

Fulwood NWR Programme January-June 2025

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Date	Topic	Venue	LO
Week Dec 30th	Coffee Morning TBC.		Gill/Kath
Monday 6 Jan 2.30 and Thursday 9 Jan 2.30	Sri Lanka ~ A Look at the Island Today ~ an illustrated talk by Ann Clegg.	Ann C	Kath/Gill
Tuesday 21 Jan 7.30	A Good Podcast ~ an opportunity to enter the podcast world through a selection of favourites! A choice list will be issued a couple of weeks in advance for everyone to listen to and prepare to discuss format and content. Is this the future of radio and TV?	Rosemary	Kath
Saturday 8 Feb 6.30 for 7pm	The Midwinter Feast ~ £25 a head ~ an occasion to lift the winter gloom with partners invited to join in too.	Fulwood Sports Club	Kath/Gill
Wednesday 12 Feb 7.30	A Tasting Session ~ Zero Alcoholic Drinks ~ with nibbles! Give your views on a selection of red wine, prosecco, beers, etc.	Gill	Kath
Thursday 27 Feb 7.30	Games ~ the importance of playing games, why do humans do it? We will need volunteers to research into the history and benefits of playing games of all types. Contributions on indoor, outdoor, ancient, modern, team, individual, video, etc,	Jenny	Kath\Gill
Tuesday 11 March 12.00 for lunch	Walking the changes to Sheffield city centre after lunch ~ a tour of the recent city developments. Suggestions for a lunch venue and favourite new buildings and refurbishments, please.		
Monday 24 March 7.30	The Channel Isles ~ an examination of geography, economy, history, Nazi occupation etc. Margaret, Eilis and Ann C to lead. Other contributions welcomed.	Sue	Kath/Gill
Wednesday 9 April 2.30 and 7.30	Advice for Old Age. A discussion of Michael Mosley's Top Tips. Bring along your mind stretching puzzles; exercise and dance videos; diet recommendations. Whatever works for you! Is it just down to genes or a question of life style? And for men?	Maggie	Kath/Gill

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W/b 13 April	Tea Afternoon TBC	TBC	Kath/Gill
Thursday 1 May 7.30	Planning Meeting ~ fresh ideas gratefully received! Cheese and wine provided.	Carol	Kath/Gill
Wednesday 14 May early start	Silkstone Church visit 10.30-12. Magnificently preserved medieval buildings and artefacts. Plus Bramah museum. Lunch at The Potting Shed.		Kath
Tuesday 27 May 7.30	How the Labour Government tackled the Social and Economic problems after the Second World War. Each of us may choose a Labour minister and highlight their contribution to the reforms and changes made to UK in the postwar period.	Eilis	Kath/Gill
Monday 9 June 7.30	Women Explorers into Science, Technology and Geography etc, past and present. Who has inspired you by venturing into the unknown?	Kath	Gill
Thursday 26 June 1.00	Visit to Thornbridge Gardens. Orangery, vegetable and fruit plots, ornamental gardens, landscaped in 19th and 20th centuries and revived recently. (Free entrance to RHS members). Plus lunch and a stroll along the Monsal Trail.		Kath/Gill

Local Organisers: Kath Bishell [REDACTED] Gill Doyle [REDACTED] Please contact re problems or queries.

NWR Walking Groups:

1st Monday of month ~ local park walk to Forge Dam ~ details from Kath B or Gill
 2nd Monday of month ~ longer walk 4-5 miles in Derbyshire ~ details from Mavis or Ann C
 3rd Monday of month ~ walk locally on tracks 2-3 miles ~ details from Carol or Rosemary
 All information will be issued to the group in the previous week.



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