



With all the beautiful weather we have been having, what better way to enjoy it than to go for a walk. Our Short Walks Group decided to explore Stedham and posed for us at the bridge at the old mill. If you look carefully at their faces their enjoyment is obvious – good weather, good exercise, good company.

Others enjoyed a great day out at Shoreham airport where we learned about the history of the airport and took a tour to the hangers to see both small planes and helicopters. Now I know



what to do with the spare half a million pounds in my bank account!



In the afternoon we toured the Brighton Pavilion, new for some, a re-encounter for others where there was a great display about 'colour' curated by our April Speaker Dr. Alexandra Loske. The splendour of the

decorations was marvellous but not perhaps the way we would choose to live today.



Normally when a group leader steps down, the Committee, will thank them for their service and that's an end to it. But this was Bernard. Bernard has run both the Art Appreciation and Art History Groups for years. He has also been a member of the committee in various roles and indeed Chairman on more than one occasion. He has organised Art Holidays that have always received rave reviews from the participants and trips to both Art and Opera outings. His groups have been hugely interesting thanks to the time and dedication that he has put into each lecture, So, Bernard, it is with a heavy heart but

enormous gratitude that we thank you now for your many years of devotion to the u3a and wish you all the best in the future.

Members also enjoyed a visit to Pallant House in Chichester. This was organised by the Architecture and Design Group, so they were interested in the history and architecture of the building itself as well as the paintings exhibited inside. Our extremely varied groups offer a wide range of experiences for our members BUT are we missing something? What would YOU like to see, as a u3a group? Please let us know.





A strange encounter by the Dog Walking Group, it's not often that you meet a cow in the woods! However, it's always a pleasure to meet up with other people and take your dogs for a walk. You can even join in if you don't have your own dog but just enjoy their company.

Thanks to all of you who have sent in photographs of your group and information about what you have been doing. It's great for everyone to know all that we do here in Midhurst u3a so keep the pictures and stories coming in, please



Dates for your Diary

2nd July 2025 Marie and Rosetta Chichester Festival Theatre

28th August 2025 Top Hat Chichester Festival Theatre

22nd September 2025 Quiz and fish & chip supper

9th October 2025 Tax, Care and Toy Boys' Estate Planning talk

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