilary & Jenny*

DAY TRIPS BY COACH 1 AND 2 - Wendy Walmsley, Jean Newcombe.

Coach 1: Our trip to ***Wells*** on **Thursday 16th July** is now full with a waiting list. ***Weston-Super-Mare,* Thursday August 20th**. We will be visiting Weston-Super-Mare with an extended coffee stop at Sanders Garden Centre. Many lovely gardens, including Grove Park with Jill Dando memorial garden created by BBC Ground force in 2001, Victorian and Italian gardens, Winter gardens, 1927 Pavilion with greenhouse cafe. Museum, free entry, Promenade

along the beach front, cafes and shops.

Coach 2: The trip to ***Saltram*** is currently full. ***Hidcote*** **Wednesday 26th August**. We will be visiting Hidcote, a National Trust property located in the Cotswolds. It is a world-famous Arts and Crafts garden created by Lawrence Johnston made of iconic garden rooms.

IMPORTANT: Please email Jean if you wish to reserve a seat for either trip. Separate cheque for each trip please, £17 payable to TAW U3A with name of trip and pick up point on reverse. These can be collected at next Coffee Morning or post to Wendy (see Contacts List for contact details). We would also appreciate if you can pay for the trip beforehand as this helps to ensure we have it ready for banking. PLEASE NOTE that all payments are non-refundable. However, if you are unable to attend, we will gladly issue a refund if we can fill your seat from our waiting list AND if the overall costs of the trip are fully covered. Thank you for your understanding and support. PICK UP POINTS during the disruption of Fremington/Bickington road until September for all trips will be at Chilpark, New Inn Fremington and Park and Ride. *~Wendy & Jean*

DESIGN & MAKE I & II - Jim Pinn. No report this month. *~Jim*

DEVON HISTORY - Paul Bate, Janice Hurdle. The next field trip for Devon History members is to ***Heanton Church and War Graves*** led by Rob Palmer on **Thursday 2nd July** at **2:00pm** for 2:30pm. There is **no meeting in August**. The next indoor meeting is on **1st October**. *~Paul & Janice*

DINING EXPERIENCE - Lynden Davies. Lynden will email members with details of the next meeting. *~Lynden*

HOLIDAYS - Kim Conibear**.** See notice on the front page of this Newsletter, and a booking form on page 2. *~Kim*

MUSCLES MATTER - Gail Lucas Brumby. Due to the road closure and a reduced access to Fremington, Muscles Matters Group will be **on hold until September 2026** when all being well we will regroup on **2nd Wednesday of the month instead of the 1st**. *~Gail*

PRACTICAL GARDENING - Diana Betham, Veronica McLaughlin. The Practical Gardening Group will be visiting ***Marwood Hill Gardens*** at our next meeting on **Thursday 9th July** at **10:30am**. Our group meet every **2nd Thursday of the month** usually at ***The Beechfield Centre, Fremington***. This is our 2nd trip out this year and they have been attended by the majority of the group which is very encouraging. There is a waiting list for this group. *~Diana*

RAMBLING - Pauline Newbound, Barbara Hewis. **Monday July 13th**. The walk will start from ***Ashford Garden Centre*** at **10:30am**. Please park at top end of the car park. Walk to Pilton and Bradiford using lanes, fields and tracks. Return via Tarka trail. Fairly level walking. Distance 5.5 miles. BYOFAD. New members welcome. Leaders Mel and Margaret. *~Pauline & Barbara*

READING SHAKESPEARE ALLOWED - Bob Godfrey. An ALERT! If you are reading this and are interested please don't hesitate to contact me any time. Reading together is a most rewarding and supportive activity. No special knowledge of Shakespeare is necessary. All necessary reading material is fully provided. We meet on the **3rd Wednesday of the month**, **2:00pm to 3:30pm**, at ***Fremington Methodist Church, Old School Lane, Fremington***. *~Bob*

ROAMERS - Sue Taylor. Brain Tilbury is leading this walk. Please meet at **10:30am** at the ***old Cattle Market car park, Bideford (Council office car park)***. Cost £2.50 per day. We then walk to Raleigh and head towards Lenwood over fields, past the Pig on the Hill, and then walk down to Westward Ho! Haunted House end. There will be a couple of inclines. Approximately 5 miles. Catch the bus back to Bideford, therefore bring bus pass. BYOFD. New members always welcome. *~Sue*

RUMMIKUB 1 AND 2 - Paul Boden. Two Rummikub Groups will run consecutively on the **3rd Friday of the month** at the ***New Inn, Fremington***. Group 1 will be from **12:00 noon** to **2:00pm**. Group 2 will be from **3:00pm to 5:00pm**. The next Rummikub session will be **Friday 17th July**. Members of each group will be contacted by WhatsApp about the sessions. Places are now available for new players that want to join the groups. Please contact the Group Leader to reserve a place. **The new Roadworks at Bickington has caused chaos with travellers between Barnstaple and Fremington. It is advisable to take the route using the A39 to Instow and follow the road through Yelland. The road signs are misleading, telling drivers that the road ahead is closed. It should say the road is closed from Fremington Quay and access is permissible to Fremington.** The two Rummikub groups will continue as usual at the New Inn. Members that find travelling difficult can temporarily drop out until the roadworks have cleared and join us again when the roads are back to normal. Meals are available to order at the New Inn after the sessions should you wish to stay. *~Paul*

SEQUENCE 1 AND 2 - Paul Boden. The Sequence Group still has places for anyone that would like to join. If you are interested in joining, please let me know, and I will place you on our group list. Once we reach our membership threshold, you will be placed on the waiting list. The next Sequence session is **Friday 3rd July** at the ***New Inn, Fremington***. There are two group sessions. Group 1 at **12:00 noon** and Group 2 at **3:00pm**. Existing members have been allocated their group times. Check with me if unsure. I will contact each group by WhatsApp prior to the date. **The new Roadworks at Bickington has caused chaos with travellers between Barnstaple and Fremington. It is advisable to take the route using the A39 to Instow and follow the road through Yelland. The road signs are misleading, telling drivers that the road ahead is closed. It should say the road is closed from Fremington Quay and access is permissible to Fremington.** The two Sequence groups will continue as usual at the New Inn. Members that find travelling difficult can temporarily drop out until the roadworks have cleared, and join us again when the roads

are back to normal. Meals are available to order after the session should you want to stay for lunch. *~Paul*

SHORT MAT BOWLING - Richard Taylor. We meet at ***Christ Church Hall in Braunton*** **once or twice a month**, on **Tuesdays** from **10:00am to 12:00 midday**. All the bowling equipment, tea, coffee and biscuits are provided. Parking is free on site. The cost will be £3 or £4 per person, depending on numbers. Please let me know if you are interested in joining us for some bowling and a chat. We have space for some new members, so come and give it a try. *~Richard*

SHORT TENNIS - Marjorie Sargent, Sue Morley. We play on **Wednesday mornings** at the ***Tarka Tennis Centre*** from **11:00am** until **12:00** noon. We have no vacancies at the moment, but please get in touch if you have had any experience of tennis and would be interested in coming along to see how we play short tennis. We can then put you on our waiting list. Our final session for this term is on **Wednesday 8th July** and we start again in the Autumn on **Wednesday 9th September**. *~Marge & Sue*

SKITTLES - Doug Saunders, Patrick Kift. We play Skittles **once a month on a Friday evening** at the ***Muddiford Inn, Muddiford*** (**7:00pm** start). The July event is scheduled for **Friday 17th July**. At the May event, Doug Saunders came out on top in the men's competition. The ladies event was won by Jackie Macdonald and the Killer event was won by John Saunders. We are at the maximum number of members for this group so new applicants will need to go onto a waiting list. If you are interested in participating, please contact Doug Saunders or Patrick Kift.

~Doug & Patrick

STROLLERS - Kim Conibear. As Ivan was a very popular member of Strollers we have cancelled the July walk to allow everyone to go to attend his funeral on the 7th July at the parish church at 1:30pm. The walk will now take place on the **4th August**. We will meet at **11:45am** at the ***library in Barnstaple***. After a short walk we will return to the Royal and Fortescue for lunch. The walk will be led by Jenny. *~Kim*

SUNDAY LUNCH - Carol Smith. The Sunday Lunch Group meets on the **2nd Sunday in the month** for lunch and a chat at various venues in and around Barnstaple. If interested in joining please contact Carol. *~Carol*

TABLE TENNIS - Janice and Bob Godfrey. We meet **every Thursday morning**, **9:30am to 11:30am** (NOTE new finish time), at the ***Tarka Centre***. We now have a couple of places available. If there's anyone out there wishing to join the group you would be very welcome. Do please contact us first. Some experience of playing (however long ago!) is desirable. *~Janice & Bob*

TEN PIN BOWLING - Brian Tilbury, Doug Sanders. We meet during school term times, **every Wednesday at 1:15pm** inside ***Let's Go Bowling, on the Braunton Road, Barnstaple***. We are very keen to see new members and are happy to allow the lane bumpers to be in play for new players wanting to give it a go. Brian Tilbury's 289 score took the honours this month in the men's competition. Karen Stancombe was top lady with a score of 196. *~Brian & Doug*

TUESDAY LUNCHEON GROUP - Trish Lilley. Our next lunch at ***The Williams Arms*** will be on **Tuesday 21st July**. Those members who haven't already booked can do so either by email or telephone by **Sunday 19th July**. All Taw U3A members are welcome. *~Trish*

WANDERERS - Sue Taylor, Wendy Walmsley. Barbara and Martin are leading this walk. Please meet at ***Sandy Lane car park, EX33 2NX*** at **11:00am**. This is a pay and display car park. We then move to Squires for lunch at 1:00pm. Please let Martin know if you will be walking with us (see Contacts List for contact details). New members always welcome. *~Sue & Wendy*

WINE APPRECIATION - David Rowe**.** The Wine Appreciation Group continues to meet on the **1st Friday of each month**, in ***Room 3B*** of the ***Barnstaple Library***. *~David*

WOODCARVING - Fred Barrow. **Weekly, Wednesday mornings 10:00am** to **12:00 noon**. I have 2 or 3 spaces so please contact me if you are interested in joining us (see Contacts List for contact details) *~Fred*

CALENDAR - July/August 2026

Coffee Mornings:

Monday 6th July (Host Group TBN) - 10:30am - Roundswell Community Hall
Monday 3rd August (Host Group TBN) - 10:30am - Roundswell Community Hall

August Newsletter Deadline: Deadline for entry of events occurring **after Saturday 1st August - THURSDAY 16th July.**

Group	*Day*	*Date*		*Time*	*Venue/Information*
		July	*August (Subject to Change)*		
Allotment 21	Monday	TBN	TBN	10:30am	Barnstaple Coffee Shop
Amblers	Tuesday	14		11:00am	Haunted House car park, Westward Ho!
			11		TBN
Art	Thursday	2; 16	6; 20	9:30am	Methodist Church Hall, Rhododendron Avenue
Badminton	Tuesday	7; 14	No Meetings	9:30am	Tarka Leisure Centre
	Thursday	2; 9; 16	No Meetings	2:00pm	

CALENDAR - July/August 2026 (Continued)

Group	Day	Date		Time	Venue/Information
		July	August (Subject to Change)		
Book Club	Monday	27	24	10:30am	The Bike Shed, Barnstaple
Bookworms	Tuesday	28	25	10:00am	Barnstaple Library
Breakfast Club	Wednesday	1		9:30am	Tea By The Taw
			5		TBN
Canasta	Monday	20	17	2:00pm	Beechfield Centre, Fremington
Coffee Mugs and Teapots	Wednesday	15	19	10:30am	Arti's Too! Cafe, 20 Cross Street
Creative Craft	Tuesday	No Meeting	4	10:00am	Fremington Methodist Church Hall, Old School Lane
Creative Writing	Thursday	9	13	10:30am	TBN
Cribbage	Friday	10; 24	TBN	3:00pm	The New Inn, Fremington
Current Affairs Discussion 1	Thursday	2	6	10:15am	Barnstaple Library
Current Affairs Discussion 2	Thursday	23	27	10:00am	Roundswell Community Centre
Dancersize	Tuesday	7; 14; 21	No Meetings	10:00am	Church Hall, Fremington
Day Trips By Coach 1	Thursday	16		TBN	Wells
			20		Weston-Super-Mare
Day Trips By Coach 2	Wednesday	22		TBN	Saltram
			26		Hidcote
Design & Make I - Ladies	Friday	31	28	9:30am	Group members know venue
Design & Make II - Gents				2:00pm	
Devon History	Thursday	2	TBN	2:00pm	Heanton Church
Dining Experience	TBN	TBN	TBN	TBN	TBN
Holidays	See Notice on front page of this Newsletter, and booking form on page 2				
Muscles Matter	Wednesday	No Meeting	No Meeting	2:00pm	St Peter's Church Hall, Fremington
Practical Gardening	Thursday	9		10:30am	Marwood Hill Gardens
			13	10:15am	Beechfield Centre, Fremington
Rambling	Monday	13		10:30am	Ashford Garden Centre
			10	TBN	TBN
Reading Shakespeare Allowed	Wednesday	15	19	2:00pm	Fremington Methodist Church, Old School Lane
Roamers	Monday	17		10:30am	Old Cattle Market Car park, Bideford (Council office car park)
			24		TBN
Rummikub 1	Friday	17	21	12:00nn	New Inn, Fremington
Rummikub 2				3:00pm	
Sequence 1		3	7	12:00nn	
Sequence 2				3:00pm	
Short Mat Bowling	Tuesday	7; 21	TBN	10:00am	Christ Church Hall, Braunton, EX33 2EA
Short Tennis	Wednesday	1; 8	No Meetings	11:00am	Tarka Leisure Centre
Skittles	Friday	17	TBN	7:00pm	Muddiford Inn, Muddiford
Strollers	Tuesday	No Meeting	4	11:45am	Barnstaple Library
Sunday Lunch	Sunday	12	9	TBN	TBN
Table Tennis	Thursday	2; 9; 16; 23; 30	6; 13; 20; 27	9:30am	Tarka Centre, Barnstaple
Ten Pin Bowling	Wednesday	1; 8; 15; 22	No Meetings	1:15pm	Bowling Alley, Braunton Road, Barnstaple
Tuesday Luncheon	Tuesday	21	18	12:00nn	The Williams Arms, Wrafton
Wanderers	Tuesday	14	TBN	11:00am	Sandy Lane car park, EX33 2NX
Wine Appreciation	Friday	3	7	2:00pm	Room 3B, Barnstaple Library
Woodcarving	Wednesday	1; 8; 15; 22; 29	5; 12; 19; 26	10:00am	Woodville, Sticklepath, Barnstaple

A Couple of Funny Puns to fill the page

It's hard to explain puns to a kleptomaniac because they always take things literally

Never discuss infinity with a mathematician. They can go on about it forever.