**[MOTOTWO.club](https://www.mototwo.club/index.html) PROGRAMME @21/8/2024 – Please PUT DATES IN YOUR DIARY**

>>For EVERYONE THERE to review at every Main Meeting<<

Main meetings are (usually) on the *fourth Monday* @2.00 till 4.00 or so.
@**Punch & Judy Pub**, 11 St Stephen's Street, Tonbridge, Kent, TN9 2AB [Map](https://what3words.com/soils.hello.snail)
For all other dates, see below. Click on blue links for details. Contact organiser via WhatsApp; else Joy admin@mototwo.club or Jane treasurer@mototwo.club for organiser email/phone no.

**This group’s priority is all about developing new and deep friendships for u3a Members On Their Own.**
We also try to entertain you, but before you say “the activities do not appeal to me” please remember **all events can only exist based on YOUR ideas and assistance (see overleaf)!** Please also try to encourage non-attenders and newbies, perhaps by offering a lift?

Hitherto Joy has put a lot of effort into publishing and publicising a Programme to attract and retain members. Despite core members invaluable help, she cannot supply ideas and plan most events alone.
**Our informal Programme is thus now on hold, awaiting YOUR further input.**Some people don’t like having a Programme at all, and think more ideas will develop organically at our monthly meetings and via WhatsApp. **You must be there, to influence and/or host our events!

Examples of some of our Events:**

* Thursday 22nd August 7.00-10.00 – [**Into The Blue**](https://thepantiles.com/whats-on/into-the-blue/) – Superb rock band @The Pantiles, Tunbridge Wells & meal outside @[**Essence by Atul Kochhar**](https://essencerestaurants.co.uk/).
(Fully booked - Joy Watson). £5 online Pantiles entry, £7.50 without restaurant reservation.
* Tuesday 10th September – **Full day Coach trip** to [Maldon](https://www.visitmaldon.co.uk/) in Essex. Options for walkers & non-walkers. £18 pp. *Full details and booking form in August Journal* (Sue Treharne)
* Date & Venue TBA - **Monthly Lunch Club** (Heather Applewhite) – TBA. Maybe [here?](http://tunbridgewellsmasonichall.co.uk/)
Contact **Joy &** Heather with future suggested dates & venues.
* Monday 23rd September - [Punch & Judy](https://www.thepunchandjudy.co.uk/) - **Would I Lie To You?** (if members wish) Players take turns to read out one of 3 True or False facts about themselves from their preprinted slip, and the rest have limited time to ask questions to help tell if it was Truth or Lie (Joy)
* Sunday 29th September (6th October if wet) - **Joy’s Garden Party** Bring drink, BBQ food, bake or cake
* Wednesday 2nd October – **Tonbridge u3a Open Afternoon** @1.30 for 2.00 – 4.00 at the [Angel Centre](https://www.google.co.uk/maps/place/Tonbridge%2BTN9%2B1SF/%4051.1925453%2C0.2758856%2C18z/data%3D%213m1%214b1%214m6%213m5%211s0x47df4f4c4d7751f7%3A0x339f9f8512b65a8a%218m2%213d51.1924452%214d0.2749737%2116s/g/1tdvcwdp?entry=ttu)
* – **The Legendary Joe Meek** – A dash through some of the quirky 1960s record producer’s fascinating life and extraordinary work, showcasing his 1956-1967 pop music (Joy Watson)
* 29/3/25 [**Acid Wehn**](https://www.assemblyhalltheatre.co.uk/whats-on/henning-wehn-acid-wehn.html) (Hilarious German comic **Henning Wehn** jokes about Climate Change! Wunderbar!) @Assembly Halls, TW £29.50 – (Fully booked - Kay Sinclair)

Undated Ideas, because without YOUR further input they can’t happen!
* **Social at Shirley’s House** – date?
* **Ten Pin Bowling** at cheaper times Tues-Fri or Sun, 2 games & 1 drink deal £13 **–** Heather, Joy, Ray, Debbie, Jane, Kay, Anne, Sheila so far – Let Joy know your preferred date/time ASAP – no-one has!
* **Petanque** on a 3rd Thursday – Joy, Ray, Lesley G, Anne B, Kay, Jane, Heather so far – only need a couple more who can make a Thursday afternoon to make this viable
* **National Trust / English Heritage** visit – volunteer required to date & co-ordinate – Lorna? Heather?
* We go regularly to [**Assembly**](https://www.assemblyhalltheatre.co.uk/whats-on/) **Halls** , EMF or other **Theatres**
* And to **Rusthall** [**Community Cinema**](https://www.rusthallcinema.club/)
* **Strollers** – Joan Holdom? (E.G.) Walk round Haysden Lake, catch up, tea and cake at the little snack bar
* [**A Minute to Win It**](https://www.playpartyplan.com/minute-to-win-it-games-for-kids/) – teams are given silly fun things to achieve in 1 minute. All collect loo rolls first – Organiser Required – see link above for how to do it!
* **Sporting Challenge** versus other Tu3a or non-u3a groups – Organiser?
* **Trip to Coast**, Folkestone ideally by train, prebooking cheap advance tickets using **Railcards** – Volunteer host please? **London Day Out** similarly, with Railcards / **Free Bus Passes**.
* **YOM R&R, 60s’, 70s or 80s Themed Weekend** See Joy or website to nominate a [Yesterday Once More](https://www.yesterdayoncemore.co.uk/) short break – Have you looked at the link above? N.B. Booking is needed about a year in advance.
* **Wine Tasting** at someone’s home, or Merewrith Winery Co-ordinator needed to discuss with Joy
* **Spot The Intro** (Joy has game transferred from CD to laptop, will do more work on it if wanted)
* **Indoor Boot Fair** – needs contributors
* **Desert Island Discs**
* **Ray’s Music Quiz pt 2 or ‘Gesture’ Game** possibly on 28th October?

**Our Volunteer Committee**
Joy Watson (Chair)
Lorna Clark (Deputy)
Jane Richardson (Treasurer), Shirley Botterman (Relief Treasurer)
Kay Sinclair (Banking signatory & Shy Member Liaison)
Heather Applewhite (Monthly Lunch Club)

**Helpers**
Johanna Keirnan (now Groups Co-Ordinator)
Ray Ingram (Tables Co-Ordinator)
Shirley Botterman
Jeni Brennan

**Transport Volunteers** (other than for existing friends) – more names/locations to Joy please:

Heather Applewhite, Kay Sinclair, Ray Ingram (all based in S. Tonbridge), Debbie Fryer (N. Tonbridge), Jane Richardson (High Brooms), Minnie Fraser-Allen

**Unpaid Speakers**: Please email Joy which 4th Mondays they are available, and what can they tell us?