



GIRLS ABOUT SNAPE

Inaugurated in January 2018, Girls About Snape went on to have two very successful years before the pandemic struck in the Spring of 2020.

We had held the first three meetings of our 2020 programme when we were forced to curtail our meetings because of the pandemic. Little did we realize that more than 12 months would pass before we could cautiously begin to talk about and plan for the resumption of our activities. During this time, we were very sad to lose one of our most loyal and longstanding members, with the passing of Sue Buesnel. Sue had borne her long illness and disability bravely. It is our aim to support a charity annually and, when we resume our meetings, our chosen charity will reflect Sue's wishes –the East Anglian Air Ambulance.

GAS meetings are held monthly with a wide range of talks and events for members. Our usual programme is a mixture of educational talks, social events and outings, for example, concerts, theatre, gardens, meals out. Additional activity groups within Girls About Snape are Book Club and a Walking Group. Members are encouraged to form new interest groups and it is hoped that, when we resume our meetings later this year, hopefully in September, a craft group will be formed with members meeting up for social chat (there's a lot of catching up!) and work on their latest craft project. Beginners will be able to draw on the experience of other members.

If you are new to the village, Girls About Snape is a great way to meet other like-minded people; new members and visitors are always welcome. Come along to one of our meetings to find out more: members' meetings are held on the **second Thursday** of the month in the Village Hall starting at 7.30 pm. Open meetings will also be advertised in Ebb and Flow, on the village noticeboard and in the village hall. Further information is available from Jan Rodgers on 688295.

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