

u3a GOSPORT - INTEREST GROUPS - SEPTEMBER 2026

All Group Leaders can be contacted via the link on their name on the Group's page of the website.

	GROUP NAME	MEETING DATE & TIME	VENUE/ LOCATION	GROUP LEADER & DEPUTY
ARTS CRAFTS AND CULTURE	50s & 60s Music 1	1 st Mon 1400- 1600	Methodist Church	Geoff Piper
	50s&60s Music (2)	1 st Thu 1330 -1530	HEDCA	Geoff Piper
	Cathedral Concerts	INACTIVE		
	Classical Music Appreciation	4 th Wed 1400-1530	Gosport Museum	Sandy Richardson
	Craft and Sewing	4 th Mon 1000-1200	Methodist Church	Maggie Gavin
	Crochet	3 rd Wed 1000-1200	Member's Home	Sue Morgan
	Exploring Art	3 rd Tue 1400-1600	Gosport Museum	Maggie Gavin
	Folk Music	2 nd & 4 th Wed 1400-1600	HEDCA	Steve Hudson
	Knitting / Crochet	1 st Mon 1400-1530	Methodist Church	Jan Almond (Margaret Wallace from Oct)
	Painting (restart in October)	4 th Thu 1030-1200	Your Space	Roger Pike Judy Foster
	Singalong	1 st Wed 1400-1530	Holy Trinity Church	Ian Orr
	Ukulele	2 nd Thu 1430-1600	HEDCA	Richard Glaysher Linda Dorsett
ACTIVITIES FOR THE MIND	Archaeology	4 th Wed 1030-1230	Gosport Museum	Julie Bennetts Linda Dorsett
	Board Games (1)	1 st Tue 1400-1530	Gosport Museum	Val Havard
	Board Games (2)	4 th Fri 1815-2015	Gosport Museum	Val Havard
	Canasta	2 nd Tue 1400-1600	Member's Home	Denise Davis
	Climate Change	2 nd Mon 1030-1200	Your Space	Pauline Potter
	Cryptic Crosswords Solvers	3 rd Mon 1400-1530	Methodist Church	Jennifer Bellamy
	Genealogy	3 rd Fri 1400-1600	Discovery Centre	Bev Harris
	History	4 th Mon 1400-1600	Gosport Museum	Linda Dorsett Dot Bedenham
	Local History	2 nd Tue 1400-1530	Gosport Museum	Liz & Ian Backhouse
	Mah Jong	Last Th 1930-2130	Member's Home	Denise Davis
	Military History	2 nd Wed 1030-1200	Gosport Museum	Stephen Harvey
	Philosophy	4 th Mon 1400-1530	Gosport Museum	Tricia Stevenson
	Psychology, Criminology & Forensics	3 rd Wed 1400-1600	Gosport Museum	Carole Sharman Tricia Stevenson
	Quiz	4 th Sat 1400-1600	Methodist Church	Jean Plummer Cindy Tull
	World films	2 nd Mon 1830-2030	Member's Home	Neena Vadra-Edwards
LITERATURE AND LANGUAGES	Creative Writing	3 rd Tue 1030-1200	Gosport Museum	Bill Kenway
	French: Get by in French	Every Tue 1030-1130	Google Meet	Richard Lovett
	Germain Intermediate	3 rd Tue 1000-1200	Member's Home	Bev Harris Richard Lovett
	Play Reading	3 rd Thu 1400- 1600	Gosport Museum	Tinou Neal
	Poetry	2 nd Wed 1400-1530	Your Space	Sue Read
	Reading	4 th Wed 1400-1500	Discovery Centre	Jennifer Bellamy

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EXERCISE	Bowling (via Solent u3a)	4 th Fri 1300	Gunwharf Quays Bowl plex	Keith Randall
	Dance	4 th Tue 1400-1530	HEDCA	Pat Luke
	Folk Dance	2 nd & 4 th Mon 1015-1145	Methodist Church	Barrie Bullimore
	Pickleball	Every Mon 1400-1500	Gosport Leisure Centre	Jane Mc Ardle Cindy Tull
	Sea Dipping	Various days & times. Weather dependent	Stokes Bay	Neena Vadra-Edwards
	Walking for Softies	Every Fri 1015 onwards	Local Area	Barrie Bullimore
	Walking Group (5-6 Miles)	3 rd Fri 0920 onwards	Variable Routes	Linda Clachan
	Walking the Extra Mile	2 nd & 4 th Fri 0920 onwards	Out of Town from Holbrook	Kathy Parker Anna Wood
OUT AND ABOUT	Allotment	Every Thu am but may vary	Rectory Allotments	Lia Deyal
	Bus, Beer & Banter	Last Wed each month	Out and about	Maureen Mansfield Tricia Stevenson
	Cinema (via Solent u3a)	2 nd Thu 1030-1230	Reel Cinema Fareham	Kathy Kanji
	Helpful Group	As required	Various locations	Val Havard
	Stargazing	4 th Mon 1000-1130	The Vine, Stoke Rd	Bill Kenway Antony Cruddas
	Travel – Day Trips Group	3 rd Thu 1030-1200	Gosport Museum	Fiona Meredith
	Urban Walk Tours	2/3 times per yr	Local towns/cities by train/bus	Jennifer Bellamy Eve Henty
	Weekend Lunch Group	Variable Sat & Sun 1230 onwards	Various Venues	Sheila Brown

PRIVACY AND DATA PROTECTION FOR GROUP LEADERS

This chart shows all groups in our u3a. It is correct at the time of publication. For the most up to date and fuller information about each group, members should go to the group's page on the website.

We do not publish telephone numbers on documents available to all members for privacy and to comply with Data Protection regulations.

To contact a Group Leader, visit the group's page on the website, where there is a direct and secure link from the Leader's name at the top of the page.

If you have problems contacting the Leader, please email a member of the committee. It is possible to speak to committee members at Thorngate on the first Wednesday of the month.

Link to Groups page on the website

Scroll down to find your group

<https://gosport.u3asite.uk/groups/>

Link to Committee contacts

<https://gosport.u3asite.uk/contact/>

The information on this chart is taken from the Group pages on the u3a Gosport website (end August 2026)

All changes to Group arrangements must be reported to Fiona Meredith the Groups' Co-ordinator.

Committee members involved in ensuring the accuracy of this Chart are

Fiona Meredith – Groups' Co-ordinator

Jennifer Bellamy - Website Administrator

Judy Foster - Beacon Administrator

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