

THE UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

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
- In depth courses are planned by members
- Opportunities for reading, research and discussion are provided
- Presenters/facilitors 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 reach of everybody

The U3A Dunedin Charitable Trust has recently entered into a partnership with the University of Otago which will enhance their shared community of interest by continuing to provide a programme of non-credit educational courses while further utilising the expertise and resources of the University.

ADMINISTRATION

OTAGO HARBOUR: SHIPPING AND SEA TRANSPORT

Dates: July 7 to August 18

Time: 2.15 - 4.15 pm

Fee: \$40

Tea and coffee provided

Enrolments -- limited to 50

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 **mid-day**

Wednesday May 19. After the draw those who were unsuccessful will be notified by May 28.

Venue

All sessions are held in the Lecture Room, Salmond Hall, Knox Street, NE Valley.

Course Organiser

Elizabeth Timms (467 2141)

Assistant

Bill George

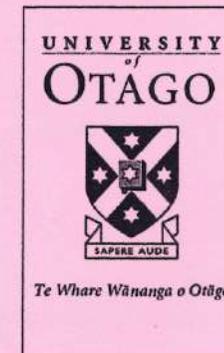
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Rodgers & Associates

Law Practice

2004.

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1st choice ___ 2nd choice ___ 3rd choice ___

Please tick appropriate spaces.

First Name for Name Tag: _____

Surname: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Payment

Course Fee: \$40

Cheques payable to Rodgers and Associates

Please complete and return to:

U3A

Rodgers and Associates

151-155 Princes St

PO Box 6200

Dunedin

on or before noon

Wednesday May 19 2004.

OTAGO HARBOUR: SHIPPING AND SEA TRANSPORT

The Programme

This programme repeats a course which was first offered in 1999, with some extra material bringing it up to date.

The history of sailing ships visiting the Otago harbour and the Otago coast from 1770 to 1860 includes detail of whaling ships and migrant ships, as well as other early traders.

From 1861 onwards saw the growth of Otago shipping and the transition from sail to steam, together with the effects of new technology such as refrigeration. The development of New Zealand owned and operated shipping companies will be discussed as well as shipping practices, the emergence of Conference Lines, the introduction of containers, and modern methods of cargo handling.

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LECTURE PROGRAMME 2004

Wednesdays 2.15 - 4.15 pm

Venue: Lecture room, Salmond Hall

- July 7 **An Overview of Shipping Visiting Otago Harbour and Coast 1770 - 1860**
Speaker: Ian Church
- July 14 **Immigrant Ships and American and French Whaling Ships**
Speaker: Ian Church
- July 21 **Otago Shipping Growth from 1861**
Speaker: Ian Farquhar
- July 28 **Main Line Trade**
Speaker: Ian Farquhar
- August 4 **The Container Revolution**
Speaker: Ian Farquhar
- August 11 **Shipping Practice**
Speaker: Ian Farquhar
- August 18 **Cargo Handling Systems**
Speaker: Ian Farquhar

RETAIN THIS PORTION -- remember your 1st choice