



April 2023

What is Swindon IVC?

We are individuals who meet together to organise and enjoy social events. We are from all walks of life and a mix of ages and abilities.

If we want to go to a film, or for a day or meal out, we invite the other members so we can enjoy events together.

We are informal. We just want to make friends and have fun.

Swindon IVC meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 8pm. We currently meet in the Woodlands Edge pub, in Peatmoor (Near what most people remember as the Chinese Experience - now HongXin Oriental Buffet)

Membership is just £12 a year.

We are affiliated to the national Association of IVC clubs and have the opportunity to join in events around the Country.



The Coronation of King Charles III

We are planning a picnic for the afternoon of the coronation—you can watch the ceremony at home and then join together for a party and picnic in Lydiard Park in the afternoon. We will confirm a meeting place shortly and would ask that you all bring something terribly British to enjoy together!



Upcoming events

Mon 10 April Bank Holiday Walk

Wed 12 April Monthly Meet

Swindon Jazz & Soul Festival Fri 14 April

Sun 16 April The 'Swing Birds' Thu 20 April Porto weekend

Sat 22 April Meal at Fox and Hounds

Fri 28 April **Book Club**

Sat 06 May **Coronation Party** Wed 31 May Midge Ure's tour

Sat 03 June Battersea Power Station

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Easter Walk and Lunch

Join Penny and Richard for a 5 mile walk on the Marlborough Downs on Easter Monday.

Lunch will be at the "Who'd Have Thought It" pub in Lockeridge.

If you don't want to walk, you can still join the lunch.

Please see website for details and contact Richard or Penny to confirm you are coming.

SIVC Website

All members can access pages on the website that are not visible to non-members.

Do log in and make sure you have more up to date information as events are added throughout the month.

This is where you can also invite other members to join you at events.

Anyone having problems logging in, contact Richard or Jaki.

Pub Night 12 April 2023 Woodlands Edge

This month we will again meet in the lounge bar of the Woodlands Edge pub in Peatmoor from 8pm.

Ample parking outside.

Midwinter Close, Peatmoor, Swindon SN5 5EZ

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Midge Ure's Voice & Visions UK Tour

If you enjoy the music of Midge Ure and Ultravox this could be for you!

Tickets for standing—£21.50. Seating also available.

Wednesday 31st May

The event has now sold out but there is a waiting list for hopefuls!



Fox and Hounds - Wroughton



Brenda has organised a meal at this popular pub

and has a booking for 10. Please contact her to reserve your place

PORTUGAL 2023

A little late to join now, but Pat & friends are visiting Porto in April.

Do get In touch if you would still like to join them.

And if you want to organize a few days or more away, why not see if others would like to come too?

Book Club - April 28

Me and the Fat Man

by Julie Myerson.Chosen this month by Katie.

When a married, small-town waitress is asked by a stranger who claims to have known her mother to embark on a relationship with his shy, fat friend, Gary, she is astonished to find herself falling into a tender and erotic love affair....

Venue to be confirmed

Swindon Jazz & Soul Festival

Friday 14 & Saturday 15 April

The 3rd Swindon Jazz & Soul Festival is here! A Wiltshire music event held at the grounds of Christ Church, Cricklade Street Old Town Swindon.

Why not join Juan and Gabriela for all or part of this fantastic event? Their contact details are on the website.

Day out in London and a visit to <u>Battersea Power Station</u>

Do as you please day out in London.

Tickets can be booked for the Chimney Lift
(£15.90) for anyone interested - or you can just
wander round the facility. Alternatively you may
prefer to do your own thing and maybe meet up
with everyone later

Jane has arranged to go to The Deanery CE Academy for a great night of music. Please contact Jane if you would like to join her.



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