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## How to enrol

For details of how to enrol please see central pages.

## Contacting us

For local information, please ring the contact named under each branch in this brochure. Our branch contacts are volunteers and you may not get an immediate response to your call. However, if you leave a message, the volunteer will call you back. For other information, ring WEA staff as below.

### WEA office for Leicester Branch 0116 2519740

WEA office, Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester LE1 4LB  
Email: amiles@wea.org.uk  
Office open Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 9am–2pm + answer phone

### WEA office for Leicestershire & Quest House, Loughborough 01509 268636

WEA office, Quest House, Loughborough University School of Art & Design, Loughborough LE11 3TU  
Email: srogers@wea.org.uk  
Office open Mon–Thurs 9am–3pm, Fri 9am–1.30pm + answer phone

### For brochure of our classes at Hinckley Road centre in Leicester contact 0116 2556614

101 Hinckley Road, Leicester LE3 0TD  
Email: mhyams@wea.org.uk  
Office open 9am–5pm Mon to Fri.



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## GENERAL INFORMATION

<b>Help choosing a course</b>	If you need advice, ring your local WEA office (see page 1) where staff can help you choose right course. You can also speak to your tutor at the first class to ensure you are happy with your choice.
<b>Help with extra learning needs</b>	If you have a disability or extra learning needs, we will try to help. It's best to ask as soon as you can so we can make plans before you start a course. Ring your local WEA office.
<b>Help to plan your next step</b>	If you need advice, talk to your tutor about further opportunities. For more information on learning, please ask for our Services for Learners leaflet. You can also ring the Careers Advice Service on 0800 100 900 for advice on learning opportunities.
<b>Help with fees</b>	If you're on an income-related benefit, courses are free. You can also claim for help with essential books and equipment, field trips, travel and childcare from our Learner Support Fund. If you're not on benefit but have a gross household income of under £15,276 a year you may also qualify for help. Help from the fund is limited to three courses a year. For details, ring the appropriate WEA office.
<b>Evidence of benefit status</b>	Please send evidence of your benefit status to the branch contact or local WEA office if you claim a fee concession (or bring it to the first class).
<b>Field trips</b>	Some courses will have trips as part of the course, which may incur extra costs. Depending on length, the visits will count as one or two class meetings. We regret that if you don't go on these visits you cannot reclaim the tutorial cost.
<b>Refunds</b>	If you withdraw from a course before the third meeting you will receive a refund less a charge for administration. No refund of fees will be given after the third meeting. If we cancel the course you will receive a full refund.
<b>Young people under 16</b>	We are funded to provide education for people of 16 (as of 31 August 2009) or over only.
<b>Photocopying</b>	Many tutors may make a charge for students' photocopies.

<b>Materials &amp; equipment</b>	The cost of materials and equipment is not included in the class fees. This may include art materials, books and specialist clothing.
<b>If things need to be put right</b>	If you feel there is a problem, please talk to us first so that we have a chance to put things right. Contact the appropriate WEA office (see page 1). If you are still not satisfied, please ask our staff for a copy of our Complaints Procedure.

## **ABOUT THE WEA**

<b>Educational charity</b>	The WEA is one of the UK's biggest charities, whose purpose is to interest people in their own education throughout their lives. It is committed to equality of opportunity and inclusive learning.
<b>Local WEA branches</b>	There are WEA branches over the East Midlands. As a WEA student you can become a member of the WEA and help to organise a local branch programme, along with other events.
<b>A wide range of general studies</b>	The WEA offers a variety of courses of general interest that are open to all adults. You don't need any qualification to join most of our courses – just an interest and willingness to learn.
<b>Classes for priority learners</b>	We run classes for people living in disadvantaged communities, often in partnership with community organisations. We also put on courses for lower-paid workers in the public sector.
<b>Skills for life</b>	We offer help with English, Maths or study skills for learners on any course. For details, ask your tutor or ring our office.

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We can supply this brochure in large print, electronically or through the post. Enrolment guidance and Services for Learners leaflets are available in certain community languages on request. Please ring your WEA office.

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## ASHBY AND COALVILLE BRANCH

**Contact:** WEA Secretary, 118 Ashburton Rd, Hugglescote, Coalville LE67 2HB  
**Telephone:** 01530 837662

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Ashby de la Zouch Branch**

### 1. Medieval buildings

A look at castles, manor houses, towns and villages of medieval England and what happened to them and their communities during the crisis years of the mid-14th century (The Black Death). The church and cathedral will also be examined, along with barns, fish-stews, dovecotes and monastic buildings. We'll conclude in the 15th century with the replacement of the old Plantagenet order with the new Tudor dynasty.

**Tutor** Colin Groves

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Ashby de la Zouch Museum, North Street, Ashby de la Zouch LE65 1HU

**Date** Tuesday 2.15–3.45pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 2. The LMS (London Midland Scottish) Railway 1923–47

Britain's largest railway company ran trains over the Midlands and from Bournemouth to Wick. We will look at its inheritance, finances, re-structuring under Lord Stamp, traffic and services, locomotives and rolling stock, its ultimate success, the effects of wartime and nationalisation. Looking at local areas, we will use archive material, film and models to interest railway and social historians.

**Tutor** Martin Bloxsom

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Christchurch Church Rooms, London Road, Coalville LE67 3JA

**Date** Wednesday 7.30–9pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

## BIRSTALL AND ROTHLEY BRANCH

**Contact:** Franca Freeman, WEA Secretary

**Telephone:** 0116 2362566      **Email:** [francafreeman@hotmail.com](mailto:francafreeman@hotmail.com)

OR

Send your enrolments to WEA Treasurer, 35 Seagrave Road, Sileby LE12 7TN

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Birstall & Rothley Branch**

**Visit our website!** [www.birstallandrothleywea.org.uk](http://www.birstallandrothleywea.org.uk)

### 3. The English country house

For hundreds of years, the English country house dominated the architectural scene. It was a family home, an administrative centre, a place of sport and pleasure, and a place for hospitality. Concentrating on the best examples throughout Britain, this class will examine timber-framed, stone and brick buildings from the medieval and Tudor era down to the Georgians and Victorians.

**Tutor** Colin Groves

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** The Rothley Centre, 12 Mountsorrel Lane, Rothley LE7 7PR

**Date** Tuesday 10–11.30am, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 4. Afternoon Tai Chi

With daily practice, the soft flowing movements of Tai Chi strengthen the body, promoting stress reduction and well-being. One posture of the 24 sequential movements of the form is taught each week. Please wear loose clothing and flat-soled shoes.

**Tutor** Laraine Tucker

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** Birstall Methodist Church Rooms, 40 Wanlip Lane, Birstall LE4 4JS

**Date** Tuesday 12.45–2.45pm, 11 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 5. Art and Expressionism

From El Greco to van Gogh to Jackson Pollock, this course explores the many and different ways art is deemed 'expressionist' – art that is intended to move us, that raises subjective feeling over objective observation. No previous knowledge is necessary – just a lively, open-minded interest in art!

**Tutor** Janis Baker

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** The Rothley Centre, 12 Mountsorrel Lane, Rothley LE7 7PR

**Date** Wednesday 7.15–9.15pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

## BROUGHTON ASTLEY

**Contact:** WEA Office, Quest House, Loughborough University School of Art & Design, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Telephone:** 01509 268636      **Email:** srogers@wea.org.uk

Please make cheques payable to **WEA East Midlands Region**

### 6. Moving on in ICT

For those who are more confident in using a PC and who want to explore what different software can do. Find out more about word processing, spreadsheets, charts and databases. You will learn more about organising your own files, as well as practising your internet and email skills.

**Tutor** Janet Groome

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Thomas Estley Community College, Station Road, Broughton Astley LE9 6PT

**Date** Monday 9.30–11.30am, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

### 7. Family history on the net

See how much you can learn about your family history in this introductory course. We will trawl official records available via the internet to trace your family roots. No knowledge of computing necessary. Whilst there is no cost incurred you will need a valid credit or debit card in order to access the records.

**Tutor** John Roberts

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Thomas Estley Community College, Station Road, Broughton Astley LE9 6PT

**Date** Tuesday 7–9pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 8. Computing for the terrified

What is a mouse? How do I search on the internet or send an email? This course will introduce you to the basics of using a computer. Learn how to email your friends and use the internet to look for information on, for example, travel or shopping.

**Tutor** Janet Groome

**Fee** £29 (concessions A £26.10, B Free)

**Venue** Broughton Astley Library, 68A Main Street, Broughton Astley LE9 6RD

**Date** Wednesday 1–3pm, 5 meetings from 13 January 2010

### 9. Computing for the not so terrified

A chance for those who have some knowledge of a PC, the internet and email to develop their skills. Become more confident in using the internet to find out information to use in your daily life. Set up an address book so you can email all your friends. Find out how to organise your files and learn how to create simple posters and cards.

**Tutor** Janet Groome

**Fee** £29 (concessions A £26.10, B Free)

**Venue** Broughton Astley Library, 68A Main Street, Broughton Astley LE9 6RD

**Date** Wednesday 1–3pm, 5 meetings from 24 February 2010

## CASTLE DONINGTON BRANCH

**Contact:** Ann Argyle, 49 Cordwell Close, Castle Donington DE74 2JL  
**Telephone:** 01332 812497

Please make cheques payable to **WEA East Midlands Region**

### 10. Domesday – an East Midland focus

After the stability under King Edward the Peaceable (943–975), England again descended into the chaos of conflict between Saxon and Dane, only for both to be crushed by William of Normandy after his 1066 invasion. The course will use the Domesday survey and other evidence to see how our local area fared in the period up to and after Hastings.

**Tutor** David Taylor

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Castle Donington Community College, Mount Pleasant DE74 2LN

**Date** Wednesday 7.30–9pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

## HUSBANDS BOSWORTH BRANCH

**Contact:** Sally Sherratt, WEA Secretary, 2 Chambers Row, West Street, Welford, Northants NN6 6HA

**Telephone:** 01858 571064

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Husbands Bosworth Branch**

### 11. The English country house and the landed gentry

The English country house has developed from the Middle Ages from a place of residence into a functional institution and as a monument of political, cultural and economic power. It was always more than a 'house in the country' and at its peak it functioned as a local power base for noble and gentry families. This course will examine that process, particularly as it affected the landed gentry.

**Tutor** Aubrey Newman

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Belgrave Village Hall, Church Street, North Kilworth LE17 6LT

**Date** Wednesday 10.15–11.45am, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

## LEICESTER WEA BRANCH AT VAUGHAN COLLEGE

**Contact:** WEA, Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Telephone:** 0116 251 9740      **Email:** amiles@wea.org.uk

*Cherry Heinrich / Amanda Miles*

*Open Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri 9am to 2pm (+ answerphone)*

*Leicester Branch Secretary: Pat Parkin-Moore*

### Course enrolments

Send postal enrolment form (see centre pages) and fee (no cash) to WEA at Vaughan College. If the fee for a course is more than £60 you can pay by two cheques when you enrol. One cheque, for half the amount due, should be currently dated, the other for the balance may be post-dated two months later.

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Leicester Branch**. If you would like a receipt please send a stamped addressed envelope.

### 12. European political ideas 1875–1925

The political ideas developed in the 50 years covered by the course include socialism, communism, anarchism, fascism, modern liberalism and modern conservative ideas which still shape politics today. We will consider thinkers including Lenin and Luxemburg, Maitland and Pareto, T H Green and Kropotkin. Participants are invited to listen and debate but not necessarily agree!

**Tutor** Bettina Lange

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Monday 10.15am–12.15pm, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

### 13. Wildlife on your doorstep

A course for beginners, as well as those with some experience, who want to improve their knowledge of conservation and wildlife identification. A new theme is chosen each term: the focus this term will be ponds and streams. Students will have opportunities to sample and identify aquatic plants and animals as well as learn about managing ponds for conservation. Three classroom sessions and three longer field sessions.

**Tutor** Rupert Simms

**Fee** £39.15 (concessions A £35.25, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Monday 10.30am–noon, 6 meetings from 1 February 2010

#### 14. The age of Disraeli and Gladstone: an East Midlands focus

Victoria's empire was reaching its zenith and the industrial revolution finally caught up with Leicester, with all its associated health and social problems. From the slums of Wharf Street to upmarket Highfields, discover how our local area fared in the mid to late 19th century.

**Tutor** Dave Taylor

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Monday 1.30–3pm, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

#### 15. Child development and psychology

Research tells us much about the fascinating ways in which infants develop into small children. We will explore theories of child development, the development of the senses as well as language and memory and the importance of cultural differences.

**Tutor** Freddie Ballington

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Tuesday 10.30am–12.30pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

#### 16. Tai Chi

Tai Chi has been credited with many health benefits. Repeated scientific studies have shown improvements in lower body strength, balance and blood pressure along with a reduction in stress. This course explains the slow rhythmical movements of the Yang 24 form and focuses upon a 15-minute Tai Chi sequence suitable for beginners and improvers of any age and initial level of fitness.

**Tutor** David Lear

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Tuesday 1–3pm, 11 meetings from 12 January 2010

#### 17. Six centuries of love poetry

We will use *The New Faber Book of Love Poems* to explore love poems with a variety of mood from love-struck to disillusioned, dating from Sir Thomas Wyatt, writing in the reign of Elizabeth I, to Simon Armitage, writing during the reign of Elizabeth II. Unusually, rather than taking a chronological approach, the poems are arranged alphabetically by poet ensuring a lively mix of styles and historical context.

**Tutor** Julia Pritchard

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Tuesday 1.30–3.30 pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

## LEICESTER WEA BRANCH (continued)

### 18. Catching the light

Explore the dynamic concept of light in art and some of the experiments with its representation – as a form of energy, as pattern and so on – in the work of a range of artists including Monet, van Rysselburghe, Delaunay and Boccioni. No previous knowledge required.

**Tutor** Janis Baker

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Tuesday 1.30–3 pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 19. Current affairs

This course examines the issues which underlie the news of the week, drawing on a variety of materials including the public media and informal sources such as the internet. It is a forum for discussion which invites students to participate actively and contribute from their own knowledge and experience.

**Tutor** Hardeep Basra

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Wednesday 10.30am–12.30 pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

### 20. Smetana and Dvořák

With their colourful mixture of exciting dance rhythms and poignant emotions, Smetana and Dvořák put Czech music on the map in the 19th century. Join us to explore a wide range of their work – from symphonies and operas to chamber music and pieces for solo piano – and consider their legacy to later Czech composers.

**Tutor** Mike Wheeler

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Wednesday 2–3.30pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

### 21. Muslim civilisation and the West: past and present

Trace the history and development of a global Islamic civilization from medieval times. Explore its influence on the western world in science, philosophy, theology and the arts. Examine contemporary post-Islamic civilisation, including the rise of fundamentalism. How did Islam reach such heights and then decline?

**Tutor** Asaf Hussain

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Thursday 10.30am–12.30pm, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

## 22. War and peace: Leicester 1914–1950

How and why did Leicester change between the Great War and the mid 20th century? We will consider the impact of World War 1, including the contribution of women and the treatment of conscientious objectors, how Leicester fared during the 1920s and 30s before facing the challenge of another war, and the early years of the post-war welfare state.

**Tutor** Cynthia Brown

**Fee** £34.80 (concessions A £31.30, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Thursday 1.30–3pm, 8 meetings from 14 January 2010

## 23. Break into song

Learn to sing songs ancient and modern from Britain and around the world in sweet harmony. You don't need to be able to read music or to have any experience.

**Tutor** Willow Songsmith

**Fee** £46.40 (concessions A £41.75, B Free)

**Venue** Vaughan College, St Nicholas Circle, Leicester, LE1 4LB

**Date** Friday 10.30am–12.30pm, 8 meetings from 22 January 2010

## LEICESTER WEA: OTHER CITY VENUES

**Contact:** Cherry Heinrich / Amanda Miles, WEA, St. Nicholas Circle, Leicester LE1 4LB

**Telephone:** 0116 251 9740

**Email:** amiles@wea.org.uk

Send postal enrolment form (see centre pages) and fee (no cash) to WEA at Vaughan College. If the fee for a course is more than £60 you can pay by two cheques when you enrol. One cheque, for half the amount due, should be currently dated, the other for the balance may be post-dated two months later.

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Leicester Branch**. If you would like a receipt please send a stamped addressed envelope.

## 24. Murder and mystery in the East Midlands

Experience the darker side of the local past. From the Witches of Belvoir to the Green Bike Murder, death in Sileby churchyard to the tale of Herbert Mills, who planned the perfect murder. You will be the jury, in cases solved and unsolved, meeting the villains, following the stories which brought a shudder through the East Midlands. Chilling tales for dark winter days!

**Tutor** Dave Jones

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Great Meeting Unitarian Chapel, 45 East Bond Street, Leicester, LE1 4SX

**Date** Monday 10.30am–noon, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

## LEICESTER WEA: OTHER CITY VENUES (continued)

### 25. Three Romantic poets

Wordsworth, Keats and Coleridge are generally grouped together as Romantics. But what was Romanticism? And how much in common did these poets really have? We will learn about the dramatic lives of these great writers and consider some of their best known (and lesser known) poems. The accent will be on free discussion and enjoyment through understanding. No prior knowledge assumed!

**Tutor** John Florance **Fee** £34.80 (concessions A £31.30, B Free)

**Venue** Great Meeting Unitarian Chapel, 45 East Bond Street, Leicester, LE1 4SX

**Date** Monday 1.30–3.30pm, 6 meetings from 11 January 2010

### 26. Sing out those Blues

Come along and learn to sing a range of songs that have one thing in common – they all swing! From high-energy Jazz to soulful Doo-wop, with some Blues and World and even some improvisation thrown in, we will sing both a *cappella* and with backing. You don't need to have previous experience of singing or be able to read music.

**Tutor** Willow Songsmith **Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Holbrook Memorial Hall, Holbrook Road Knighton, Leicester, LE2 3LF

**Date** Monday 7.30–9.30pm, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

### 27. Politics, reformers and religious fanatics in 16th century England

Religion was at the heart of people's lives in 16th century England. The revolutionary changes in Europe inspired by Luther, Zwingli and Calvin had a resounding impact on the way people in England worshipped and on the fabric of church buildings themselves. This course will deal with the fascinating mixture of religious and political motives which characterised this epoch.

**Tutor** Dave Taylor **Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** St Chad's Parish Centre, Coleman Road, Leicester, LE5 4LH

**Date** Tuesday 10–11.30am, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 28. Gateways to the past

Explore and record the history of the Newarke area of Leicester and develop your skills in historical research. Ranging from the medieval to the present, including the Civil War, and from the Museum itself to religious and charitable foundations, schools, colleges and De Montfort University, local businesses and residents, homes for orphaned and 'fallen' girls. With local legends and customs such as Black Annis and the Whipping Toms, there's something for everyone! No research experience necessary. This course began in Sept 2009 but there may be spaces for newcomers.

**Tutor** Cynthia Brown **Fee** £46.40 (concessions A £41.75, B Free)

**Venue** Newarke Houses Museum, The Newarke, Leicester, LE2 7BY

**Date** Tuesday 10.15am–12.15pm, 8 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 29. Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a slow-moving holistic exercise. With consistent daily practice, the soft flowing movements strengthen the body, promoting stress reduction and well-being. The 24 movements of the form are sequential, one moving posture of the set pattern is taught each week. Please wear loose clothing and flat-soled shoes.

**Tutor** Laraine Tucker **Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Belgrave Neighbourhood Centre, Rothley Street, Leicester, LE4 6LF

**Date** Tuesday 7–9pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 30. Tai Chi

Tai Chi has been credited with many health benefits. Repeated scientific studies have shown improvements in lower body strength, balance and blood pressure along with a reduction in stress. This course explains the slow rhythmical movements of the Yang 24 form and focuses upon a 15-minute Tai Chi sequence suitable for beginners and improvers of any age and initial level of fitness.

**Tutor** David Lear **Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** Holbrook Memorial Hall, Holbrook Road Knighton, Leicester, LE2 3LF

**Date** Tuesday 7.30–9.30pm, 11 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 31. Into darkest England

For those new to social history. The course draws on a range of topics, using both national and local sources, to explore the challenges and attitudes of the Victorian and Edwardian worlds. From epidemics to entertainment, pollution to women's rights, crime to art, discover the reality of ordinary lives and its legacy.

**Tutor** Dave Jones **Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Great Meeting Unitarian Chapel, 45 East Bond Street, Leicester, LE1 4SX

**Date** Tuesday 7.30–9pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 32. Archaeology: fabulous treasures and great discoveries

From Tutankhamun's tomb to the lost city of Pompeii, from the Rosetta Stone to the Sutton Hoo ship burial, archaeology is the story of fabulous treasures and great discoveries. Join us as we find out more about these wonders of the ancient world. Everyone welcome; no previous knowledge assumed.

**Tutor** Stephanie Vann **Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Great Meeting Unitarian Chapel, 45 East Bond Street, Leicester, LE1 4SX

**Date** Wednesday 1.30–3.30pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

## LEICESTER WEA: OTHER CITY VENUES (continued)

### 33. Beyond the classical playlist

Many people are fond of popular classics – the 1812 *Overture*, *Eine Kleine Nachtmusik*, the *Pearl Fishers* duet and so on. But Tchaikovski, Mozart, Bizet and the rest composed huge quantities of other music worth listening to. The course will fill out knowledge of the lives of some of the great composers and introduce you to some of their great music compositions which do not find a place on the Classic FM playlist.

**Tutor** John Florance

**Fee** £34.80 (concessions A £31.30, B Free)

**Venue** Great Meeting Unitarian Chapel, 45 East Bond Street, Leicester, LE1 4SX

**Date** Wednesday 7–9pm, 6 meetings from 13 January 2010

### 34. Arabic for women

This course aims to introduce beginners to the Arabic language, and students with previous knowledge of Arabic to a basic vocabulary for everyday conversation, correct pronunciation and writing. The course will provide students with a good opportunity to read, write and speak Arabic in a comfortable atmosphere.

**Tutor** Awatif El-Fayoumi

**Fee** £52.20 (concessions A £47, B Free)

**Venue** Highfields Centre, 96 Melbourne Road, Leicester, LE2 0DS

**Date** Thursday 10am–noon, 9 meetings from 14 January 2010

### 35. Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a slow-moving holistic exercise. With consistent daily practice, the soft flowing movements strengthen the body, promoting stress reduction and well-being. The 24 movements of the form are sequential, one moving posture of the set pattern is taught each week. Please wear loose clothing and flat-soled shoes.

**Tutor** Laraine Tucker

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** Mayflower Methodist Church, Ethel Road, Leicester, LE5 5ND

**Date** Thursday 10am–noon, 11 meetings from 14 January 2010

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### Learner Support Fund

*If you need help with your fees and have a gross annual household income of under £15,276 you can apply to our Learner Support Fund. Ring your local WEA office.*

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# ENROLMENT DETAILS

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**To enrol, complete and post the form overleaf**

## HOW TO ENROL

### 1. Enrolling by post

- Postal enrolments received before the course start will be dealt with first.
- Complete the form opposite and post it with fee (no cash please) to the contact shown under the relevant branch or student group.
- If you enrol for courses at more than one branch or group, use separate forms for each. Do not put courses from more than one branch on the same form.
- Make cheques/postal orders payable to the branch account as detailed in the brochure entry. Enclose a stamped addressed envelope if you want a receipt.
- If the fee for a course is more than £60 you can pay by two cheques when you enrol. One cheque, for half the amount due, should be currently dated, the other for the balance may be post-dated two months later.

### 2. Enrolling by phone

You may be able to enrol by phone for some courses. Please ring branch contact.

### 3. Enrolling at first class

If there are vacancies after postal and phone enrolments, you can enrol at the first class. Please come 15 minutes before class start.

## FEE CONCESSIONS

### ***Concession A: you may claim this concession if you are:***

- Receiving any of: Incapacity Benefit, Invalid Care Allowance, Severe Disablement Allowance, Disability Living Allowance, Attendance Allowance
- A full fee-payer attending two or more courses at the same time. In this case, the full fee is payable for the longest course

### ***Concession B: if you receive any of these benefits, you will not pay a fee:***

- Jobseeker's Allowance (income or contribution based)
- Income Support
- Employment and Support Allowance (income-related)
- Working Tax Credit, with a household income below £15,276 a year
- Housing Benefit
- Council Tax Benefit (but not Council Tax discounts)
- Pension Guarantee Credit only
- Asylum seekers in receipt of a letter from Asylum Support (AS) and who have been in the UK legally for six months
- If you are an unwaged dependant (as defined by Job Centre Plus) of someone who receives the income-related benefits listed you will not pay a fee
- 16-18 years old (as of 31.8.09) will not pay a fee

## Form for postal enrolment

TO:.....(Contact name for WEA) at.....Branch

Please enrol me on the following courses:

Fee

Course no..... Title.....

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Concession code (A or B)..... Fee enclosed: .....

NAME: Mr, Mrs, Miss, Ms .....

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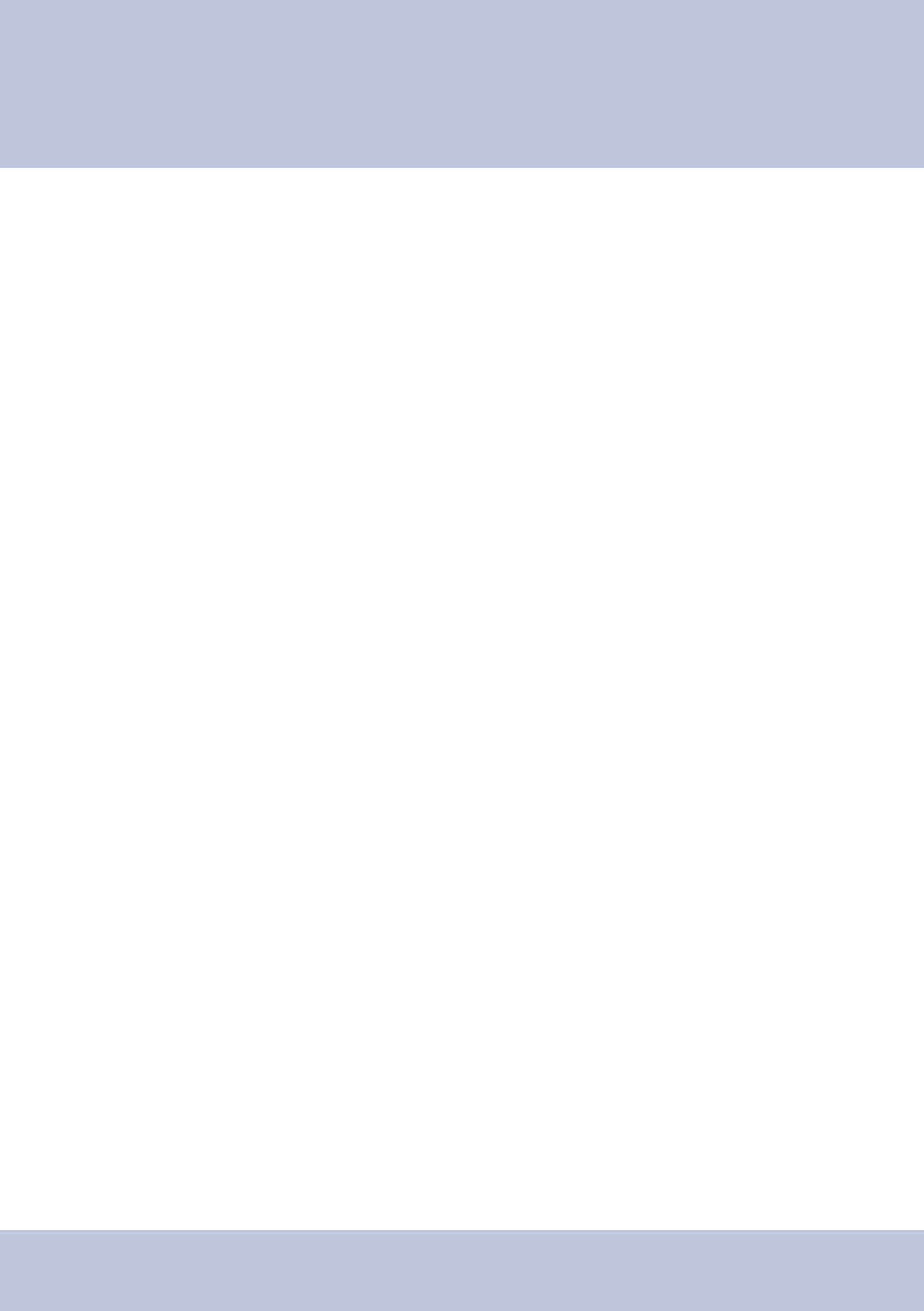
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## LEICESTER WEA: WIGSTON

**Contact:** Cherry Heinrich / Amanda Miles, WEA, St. Nicholas Circle, Leicester LE1 4LB

**Telephone:** 0116 251 9740      **Email:** amiles@wea.org.uk

Send postal enrolment form (see centre pages) and fee (no cash) to WEA at Vaughan College. If the fee for a course is more than £60 you can pay by two cheques when you enrol. One cheque, for half the amount due, should be currently dated, the other for the balance may be post-dated two months later.

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Leicester Branch**. If you would like a receipt, please send a stamped addressed envelope.

### 36. Tai Chi

Tai Chi has been credited with many health benefits. Repeated scientific studies have shown improvements in lower body strength, balance and blood pressure along with a reduction in stress. This course explains the slow rhythmical movements of the Yang 24 form and focuses upon a 15-minute Tai Chi sequence suitable for beginners and improvers of any age and initial level of fitness.

**Tutor** David Lear

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** United Reformed Church, Long Street, Wigston, LE18 2AJ

**Date** Wednesday 10am–noon, 11 meetings from 13 January 2010

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## LOUGHBOROUGH COMMUNITY COURSE PROGRAMME

**Contact:** Cherry Heinrich / Amanda Miles, WEA, St. Nicholas Circle, Leicester LE1 4LB

**Telephone:** 0116 251 9740      **Email:** cheinrich@wea.org.uk

This course is designed specifically for people with visual impairment. Please contact Cherry Heinrich for further information.

### 37. Drama for people with visual impairment

Enjoy a series of workshops that are stimulating as well as fun. We will use the different aspects associated with drama such as improvisation, characterisation and creative movement to develop both confidence and interactive skills. No previous experience is needed to enjoy this participatory class. Workshop dates are 23 January, 27 February and 27 March. Please bring a packed lunch.

**Tutor** David Mumford and Kate Beer

**Fee** Free

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough, LE11 3TU

**Date** Saturdays 10am–4pm, 3 meetings from 23 January 2010

## LOUGHBOROUGH BRANCH

**Contact:** WEA Office, Quest House, Loughborough University School of Art and Design, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Telephone:** 01509 268636      **Email:** srogers@wea.org.uk

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Loughborough Branch**  
Credit card payments accepted by phone

### 38. Enjoying short stories

Murder, mystery, and magic – all part of the variety and versatility of the short stories we'll explore. If you feel inspired you'll be encouraged to have a go at writing one yourself! We'll use *The Penguin Book of Modern British Short Stories* (ed. Malcolm Bradbury), which includes stories by Elizabeth Bowen, Kazuo Ishiguro and Beryl Bainbridge. You need your own copy of this anthology but it is not essential for the first meeting.

**Tutor** Sue Love

**Fee** £46.40 (concessions A £41.75, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Monday 10am–noon, 8 meetings from 18 January 2010

### 39. Drawing: traditional and experimental

This course covers a wide range of approaches. Traditional techniques such as cross hatching and perspective contrast with more experimental work using unusual surfaces and materials. Suitable for both beginners and returning learners.

**Tutor** Erica Middleton

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Monday 1.30–3.30pm, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

### 40. Writing detective fiction

Do you want to be the next Colin Dexter or Ian Rankin? This course will give you the basics of writing detective fiction: plotting, structure, dialogue, characters plus creating suspense. You should have a reasonable standard of English.

**Tutor** Martyn Carey

**Fee** £29 (concessions A £26.10, B Free)

**Venue** John Storer House, Wards End, Loughborough LE11 3HA

**Date** Tuesday 9.30–11.30am, 5 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 41. Writing science fiction

If the world of 'what if' is where you want to be, this course will teach you how to create exciting science fiction. We will cover character, dialogue, settings and making speculation believable. You should have a reasonable standard of English.

**Tutor** Martyn Carey

**Fee** £29 (concessions A £26.10, B Free)

**Venue** John Storer House, Wards End, Loughborough LE11 3HA

**Date** Tuesday 9.30–11.30am, 5 meetings from 23 February 2010

### 42. Life drawing

Explore a range of experimental drawing techniques and media, working directly from a nude model. In some sessions, you will be encouraged to exploit unconventional techniques and media. Beginners are welcome. There will be an extra course charge of about £17 to cover the models' fees.

**Tutor** Erica Middleton

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Tuesday 9.45–11.45am, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 43. Drawing from nature in mixed media

We will look at the bare plant forms of winter and explore a variety of media to describe their shapes, textures and subtle colours. The course aims to develop observational skills and build confidence in handling different media, including pencil, pen and wash, watercolour pencils and watercolours. All abilities welcome.

**Tutor** Sally Hill

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Wednesday 9.45am–12.15pm, 8 meetings from 13 January 2010

## LOUGHBOROUGH BRANCH (continued)

### 44. Elgar and his British contemporaries

The figure of Elgar dominates a significant period of British music. But what of contemporaries like Sullivan, Parry, Stanford and Bantock and the younger composers he encouraged, such as Coleridge-Taylor, Bliss and Howells? Join us to explore some of Elgar's work in the context of music by his friends and colleagues.

**Tutor** Mike Wheeler

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Wednesday 10.30am–noon, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

### 45. Watercolour painting

This course explores a range of watercolour techniques from the basic to more experimental approaches. It is designed to improve existing skills, build confidence and encourage experimentation. Demonstrations and discussion are supported with examples of artists' work. For those with experience but new learners are also welcome.

**Tutor** Jo Sheppard

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Wednesday 12.45–2.45pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

### 46. The English nobility

We will look at the way in which the English upper classes evolved from a social, quasi-military group into an hereditary titled class, and acquired such political rights as a seat in the House of Lords. We will examine parallels with equivalent social groups in Europe and discuss how far the removal of political powers will affect the nature of 'nobility'.

**Tutor** Aubrey Newman

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Wednesday 2–3.30pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

### 47. Greater enjoyment in geology

Walking in the countryside and the urban environment can both be enriched by understanding the 'rocky' nature of their origins. We shall see how a study of geology can open doors to a fuller appreciation of our environment. Field trips may be arranged in consultation with the students. All welcome.

**Tutor** Gerry Shaw

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Wednesday 7–9pm, 10 meetings from 13 January 2010

#### 48. Wars of the Roses

War, murder and romance – all featured in the 15th century dynastic struggle we now label as the Wars of the Roses. Four kings lost their thrones and over 40 nobles met violent ends. This course will explore the historical background to the wars, the intriguing personalities involved and the everyday lives of ordinary people at the time.

**Tutor** Richard Smith **Fee** £46.40 (concessions A £41.75, B Free)

**Venue** Rawlins Community College, Loughborough Road, Quorn LE12 8DY

**Date** Wednesday 7–9pm, 8 meetings from 20 January 2010

#### 49. Landscape painting

This oils and acrylics course caters for beginners and returning learners. There is some art historical input, introducing different approaches to landscape painting. Beginners will be offered a structured syllabus. Returning learners will be taught more individually and adventurously, and will benefit from individuals giving presentations of work in progress.

**Tutor** Erica Middleton **Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Thursday 9.45–11.45am, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

#### 50. Get into IT

What is a mouse? How do I search on the internet or send an email? This relaxed course for mature learners will introduce you to the basics of using a computer. Find out how to use the internet to look for information on, for example, travel or shopping, and learn how to produce a simple Word document.

**Tutor** Heather Cake **Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Burleigh Community College, Thorpe Hill, Loughborough LE11 4SQ

**Date** Thursday 10am–noon, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

● *Going further in IT* is planned for Summer 2010

#### 51. Creative stitch

Explore the creative potential of textiles in this enjoyable class. We will experiment with a wide variety of hand-sewn techniques including fabric manipulation, appliqué and stitch. Suitable for textile artists, embroiderers, quilters, dressmakers and anyone else with a love of textiles. All skill levels welcome. Fees do not include the costs of materials.

**Tutor** Moira Ackers **Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Thursday 1–3pm, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

## LOUGHBOROUGH BRANCH (continued)

### 52. Catching the light

Explore the dynamic concept of light in art and some of the experiments with its representation – as a form of energy, as pattern and so on – in the work of artists including Monet, Seurat, Delaunay and Boccioni. No previous knowledge required.

**Tutor** Janis Baker

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Thursday 1.30–3pm, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

### 53. Tap dancing

Discover the skill of tap dancing and work your way up from the basics. Learn the terminology and all the steps. It is a great way to keep fit whilst learning a new skill from a teacher who has worked with top choreographers in the industry.

**Tutor** Robyn Antcliffe

**Fee** £39.15 (concessions A £35.25, B Free)

**Venue** to be advised

**Date** Thursday 6.30–8pm, 9 meetings from 21 January 2010

### 54. Planets, stars and galaxies

The first few months of 2010 will provide a good opportunity to view the planets – but what do we know about conditions on these bodies? How do the stars we see at night compare with our Sun? How many stars are there in our Milky Way galaxy? How many galaxies in the observable universe? Come along and be truly amazed!

**Tutor** Ann Bonell

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Thursday 7–9pm, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

### 55. Murder and mystery in the East Midlands

Experience the darker side of the local past, from the Witches of Belvoir to the Green Bike Murder, death in Sileby churchyard to the tale of Herbert Mills, who planned the perfect murder. In cases both solved and unsolved, you will be the jury.

**Tutor** David Jones

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Burleigh Community College, Thorpe Hill, Loughborough LE11 4SQ

**Date** Thursday 7–9pm, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

### 56. Tai Chi

Scientific studies have shown Tai Chi improves lower body strength, balance and blood pressure and reduces stress. This course explains the slow rhythmical movements of the Yang 24 form and focuses upon a 15 minute sequence suitable for beginners and improvers of any age and initial level of fitness. Wear loose clothing and flat-soled shoes.

**Tutor** David Lear

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** Woodbrook Vale High School, Grasmere Road, Loughborough LE11 2ST

**Date** Thursday 7–9pm, 11 meetings from 14 January 2010

## 57. Art and Expressionism

From El Greco to van Gogh to Jackson Pollock, this course explores the many and different ways art is deemed 'expressionist' – art that is intended to move us, that raises subjective feeling over objective observation. No previous knowledge necessary – just a lively, open-minded interest in art!

**Tutor** Janis Baker

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Thursday 7.15–8.45pm, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

## 58. The Etruscans

An introduction to a civilisation which preceded and influenced that of Rome whilst still remaining something of a mystery. Recent work on unplundered archaeological sites has revealed something of their excellent tomb paintings, decorative mirrors and enigmatic language, still largely undeciphered. The aim of this class will be to unlock some of the secrets of a society both settled and highly sophisticated.

**Tutor** Colin Groves

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Date** Friday 9.45–11.15am, 10 meetings from 15 January 2010

## 59. Tai Chi

For description of the course, please see course no. 56.

**Tutor** David Lear

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** John Storer House, Wards End, Loughborough LE11 3HA

**Date** Friday 10am–noon, 11 meetings from 15 January 2010

## 60. Tai Chi

For description of the course, please see course no. 56.

**Tutor** David Lear

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** John Storer House, Wards End, Loughborough LE11 3HA

**Date** Friday 1–3pm, 11 meetings from 15 January 2010

## QUEST HOUSE TALKS

All talks 7.15–8.45pm: booking essential

**Fee** £6 (concession B Free)

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| <b>62. Ignored invasions: lesser-known incursions of Britain since 1066</b> | Nick Marshall | Fri 12 February 2010 |
| <b>63. Debussy and Impressionism</b>                                        | Mike Wheeler  | Fri 12 February 2010 |
| <b>64. Mars – the red planet</b>                                            | Ann Bonell    | Fri 12 March 2010    |

## LUTTERWORTH

**Contact:** WEA Office, Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU  
**Telephone:** 01509 268636      **Email:** srogers@wea.org.uk

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### 65. Local history in South Leicestershire

South Leicestershire is rich in tales of the famous and the not-so famous. This is a course for beginners and non-specialists, who would like to learn more of the history that is on the doorstep. We shall use maps, records and original reports and cover a wide range from place names to the history of inn signs, canals, cut-throats and customs.

**Tutor** David Jones

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** One Stop Shop, Wycliffe House, Gilmorton Road, Lutterworth LE17 4DY

**Date** Monday 2.15–3.45pm, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

## MARKET HARBOUROUGH

**Contact:** WEA Office, Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU  
**Telephone:** 01509 268636      **Email:** srogers@wea.org.uk

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### 66. Harbrough and its history

Focusing on Market Harbrough and the nearby area, this course will enable you to identify and explore a range of sources for research into local history. It will also encourage you to analyse the sources critically, considering their purpose, their political or other bias, and their limitations in telling us about the past.

**Tutor** Cynthia Brown

**Fee** £46.40 (concessions A £41.75, B Free)

**Venue** Baptist Hall, 25 Coventry Road, Market Harbrough LE16 9BX

**Date** Tuesday 1.30–3.30pm, 8 meetings from 12 January 2010

## MELTON MOWBRAY

**Contact:** WEA Office, Quest House, Loughborough LE11 3TU

**Telephone:** 01509 268636      **Email:** srogers@wea.org.uk

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### 67. Tai Chi in the afternoon

With daily practice, the soft flowing movements of Tai Chi strengthen the body, promoting stress reduction and well-being. One posture of the 24 sequential movements of the form is taught each week. Please wear loose clothing and flat-soled shoes.

**Tutor** Laraine Tucker

**Fee** £63.80 (concessions A £57.40, B Free)

**Venue** The Polish Club, Sandy Lane, Melton Mowbray LE13 0AN

**Date** Monday 1–3pm, 11 meetings from 11 January 2010

### 68. Art and Expressionism

From El Greco to van Gogh to Jackson Pollock, this course explores the many and different ways art is deemed 'expressionist' – art that is intended to move us, that raises subjective feeling over objective observation. No previous knowledge necessary.

**Tutor** Janis Baker

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Age Concern, Gloucester House, Scalford Road, Melton Mowbray LE13 1JZ

**Date** Tuesday 7.15–9.15pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 69. Evening Tai Chi

For course description, please see course no. 67.

**Tutor** Paul Maslowski

**Fee** £58 (concessions A £52.20, B Free)

**Venue** Methodist Church, Sage Cross Street, Melton Mowbray LE13 1NX

**Date** Tuesday 7.30–9.30pm, 10 meetings from 12 January 2010

### 70. Afternoon Yoga for everybody

The course is suitable for all ages, for beginners and those who already practise yoga. The practices will involve a range of techniques including body, breath, meditation, study and reflection. Wear loose comfortable clothes and bring a mat for floor work and a blanket for relaxation. You may also wish to bring a small cushion.

**Tutor** Caroline Arthur

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Methodist Church, Sage Cross Street, Melton Mowbray LE13 1NX

**Date** Thursday 1–2.30pm, 10 meetings from 14 January 2010

## REARSBY

**Contact:** Mrs J Buswell, 4 Weston Close, Rearsby, Leicester LE7 4DA  
**Telephone:** 01664 424885

Please make cheques payable to **WEA Rearsby Branch**

### 71. The English country house

For hundreds of years the English country house dominated the architectural scene. It was a family home, an administrative centre, a place of sport and pleasure, and a place for hospitality. Concentrating on the best examples throughout Britain, this class will examine timber-framed, stone and brick buildings from the medieval and Tudor era down to the Georgians and Victorians.

**Tutor** Colin Groves

**Fee** £43.50 (concessions A £39.15, B Free)

**Venue** Rearsby Village Hall, Melton Road, Rearsby LE7 8YB

**Date** Monday 10.30am–noon, 10 meetings from 11 January 2010

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### Working with the community or workplace

*Do you belong to a community group or a workplace? Perhaps we can work in partnership to put on a course just for you. Talk to the organiser at your local WEA office.*

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## Leicester & Leicestershire community programmes

- WEA courses for learners with few or no qualifications, in areas where wages are low and/or unemployment high. Courses run in community centres, schools, church halls, children's centres and libraries
- All courses are FREE to those on means-tested benefits or low income
- Courses include: child psychology • spelling and grammar • study skills • computer qualifications • digital imaging • desktop publishing • number skills • community interpreting • basic counselling skills • creative writing and storytelling • using computers for family history • word processing • business administration • ESOL • sewing and textiles • arts and crafts • singing • yoga • Tai Chi • healthy living • cookery • food and nutrition • parenting
- Women's Learning Programme accredited courses for women. The aim is to build confidence and develop learning skills. Learners may work towards Open College Network credits. Courses include: personal development • women and families • confidence building and assertiveness • creative writing • women and health • into paid work • women into maths • women and society • women's history

### **If you are a community organisation or group and would like to know about these courses, contact:**

Cherry Heinrich 0116 251 9740 or email: [cheinrich@wea.org.uk](mailto:cheinrich@wea.org.uk) (Leicester city)

Helen Salisbury 01509 268 636 or email: [hsalisbury@wea.org.uk](mailto:hsalisbury@wea.org.uk) (Leicestershire)

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## COULD YOU BE A TUTOR FOR THE WEA?

The WEA seeks part-time tutors for classes in Leicester and Leicestershire in the following subjects:

Local and general history, family history, music, art appreciation, antiques, architectural studies, literature, creative writing, environment and science, natural history, garden design/history, religious studies, anthropology, social studies, psychology, astronomy, helping in schools and other areas of expertise.

An up-to-date register of potential tutors is maintained and training and support offered to both new and experienced tutors.

### **For more information and an application pack contact:**

Cherry Heinrich, WEA Tutor Organiser for Leicester

Telephone: 0116 251 9740

Email: [cheinrich@wea.org.uk](mailto:cheinrich@wea.org.uk)

## TEACHER TRAINING WITH THE WEA

The 7303 City & Guilds Award in Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector (PTLLS) is a national introductory qualification and is a requirement for new entrants to teaching in further and adult education:

Leicester: Thursdays for 7 sessions 9.45am to 4 pm starting Thursday 25 February 2010 at The Peepul Centre.

We can also set up a 7303 course at the request of organisations or groups of learners.

For free, professional advice about teacher training contact the Lifelong Learning UK Information and Advice Service. Tel: 020 7936 5798. Email: [advice@lluk.org](mailto:advice@lluk.org)  
Website <http://www.lifelonglearninguk.org>

### **For details and an application form for WEA teacher training courses, contact:**

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