



March 2024

We are a group of people 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 just want to make friends and have fun. And we love Sunday roasts!!

We are book worms, theatre addicts, walkers, cyclists, and lots more.

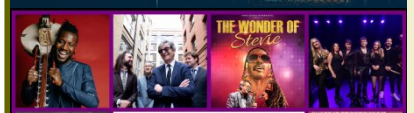
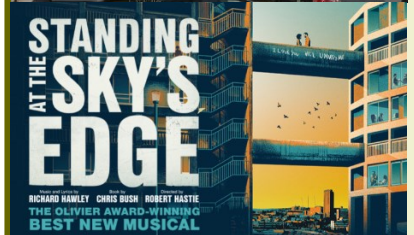
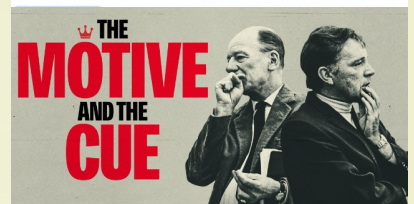
Members may be single or couples or groups. All are welcome.

We meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 8pm. We currently meet in the Woodlands Edge pub (Known locally as "The Wedge"), in West Swindon. We will be meeting a second time each month at the Sun Inn (East side of town) on the 4th TUESDAY of each month. Meetings start at 8pm.

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.

If you want to join us, come along to the next meeting.



Upcoming events

- Fri 01 Mar ELO Encounter
- Fri 08 Mar Book Club
- Wed 13 Mar Pub night at "the Wedge"
- Sat 16 Mar Crafty Chat
- Sat 16 Mar 105.5 Dinner and Dance
- Thur 21 Mar The Motive and The Cue
- Sun 24 Mar Sunday Lunch Club
- Tue 26 Mar Pub Night at The Sun
- Wed 10 Apr Pub night at "The Wedge"
- Sat 13 Apr Standing at the Sky's Edge
- Fri 19 Apr Swindon Jazz and Soul Festival
- Sat 20 Apr Jazz and African Music Day

Sunday Lunch Club

Zoe has arranged for our next lunch to be at the Bassett Down Golf Course on March 24.

A great response means this event is already fully booked. Make sure you secure your places early next time!

Any ideas for the next lunch are welcome—especially if you know of somewhere serving wonderful roasts!



Saturday 16 March

Crafty Chat #2

Join Denise for an afternoon of Crafting.

If you love crafts/drawing etc pop to Denise's and chat, knit, sew, crochet or draw.

This is becoming a regular event so please do join in whenever you can.

Any new ideas also welcome!

Pub Nights

13 March 2024 - The Wedge

26 March 2024—The Sun Inn Coate

These are our regular monthly get-togethers where we can meet new members, organise events and just catch up.

Starting at 8pm—all are welcome!

The Wedge is in Peatmoor village centre in West Swindon

The Sun Inn is near the entrance to Coate Water park.

The Motive and The Cue

NT Live: The Motive and The Cue - 1964: Richard Burton, newly married to Elizabeth Taylor, is to play the title role in an experimental new Broadway production of Hamlet under John Gielgud's exacting direction.

This will be screened at the Cineworld at Shaw Ridge, Swindon SN5 7DN .

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.

Book Club—March 8th

WAR DOCTOR by David Nott.

For more than twenty-five years, David Nott has taken unpaid leave from his job as a general and vascular surgeon with the NHS to volunteer in some of the world's most dangerous war zones. From Sarajevo under siege in 1993, to clandestine hospitals in rebel-held eastern Aleppo, he has carried out life-saving operations and field surgery in the most challenging conditions, and with none of the resources of a major London teaching hospital.

Meet at the Wichel Inn, East Wichel, Swindon

Please let Pat know if you would like to join her.



More Events

Please do let someone know if you would like help to organise an event. Perhaps just drinks? Or a night out to see a film? A meal to share? The group needs you!

SWINDON 105.5 *Celebration Time*
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Saturday 16th March 2024

at **Swindon's Doubletree Hilton**

7pm take the Red Carpet for Drinks and Canapes (included)

Theme of the evening **Going To The Movies**

Join Carole at SWINDON 105.5

Anniversary Party!

Please contact Carole if you would like to go.

Sat 13 April

Standing at the Sky's Edge

Lindsay and others have booked to see this National Theatre production and Olivier Award-winning musical:

"Best new musical", also described by the Daily Express as "The best new musical in years". There could still be a few seats available. We will probably arrange to travel together by train and have time for a spot of lunch beforehand.

Please contact Lindsay if you would like to go too.

From April

CURRY NIGHTS

Colin misses the fun of going out for late night Curries so we thought a regular curry night would be fun.

We will arrange the first one for April at The Raj in Shaw Ridge. Details to follow soon.

Please can you let Colin know if you would be interested in joining us?



Friday 19—Saturday 20 April 2024

Brenda and Therese have listed two events for next month

THE SOUL: (Friday) An evening of Live Classic Soul music. **THE JAZZ :** (Saturday) A whole day and night of live Jazz featuring award winning and nationally known musicians. **THE AFRICAN:** (Saturday) A day and evening of live music from Africa featuring modern and traditional instruments, fusion, afrobeats, groove and funk.

More details at www.cccswindon.co.uk/events/9/details. Do let them know if you want to join them.

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