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### **Series 3 - 2017**

Course title: **200 Years On: Jane Austen through Text and Film**

Dates: **Tuesdays 5 September - 10 October 2017**

Time: **2:15pm - 4:15pm**

Venue: **Otago Golf Club  
125 Balmacewen Road, Dunedin**

Course fee: **\$45.** Tea and coffee provided.

(Enrolments for this course will be limited to **150**)

Course Convenor: **Alan Jackson**

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Alan Jackson has developed the course in consultation with the presenter, **Jocelyn Harris, Professor Emerita, Department of English, University of Otago**

If you would like to apply for more than one course, please rank your choices .

If you enrol via our website **please complete payment of the appropriate fees** EITHER by internet banking (include Membership No. in Reference box), OR by cheque (to: Programme Secretary, U3A Dunedin, PO Box 6491, North Dunedin 9059.)

All applications must be received by **Wednesday 9 August 2017** and you will receive a response to your application by Wednesday 16 August 2017.

Please contact the Programme Convenor ([courses@u3adunedin.org.nz](mailto:courses@u3adunedin.org.nz) ) or the Secretary ([mw.potter42@gmail.com](mailto:mw.potter42@gmail.com), 453 4721) with any queries.

**Postponements:** Check the website: [u3adunedin.org.nz](http://u3adunedin.org.nz) or listen to: The Breeze 98.2 FM — Radio Dunedin 99.8 FM — MoreFM 97.4 FM

**Please note:** no recording, photographing or videoing during any of the courses.

***Please keep this brochure as a reminder of venue, dates, and times for the courses for which you apply.***

## 200 Years On: Jane Austen through Text and Film

**Jane Austen** (1775 – 1817) was a major English novelist. This year marks the bi-centenary of her death.

The course will be presented by Professor Jocelyn Harris who has written extensively about Jane Austen and whose books are published by university presses of Oxford, Cambridge, Delaware, and Bucknell.

Course Members should do all they can to read the three texts in advance of the course.

Please do spend time on Jocelyn's personal web site:

<http://www.jocelynharris.co.nz/>

**5 September** **Jane Austen's life and times** (illustrated with photographs) and discussion

**12 September** **Film: *Bride and Prejudice***

Screenplay: Paul Mayeda Berges and Gurinder Chadha, dir. Chadha, starring Aishwarya Rai, Martin Henderson (*111 mins. Miramax & Pathé: 2004*).

**19 September** **Text: *Mansfield Park*** and discussion

**26 September** **Film: *Mansfield Park***

Screenplay and dir. Patricia Rozema, starring Frances O'Connor, Harold Pinter, Lindsay Duncan, Hugh Bonneville (*112 mins. Miramax: 1999*).

**3 October** **Text: *Persuasion*** and discussion

**10 October** **Film: *Persuasion***

Screenplay: Nick Dear, dir. Roger Michell, starring Amanda Root, Ciaran Hinds, Susan Fleetwood, Corin Redgrave, Fiona Shaw, Sophie Thompson (*127 mins. Sony: 1995*).

**Note: This film is longer than the time allocated for U3A. Members will need to decide whether to start at 2:00pm or stay until 4:30pm**

Please note also that on this date, Professor Harris will be at a conference overseas and so the film will be screened by the course convenor.