

MIRTH: January to June 2020

MIRTH
Men In Retirement
Together Happily,
friendship, food, fun
whatever you want
to get out of it



The vision of MIRTH is to create a community of men that welcomes others into it and improves the quality of retired life for all. There is no membership; everyone is welcome at all meetings.

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DISCUSSION (FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH)

An informal gathering in the homes of MIRTH members to consider differing viewpoints on current news items, 2.00-3.15 pm all welcome on FEB 4, MAR 3, APR 7, MAY 5, JUN 2.

MIRTH WALKS (SECOND TUESDAY) . . .

Local walks of 3-4 miles followed by a pub lunch of course. Some MIRTHers cannot manage the walk any more but can still make it to the pub afterwards!

Do come and join us on JAN 14, FEB 11, MAR 10, APR 14, MAY 12, JUN 9.

MIRTH MAIN (THIRD TUESDAY) Lunch followed by a talk/visit usually from 12.30-2.30

JAN 21st: “THE GREAT STINK” – ILLUSTRATED TALK BY PAUL DAVISON

MIRTH continues its journey into sewage. Paul knows a lot about Sir Joseph Bazalgette and has given this talk to the NT. Sir Joseph was the main architect of the solution to London’s “Great Stink” problem in the mid 1800’s.

FEB 18th: “HOW GREEN CAN WE ACTUALLY BE?” GODFREY ARMITAGE

Godfrey is Environment Officer for Coventry Diocese and has given this talk under the alternative title “Reconciling a wounded Planet”. A personal and community challenge to us all.

MAR 17th: “THE DEAD CENTRE OF LEAMINGTON” – BARRY FRANKLIN

Barry has given this fascinating tour of Brunswick St. cemetery many times. Come and hear his intriguing stories of Admirals, famous sportsmen, VC’s, founding fathers, and many more.

APR 21st: “IS THE BIBLE FAKE NEWS?” PROFESSOR ALAN MILLARD

The Bible is very open to fake news both Christians trying to prove it is true and others trying to do the opposite Alan uses his archaeological background to dig for the truth.

MAY 21st: “IF WARWICK WALLS COULD TALK” – TREVOR LANGLEY

After two much appreciated tours with Trevor recently he dons a third hat to walk us round Warwick listening to the wall for fascinating historical stories

JUNE 18th: THE ANNUAL “JOLLY BOYS OUTING”

- The traditional MIRTH caper to a venue that’s always a closely guarded secret.

To get further information about MIRTH or any of its events please consider adding your name to our current e-mail list of about 50 men. Please contact Tim on waggtim@gmail.com or phone 01926 330498