Dunedin has joined the many cities in the world in which a University of the Third Age has been founded

Beginning in France in the mid seventies the U3A movement has now spread to most countries and has many hundreds of thousands of members.

U3A is a response to the idea that human life is divided into three periods: firstly, childhood and schooling; secondly, child rearing and work; and thirdly retirement.

The third age is seen to provide the greatest opportunities for learning and understanding because it is during this period of retirement that the idea of a university as a community of those who seek greater understanding through learning can be put into practice.

The unique characteristics of U3A

- Learning topics are selected by the members
- Indepth courses are planned by members
- Opportunities for reading, research and discussion are provided
- Presenters/facilitators are usually members of the groups
- The company of others who enjoy learning is ensured
- The atmosphere for learning is informal and friendly
- There are no examinations
- There are no compulsory activities
- Courses take place during daylight hours
- Costs are minimal and within the reach of everybody

ADMINISTRATION

Dates: Fridays Time: 10.00-12.00 Fee: \$40.00 Tea and coffee provided

Enrolments-Numbers limited to 30

You are able to enrol in more than one programme (subject to numbers). If you wish to enrol for more than one programme, you *must indicate your choice* on the Enrolment Form.

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Venue:

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The Programme

With our 150th Otago/Southland Anniversary celebrations in mind, the programme will consider motivations and patterns of immigration, conditions prevailing, and major influences which helped shape the lives of settlers and the developing communities of Otago, with special emphasis on the years 1848 to the 1870's

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5th June

Terry Hearn Immigration Patterns of the 1860's and Beyond." 12th June Neil Borland "The Voyage Out" Judith Cranefield "Immigration, Standards Prevailing, Early Regulations" 19th June Erik Olsen "Artisans and Labourers" 26th June **Dorothy Page** "19th Century Otago Women" 3rd July Lin Phelan "Disembarkation, Distribution and Death" 10th July David McKenzie "Schooling of Great Great Grandparents and School Community Involvement" 17th July David Keen "Feeding the Lambs" (Influence of the Sunday School) 24th July Helen Frizzel "Oral History: Methodology and examples"

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