





## Wishing all our Members a Happy Christmas and a Happy and Healthy 2021 from the Committee of Holywood District U3A

Letter from your Chairperson,

I have encouraged all our Holywood at Home contributors and editors to have a break over the festive season. On your behalf I send them our thanks for producing an excellent monthly magazine for us all to enjoy.

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It's a good time for of and to have a well-earned rest in their 'seasonal

We have reinstated our Monthly General Meetings in November with a very successful presentation from Sue McKay, a Blue Badge Guide, taking us on a virtual guided tour from East Belfast to Holywood. We visited places we all knew or recognised and picked up interesting facts and history along the way.

December's General Meeting on 15 December is an online talk with fun facts relating to Christmas, then a 15 minute break to make your coffee and heat up a mince pie ready to settle in your comfy chair, and join up via Zoom for some chat with fellow U3A members.

Please save Tuesday 19th January at 10.30am for a slim-line AGM and a presenta from Dot Blakely entitled 'Overwintering Birds'.

Keep an eye on our Newsletter and your monthly email for information on these events. Who knew that so many of us would add virtual conferencing to our skill sets this year! It's good to see Interest Groups and Talks flourishing and members meeting up again even though it is through the power of Zoom.

There is also a wide variety of activities coming from the national U3A Office ... have a look at their Winter Programme on our website.

Let's look forward to lots of opportunities to 'Learn Laugh Live' together. The Committee hope you have an Enjoyable and Safe Christmas and Wish You Well in 2021.

With my Best Wishes,

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