

Thursday

Dear All,

You will get this before we go into the Old People's day centre. Please do not feel that we are "using" these senior citizens. They are genuinely glad for us to talk to them and, more importantly, to listen to them. I would not dare to bring you here, were this not the case.

2.00 - 2.45: we go into the meeting room and each pick an old person to talk to. PLEASE FOCUS ON THEIR YOUNG DAYS and get their early autobiography.

If you happen on a person you can't communicate with, please gently move on.

2.45 - 3.15, the lady who runs the centre will tell us how things are organised, where the money comes from, etc.

With luck you will delve back into the history of the 1920-40 period - the culture of a country ^{is} across time, as well as now. Enjoy the richness of the language that will go to the ~~grave~~ ^{grave} when these folk are buried/cremated.

Wandy yours,



Don't take notes