

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: 2.15-4.15pm

Fee: \$40.00

Tea and coffee provided

Enrolments

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.

To be received on or before Monday 26th May 1997.

Limited to 25 participants

Venue

All sessions are held at Salmond Hall, Knox Street in the Chapel.

Session Leader/Co-ordinator

John Newton

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THE UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

U3A

A NEW LEARNING OPTION FOR THE RETIRED

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6 June - 25th July 1997

Rodgers & Associates
Law Practice

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Enrolment Form

1st choice ___ 2nd choice ___ 3rd choice ___
Please tick appropriate spaces.

Surname: _____ M ___ F ___

Name for Name Tag: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Payment

Course Fee: \$40
Cheques payable to Rodgers and Associates

Please complete and return to:

U3A
Rodgers and Associates
P O Box 6200
Dunedin North

on or before Monday 26th May 1997

Enquiries to:

U3A Committee Member

Stan Andrews
(03) 464 0098

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The Programme

This series follows on from last year's seminars **The Making of a Nation**. It will examine and trace some of the people, technologies, events and influences which have contributed to the development of New Zealand as it is today.

The sessions will take the form of seminars which are designed to give members the opportunity to take an active part in a U3A programme. The content will be determined by members who, individually or in small groups, will select topics, carry out research, and present material to the seminar.

Topics for selection include:

People -famous or otherwise, Transport, Telecommunications, Historical events, Governments, Sports, Art, Music, Religions, Wars, Education.

Methods of presentation will include:

Lectures, Panel speakers, Invited speakers, Film or video, Discussion, Field visits.

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*6th June
13th June
20th June
27th June
4th July
11th July
18th July
25th July*

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