

Chairman's Chatter

I am pleased to take up my responsibilities as chairman of Marple Bridge and Mellor U3A. We are a thriving and active U3A and I plan to give my time and energies to further our organisation.

My thanks go to Malcolm Moss for all the work he has done over the past two years as chairman benefitting all of us. Chairmanship is a challenging role and he fulfilled it superbly.

Peter Kitchen has completed his term as treasurer. Balancing the books and keeping a check on the national regulations to which we must adhere. He is now standing down from the committee. Bill Prophet and Alan Stanbridge are also standing down this time. I would like to express my gratitude for the dedicated work in which the three of them have been involved.

We now have a new treasurer, Michael Paxton and two new committee members, Ulla Mehta and Pam Taylor. Also three members have been re-elected, Tony Addy, Pat Walker and Malcolm Moss. The whole committee works tirelessly, often behind the scenes, to ensure that everything in our U3A runs smoothly. I am looking forward to working with the new committee ensuring that the organisation continues to develop.

Kitty and Alan Watt have offered to take over the role of Group Co-ordinator and I'm sure you will all offer them your support. Ann and Bill Prophet have been the Dining Group Convenors for quite a few years and arranged an excellent programme of venues. This role has now been taken on by Pat Walker whom I'm sure you will all continue to support.

Malcolm Moss has produced an extremely successful Newsletter for many years now, giving us all valuable information about past, present and future events. I'm sure you all agree that it is an excellent document, thanks to Malcolm's professional approach and the many hours he spends in its preparation. We are fortunate to have his expertise.

For your information I include the names of the new committee.

Chairman	Shirley Hammond
Vice Chairman	Vacant
Secretary	Malcolm Moss
Treasurer	Michael Paxton
Committee Members	Derek Hesketh, Carol Rice, Jenny Summers, Tony Addy, Pat Walker, Ulla Mehta, and Pam Taylor

Shirley Hammond

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Marple Bridge & Mellor U3A

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Signed: . Date:

NEW GROUPS

Bridge for Beginners Group,

A new group. Organised and hosted by Jean Day
Meeting at Jean's house, 16 Bradshaw Road, Marple,
Tuesdays from 2-4pm, weekly, it started on March 10th. Jean can take up to 10 people.

German Conversation Group

* Romiley. A new group, ... leader & venue arranged, but no day or time as yet

Info from Kath Bradley, Romiley Group Coordinator

Outings Group

Friday 22nd May 2015

**MARKS IN TIME EXHIBITION (M&S Archives),
and LOTHERTON HALL, Leeds**

Details of this outing in May are included in the January newsletter and are also as shown on the Notice Board. We intend leaving Rosehill at 9.15 a.m. with the usual 5 minute intervals and the last pick-up is at Romiley Arms. Return estimated at 6.00p.m.

Price: £27 p.p. which includes coach and gratuities for driver, coffee, tour of M&S Archive, 2 course lunch and small gratuity at Lotherton Hall and House tour

Booking: General Meeting on Tuesday March 17th and thereafter please contact the organisers, George and Jenny Summers on 427 2861.

Wednesday 3rd - 5th June

BELFAST TRIP

Members are reminded that the final balance payment is to be paid before 25th March and direct to GREATDAYS HOLIDAYS LTD.

Friday 3rd July 2015 **ST ASAPH & BODRHYDDAN HALL**

(Not to be confused with the Marble Church & Bodlewyddan Castle)

Our morning visit today will be to St Asaph Cathedral where we shall have a guided tour. St Asaph, with its Cathedral, is the smallest in Britain and set on the banks of the River Elwy. There is an assortment of eating places where you can buy lunch - or bring a picnic.



After lunch our coach will take us, just a short journey, to Bodrhyddan Hall which was new to us last year. It is a Grade 1 listed building and has been lived in by the present family since it was built over 500 years ago. Visits to the House are by guided tour only which lasts about one hour. There are 10 people with each tour guide so ample time for viewing and questions.

The gardens are a delight, particularly the parterre, best viewed from one of the upstairs windows. There are beautiful herbaceous borders, lakes and bridges - and there will be time to explore these. There is a tea room where a speciality is freshly made scones, jam and cream. This has to be pre-ordered so that the scones are fresh!! If you would like to order the cream tea the cost is £4.50 per person, which you pay for with your booking. The tea room also serves pots of tea.

Cost: £23.00 includes coach, driver's gratuity, Cathedral Tour, Cathedral donation and tour of Bodrhyddan Hall. For those requiring Cream Tea the cost will be £27.50

We shall leave Rose Hill at 9.00am and then, at 5 minute intervals from our normal pick up points, leave Romiley at 9.20am

BOOKING AT APRIL MEETING

Ann & Tony Matthews Tel 0161-483-4050

Further outings as arranged for 2015

More information on both trips will be displayed on the notice board and contained in the May newsletter. We hope you are able to join us.

Wednesday 19th August **NATIONAL MEMORIAL ARBORETUM, LICHFIELD**

Booking: 19th May General Meeting and thereafter contact the organiser

Price: £18.50 p.p. inc. coach & grats., land train tour.

Organiser Carol Rice

Friday 4th September **MAGNA CARTA exhibition @ LINCOLN CASTLE & CATHEDRAL**

Booking: 19th May General Meeting and thereafter contact the organisers

Price: £29.00 p.p. inc. (based on 35 members) coach, grat., combined entry ticket for castle, exhibition etc. and cathedral tour.

Organisers: George & Jenny Summers

MATINEE GROUP



New theatre visits

'Table Manners' by Alan Ayckbourn, Thursday, May 21st 2015 at 2.30 at Theatre Clwyd
Ticket and coach £30

'Noises Off' by Michael Frayn, Wednesday 17th June 2015 at The Octagon Theatre, Bolton.
Tickets £12 (coach cost to be announced)

'Fallen Angels' by Noel Coward at the Theatre in the Lakes, on Wednesday 12th August 2015 .
Booking in April.

'Kiss Me Kate' music and lyrics by Cole Porter at the Plaza, Stockport on Saturday 31st October 2015
Booking in May

As cheques are not always presented to the bank straight away, it is important to let us know if you have changed your bank account. If your cheque has not been paid in before this change, a charge can be incurred to the Matinee Group Bank Account. So please let us know of any changes, Thank you.

Jean Howells & Sue Humphris

Around the Groups

In each newsletter we will feature 1 or 2 groups that are part of our U3A

BOWLING GROUP

Congratulations to the hardy members of the crown green bowlers group. As the winter draws to a close, the resilient bowlers have had no problems in forming teams on Monday mornings at their winter home in Torkington Park.

Just a reminder to all our bowlers that we start our summer sessions at Marple Bowling Green in early April. Please remember to renew your Annual Bowling Permit in good time.

Bill Prophet

HISTORY GROUP

We have an interest in the past and in the reasons why societies have developed as they have. And we find that so many people of the past are interesting, or have interesting lives, whether they are judged famous or not.

We have no formal lectures but plenty of good discussion.

The History Group meets once a month on the last Friday morning of the month. Our last few topics have included Winston Churchill, the background to the Syrian problem and The Early Muslim World. Magna Carta and something on Roman Britain are on the schedule.

Few things were straightforward and although much will be made of it in this anniversary year of Magna Carta it's coming into being was certainly not without difficulties. King John signed it in June 1215, he repudiated it in the August and was supported by the pope of the time who annulled it and declared the barons excommunicated in September of the same year. Perhaps fortunately for us John died very soon after this and his young son with the regents reinstated it.

There are other interesting anniversaries this year, including Wellington's victory at Waterloo (1815), the battle of Agincourt (1415) and the introduction of the Riot Act (1715).

As someone has said regarding history "There is plenty of it".

We have just welcomed some new members but are always glad to know of anyone interested in joining.

MAGNA CARTA: Law, Liberty, Legacy

In June we celebrate the 800th anniversary of the most reluctant granting of concessions ever known by a king to his subjects. 'Bad' King John was forced to put his seal of approval on the **Great Charter** by his rebellious barons and clergy on June 15th 1215 at Runnymede, Surrey, and effectively curtailed forevermore any English monarch's absolute power; it began a long process of constitutional and parliamentary evolution and still has huge significance around the world. Beyond its symbolic historical status, however, has it any value in today's world?

We (the U3A) feel we should commemorate it in some way (perhaps at the General Meeting on 16th June?). So members - suggestions to any Committee member please.

To understand the significance on the **Magna Carta** and its messages you have to look at some of the words used - liberties, rights, justice, lawful judgment, law of the land (which became 'due process' in the 1689 Bill of Rights) and the words 'common council of the realm' and 'consent to taxation' i.e. a Parliament. We also have 'security' in the sense of 'a guarantee'.

One fundamental principle is Parliamentary sovereignty - the notion that even the anointed king was not above the law and he had to seek consent to raise taxes.

Most of the clauses on feudal rights and customs that motivated the barons, clergy and wealthy landowners to rebel in 1215 are very different to those that motivate society today, e.g. Article 35 stated in Latin

that the measures for wine and corn and widths of cloth and other things be improved. And so with weights. Obviously not of deep concern now whereas Articles 38, 39 and 40, which are the most famous still in English law, demanded that

No free man shall be arrested or imprisoned or robbed of his land or outlawed or exiled or victimized in any way, neither will we attack him or send anyone to attack him except by the lawful judgment of his peers or by the law of the land.

To no one will we sell, to no one deny or delay right or justice.

Magna Carta required courts to sit regularly, insisted judges be qualified and stated that those responsible for enforcing the law could not be judges; a most important step towards a completely independent judiciary.

So, most clauses have disappeared and some have evolved over the years - the 'trial by peers' clause, for example, means barons by barons, Jews by Jews, city men by city men - not a cross section of the public as now - nor was it trial by jury as we know it, yet our jury trial derives from it.

Over the intervening 800 years the idea of **Magna Carta** has gathered momentum and greater authority in respect of the central key clauses of civil rights, liberty and justice. They have stood the test of time and have prevailed in spite of hundreds of attempts at annulment, repeal, modification by successive monarchs and governments.

Widely viewed as one of the most important legal documents in the history of democracy the **Magna Carta** has been Great Britain's most valuable export to the rest of the world.

CREATIVE WRITING

Two new members have expressed an interest in Creative Writing and it would only take a few more to enable us to attempt to reinstate the group which was "mothballed" in 2013

NON FICTION BOOK READING

We are seeking members who might be interested in joining a Non Fiction Book Reading group to complement our existing reading groups which focus pretty well exclusively on fiction

If you are interested in any of the above please contact Alan Stanbridge on 0161 427 4262 or alanstan@supanet.com

MARPLE BRIDGE AND MELLOR USA OPEN GARDENING GROUP

Two excellent speakers have kicked off the 2015 Garden Group meetings.

In January John Steedman shared knowledge gained when he was Head Gardener at Fletcher Moss Gardens, illustrating his humorous talk with slides of wildlife to be found in the humblest of habitats in our own gardens. From the top of drainpipes to upturned and forgotten plant pots in some tiny overgrown area birds, bees, butterflies, hedgehogs, beetles and lots more creepy crawlies will turn it into their des.res., so don't be too tidy in the garden and you will have an extra dimension to enjoy watching all these creatures coming and going.

The February meeting was just the ticket on a cold day for the packed audience of gardeners to be reminded that Spring was just around the corner and if they were itching to get planting the speaker for the day Jacqueline Iddon had ideas aplenty as to what plant to put where. Jacqueline has won awards for her planting style at major Flower Shows, and the photographs of her own fabulous garden showed that she certainly knows her subject.

Our meeting on March 11th will be a talk "A - Z of Garden Gems" by Garden Designer Maureen Sawyer.

Please note that in April we are having a coach trip for group members, therefore there will be NO MEETING.

Held at Marple Methodist Church, Church Lane, Marple, the meetings are on the 2nd. Wednesday of the month, start at 9.45 a.m. for coffee, speaker 10.00 a.m.

Cost £2 per meeting incl. coffee/tea

Jean Parrish

Parliamentary Outreach

We have now received from Gary Hart, our Parliamentary Outreach officer, a series of links for further information regarding the function of Parliament. Although intended for those who attended his presentation, it will be of much interest to the membership as a whole and details are as follows:-

Bills before parliament: <http://services.parliament.uk/bills/>

Select Committees: <http://www.parliament.uk/about/how/committees/select/>

All Party Parliamentary Groups: <http://www.parliament.uk/about/mps-and-lords/members/apg/>

What's on in Parliament: <http://services.parliament.uk/calendar/>

List of MPs: <http://www.parliament.uk/mps-lords-and-offices/mps/>

List of Members of the Lords: <http://www.parliament.uk/mps-lords-and-offices/lords/>

Details of questions and debates: <http://www.parliament.uk/business/publications/>

Early Day Motion Database: <http://www.parliament.uk/edm>

Further information about the Outreach Service: <http://www.parliament.uk/get-involved/outreach-and-training>

DINING GROUP



Lunch - 6th February 2015 - Reflections, Ashton Catering College - I can honestly say that the food presented for our enjoyment was first class and was thoroughly enjoyed by everybody present. It was a meal as good as any I have been served in some of the renowned restaurants Bill and I have visited over the years. Grateful thanks to Pat and Nazir Chourbaji for all their hard work.

Dinner - 18th February 2015 - Platform 1, Romiley - The Dining Group had another very pleasant evening at Platform 1 and the food was up to the standard we have come to expect and plenty of it. Many thanks to Pat Walker and Shirley Hammond for their efforts in organising this meal.

Forthcoming Dining Group experiences:

Dinner - Peruga at The Woodheys Hotel - 20th May 2015 - 7.00 p.m. for 7.15 p.m., which will consist of three courses and coffee for £14.95 or two courses and coffee for £12.95. Members' drinks and gratuities are not included. Bookings will be taken at the March General Meeting when a £5 cash deposit will be taken together with menu choices.

Lunch - Mellor Golf Club - 28th May 2015 - 12 Noon for 12.30pm it will consist of two courses with tea or coffee for £11.00. Drinks and gratuities not included. Bookings will be taken at the March General Meeting when a £5 cash deposit and menu choices will be taken.

Afternoon Tea - The Gingerbread House, Derby Way, Marple (opposite The British Red Cross Shop) - Wednesday, 17th June 2015 at 3.00 p.m. The afternoon tea includes a selection of sandwiches and cakes, one scone with cream and jam, and a choice of orange juice, tea or coffee to accompany your afternoon tea. The full cost (excluding gratuities) is £10 and a deposit of £5 in cash which is non-refundable is required on booking. Places are limited to 20 covers, so please book early at the May 2015 General Meeting.

A £5 cash deposit to secure your reservation for all Dining Group experiences will be required at the time of booking, which is non-refundable.

As always, our grateful thanks are owed to all the volunteers who facilitated Dining Group experiences for us all to share in 2014 and we look forward to a busy dining programme in 2015

Ann Prophet

Walking Group

Group Organisers

*Judy Rhodes and
Sheila Stafford - 01663 810043*

Apr / May Walks

April Wed 1st	Glossop, Whiteley Nab. 6m mod+ Irene Riley	May Wed 6th	Thornsett. 5m mod	Judith Lynch
April Tue 7th	Werneth Low. 5/6m mod/easy Hazel Marshall	May Tue 12th	Edale 5/6m mod	Margaret Hogg
April Wed 15th	Lantern Pike. 5m mod Val and Roy Bradshaw	May Wed 20th	Bollington to Sponds Hill. 6.5m mod	Jean Mitchell
April Wed 22nd	Kerridge. 5m m Judy Rhodes	May Tue 26th	Eyam. 4m easy & time in Eyam to look round/visit café etc(D)	Sheila Stafford
April Tue 28th	Bollington. 5m easy Betty Clee	Reserve walking guides:	Judy Rhodes, Judith Lynch, & Betty Clee.	

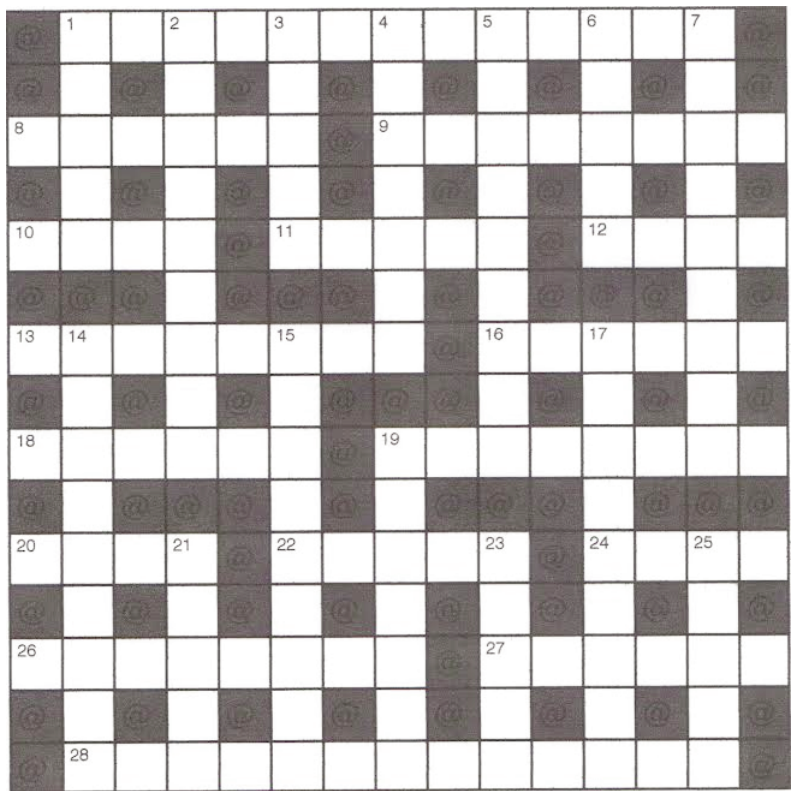
See the Website for information on the Walking grades, listed under Walking Group on the Website

Crossword Compiled by Marple Bridge and Mellor U3A Crossword Group

Geoff Heath

Clues across

- 1 Assembled in Chorley, direct power source (5-8)
- 8 Car starts with pivoted bar. That's ingenious! (6)
- 9 Whilst dancing, eyed girl rapaciously (8)
- 10 Broadcast live coverage (4)
- 11 Bare island in the Channel keeps time (5)
- 12 Flower of the eye? (4)
- 13 Model caused trouble at temple (8)
- 16 Get at a nit, itching (6)
- 18 Teased young goat with lifeless sound (6)
- 19 Cursing as winger gets fouled (8)
- 20 Top cards in new case (4)
- 22 Last Greek letter started: 'Oh my! Economy's good again!' (5)
- 24 In the beginning, angry brother ended life for him (4)
- 26 Eastern hemp unravelled by age, lasting for a short time (8)
- 27 Flood of French glue flowing wildly (6)
- 28 A policy which pays off when late (4,9)



Clues down

- 1 Bluff king had a couple of Venetian leaders cut in two (5)
- 2 Dev ran off to get married and matured (9)
- 3 Conger eels; regular monsters (5)
- 4 Lock up Grandma's gold and get everything original into trunks (7)
- 5 Ketch came round in winning position (9)
- 6 Air I'd play with bones (5)

Clues down (cont)

- 7 Lions coil cunningly for a violent encounter (9)
- 14 Having bishops, record changed, so I clap (9)
- 15 Drama done badly by a group of stars (9)
- 17 Sailor and saint in waterproof cover (9)
- 19 Spot cutters in playground (7)
- 21 Bundle, as he afterwards discovered inside (5)
- 23 Summer snake (5)
- 25 Bird is somewhat below par (5)

Meetings - FUTURE SPEAKERS

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| 17th March | Brian Green | 'Andrew and his Amazing Technicolour Musicals' |
| 21st April | Neil Cliffe | 'How I Made My First Million and Spent It' |
| 19th May | Bernard Loveday | 'The Development of Medical Science' |

Unless otherwise notified, the ordinary monthly meetings are held in St Paul's Church Hall, Compstall on the third Tuesday of each month at 9-45am (for coffee and socializing). To enable members to use the bus service, the business of the meeting will start at 10-15 and will finish at 11.45 am approx.

Marple Bridge & Mellor U3A Groups - February 2015

Day	Group	Time	Venue	Leader	
Monday	Crossword Compilation	2nd Monday	Various Homes	Geoff Heath	
	Crown Green Bowling	Every Monday - 10am	Summer Marple Park	Bill Prophet	
			Winter Torkington Park		
	Geology - Group 2	3rd Monday - 10am	Group Leaders Home	Mary Howie	
	Music Appreciation	3rd Monday - 10-30am	Group Leaders Home	Jonathon Gort	
	Play Reading	2nd Monday - 10am	Members Homes	Shirley Molloy	
				Derek Davidson	
	T'ia Chi*	Monday Sept/Easter - 2pm	Marple Scout HQ	Joyce Gartside	
	Tuesday	Chess *	Every Tuesday - 2pm	Group Leaders Home	David Wilkinson
		Jazz Appreciation	4th Tuesday - 2pm	Members Homes	George Shelmerdine
Reading Group 2		1st Tuesday - 2pm	Group Leaders Home	Mary England	
Rummikub		2nd Tuesday - 2pm	Members Homes	Trixie Ballard	
Spanish Conversation *		Fortnightly - 2pm	Group Leaders Home	Eva Catlow	
Walking		Tuesday/Wednesday	See Newsletter	Judy Rhodes	
Dancing - Ballroom Beginners		Fortnightly Sept to Easter 2pm	High Lane Village Hall	Kath Taylor	
Wednesday		Dancing - Latin	Fortnightly Sept to Easter 2pm	Marple Scout HQ	Kath Taylor
	Gardening	2nd Wednesday - 9.45am	Marple Methodist Church	Margaret Hogg	
	Family History	3rd Wednesday 10am	Marple Library	John Glennon	
	Poetry	3rd Wednesday 2pm	Members Homes	Clair Boyes	
	Table Tennis*	Every Wednesday 1.15pm	Brabyn's Park	David Wilkinson	
	Traditional Folk Music	4th Wednesday - 2pm	Group Leaders Home	Ken & Mags Whiting	
	Canasta 1	Fortnightly 2pm	Group Leaders Home	Daine Holker	
Thursday	Bridge - Improvers*	Every Thursday 1-30pm	Woodside Tennis Club H/Lane	Chris Gibson	
	French Conversation	2nd & 4th Thursday 9-30am	Windsor Castle Hotel	Shirley Hammond	
	First Aid	To suit members	Members Homes	Doreen Scotte	
	History of Culture - 1	3rd Thursday - 10am	Members Homes	David Matthews	
	History of Culture - 2	3rd Thursday - 2pm	Members Homes	David Matthews	
	Photography	1st Thursday 1.30pm	Group Leaders Home	Margaret Hogg	
	Reading Group 3	2nd Thursday 10am	Members Homes	Elaine Owen	
				Jenny Hulbert	
	Reading Group 4 *	2nd Thursday 10-30am	Group Leaders Home	Rhona Hunt	
	Friday	Badminton	Every Friday 10am	St Paul's Hall Compstall	Ian Wakefield
I Pad Group 2		Fortnightly 10am	Group Leaders Home	Joy Close	
Geology Group 1		2nd Friday 10am	Group Leaders Home	Mary Howie	
Dance - Ballroom & Latin Improvers.		Fortnightly Sept to Easter 2pm	High Lane Village Hall	Kath Taylor	
Dance -Modern Sequence		Fortnightly Sept to Easter 2pm	Hawk Green Reading Room	Kath Taylor	
History		Last Friday	Group Leaders Home	Alan Watt	
Painting		Fortnightly 9.45am	Hawk Green Reading Room	Kathleen Fraser	
Reading Group 1		3rd Friday 10am	Members Homes	Diana Williams	
Canasta 2		Fortnightly 2pm	Members Homes	Diane Holker	
Others		Card Making	As Agreed	Group Leaders Home	Carol Rice
	Extra Events	See Newsletter	See Newsletter	Pamela Bluhm	
	Matinee Group	See Newsletter	See Newsletter	Sue Humphris/Jean Howells	
	Outings	See Newsletter	See Newsletter	Jenny Summers	
	Dining	Usually Monthly	See Newsletter	Pat Walker	
	Apple/I Pad Group	Monthly	As arranged	Malcolm Moss/Tony Addy	

* Marple, Romiley or High Lane Group that our members are invited to join, numbers permitting More information on the Website, mbmu3a.org.uk or contact the Group Leader or the Group Co-ordinators Kitty & Alan Watt on 427 1724 or groupcoordinator@mbmu3a.org.uk

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**ANSON ENGINE MUSEUM,
Higher Poynton.**

GAS. OIL. PETROL. DIESEL. STEAM
(Celebrating the engines that changed
the world)

We are proposing a visit to the above
fascinating multi award winning Museum
in August (date to be agreed). Engine
enthusiasts worldwide come but increas-
ingly it is becoming a "must visit" attrac-
tion for non-enthusiasts too; there is so
much to see and is run entirely by volun-
teers, perhaps some demonstrations by
wood turners and blacksmiths. There is
also an excellent pub nearby for lunch or
picnic by the Macclesfield canal.

More details on the Notice Board.

Booking: April meeting and thereafter
contact organisers.

George and Jenny Summers 427 2861

Announcements

It is with regret that we record the
recent death of one of our members,
Joan Mottrom, We send our sincere
condolences to her family

Across 1 Hydro-electric; 8 Clever; 9 Greedily; 10 Veil;
11 Stark; 12 Irits; 13 Template; 16 Artain; 18 Kidded;
19 Swearing; 20 Aces; 22 Omega; 24 Abel; 26 Ephemer-
27 Deluge; 28 Life assurance.
Down: 1 Halve; 2 Developed; 3 Ogres; 4 Luggage;
5 Checkmate; 6 Raditi; 7 Collision; 14 Episcopat;
15 Andromeda; 17 Tarpaulin; 19 Seesaws; 21 Sheaf;
23 Adder; 25 Eagle.

Crossword Solution

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Any stories, articles or photographs of interest to members are welcomed.

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**All contributions for the next edition of the Newsletter
should be received no later than Friday 8th May**