

NEWSLETTER

Saffron Walden u3a

August 2024

Annual General Meeting

This year's Annual General Meeting will be held at the Baptist Church on Monday 9th September 2024 at 2:30 pm, doors will open at 1:30 pm.

Please renew your membership online, full instructions on the renewal form, or send a cheque for £15 with an SAE to our PO Box address.

There will be refreshments and you are invited to stay and attend the AGM. Our end-of-year accounts will be on the website to view before the AGM.

Our 40th Birthday Party is at the Saffron Walden Town Hall on Monday 23rd September from 2:30 pm until 4:30 pm. Entry is free to all u3a members, but you must apply for a ticket. There will be an email coming soon which will officially invite you and ask you to apply for your free ticket.



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IMPORTANT DATES
IN YOUR DIARY

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The Next Open Meeting

Monday 21st October 2024

Chris Truran presents his talk:

“Dabs and DNA Detects Criminals”



The development of fingerprints at the beginning of the 20th century up to the first crime solved using DNA. Chris covers the first criminals convicted by fingerprints, the Brighton Bombing, Lockerbie, the Tsunami, James Hanratty - and a daughter's DNA that solved a 30 year old murder by her father.

Chris joined the Metropolitan Police in 1975 and trained as a Scenes of Crimes Officer (SOCO). He worked in London and examined over 25,000 crime scenes ranging from shop-lifting to murder, starting 38 years ago when DNA was in its embryonic stage.



Bowling Club, Abbey Lane.

Doors open 1:45 pm for a 2:30 pm start