## **Wining & Dining Group Guidelines July 2021**

The group plans to meet on the third Wednesday of each month. (There will inevitably be some exceptions). To join the group you will need to register your interest with your name, email address and telephone number to paul.watchorn@btinternet.com or to our land line number on the contact list. It will cost £1.00p per person to join.

All forthcoming events will be posted on the website and on the notice board at the monthly meetings. Check regularly to keep up to date!

We have had some great meals with excellent company, but there must be some rules to ensure everything runs as smoothly as possible.

- By registering you will have agreed that when it is your turn to host a meal, your name and email address will appear on the Wining & Dining group page on the U3A website. Also your full name with telephone number and email will appear on the notice board at the monthly meetings.
- The U3A is a cooperative, so there will be a rota to ensure we all take a turn to host an event. The frequency of your turn will depend on the number of people in the group. By joining the group you will have agreed to be on that rota - it could be with a friend or partner. If you want to pair up with someone we can help and advise.
- If as the host you are cannot fulfil your commitment and are unable to swap with someone, we can make an appeal on your behalf, otherwise the event for that month will be cancelled.
- Any member who has ordered a meal and does not turn up without informing the host before the "last orders" date may be asked to pay for the meal (depending on the rules of the venue).
- If a deposit is requested your booking may depend on paying it on time.
- If you need advice on how to host a dining event there is a "How to Host" link on our website page or call us and we will be happy to help.

We look forward to dining with you! Sue and Paul