

## April - October 2025

Meetings are usually held every second week at 8pm in members' homes

### Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Apr Patron Saints

23<sup>rd</sup> April, St George's Day. Research a Patron Saint. What is the relevance of Patron Saints today?

Venue: Colette

### Tues 13<sup>th</sup> May Collecting or hoarding?

Do you have things you can't get rid of? Why do you think that is? Is it a special collection or are you a hoarder?

Venue: Olwyn

### Wed 28<sup>th</sup> May Channel Islands

Research an aspect of the NWR country of the year.

Venue: Cathie

### Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> Jun Connections

This is the NWR theme of the year. What does this mean to you? Explain the importance of your choice.

Venue: Haidee

### Mon 30<sup>th</sup> Jun There's nothing like a Dame

Choose a Dame to research.

Venue: Sue C

### Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Jul Summer Celebration

Join us for a Summer Party - details to be agreed.

Venue: Ann

### Wed 3<sup>th</sup> Sept Big Read - Connections

Read one of the following books:

Orbital by Samantha Harvey

The Invisible Women's Club by Helen Paris

Normal Women by Philippa Gregory

Venue: Colette

### Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> Sept What's in a smile

Research something to do with teeth: dentistry; archaeology, criminology, uses etc.

Venue: Cathie

### Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Oct Planning meeting

Come armed with interesting ideas for our next programme.

Venue: Caroline

### Tues 21<sup>st</sup> Oct Channel Islands

Performing arts, Art of the Channel Islands. Traditions, artists etc. What can you find out?

Venue: Rosemary

### TBA

- Cambridge Shakespeare Festival - college grounds - Dates 14<sup>th</sup> July - 30<sup>th</sup> August
- NWR Conference: Fire - Telford 5<sup>th</sup> July
- Summer walks
- Royston Cave visit

## Quotations...

*Happiness is when what you think, what you say and what you do are in harmony*  
*Mahatma Gandhi - Indian lawyer*

*If you don't have wrinkles, you haven't laughed enough.*  
*Phyllis Diller - American comedian and actress*

*It isn't what we say or think that defines us, but what we do.*  
*Jane Austen - from Sense and Sensibility, 1811*

