

**The Charge of the Light Brigade**  
**Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> January 2021 at 10.30 on Zoom**



**Ruth Nobbs**, a member of Wokingham U3A, who has already presented very successfully on this subject, has kindly agreed to share her expertise with TVN members.

Although it took place more than 150 years ago, The Charge of the Light Brigade remains a topic of interest. It has been discussed in numerous books and documentaries. It is the subject of many paintings as well as two feature films and, of course, Tennyson's famous poem of the same name has helped to keep its memory alive. Ruth will look briefly at the background to the war in the Crimea before turning her attention to the specific morning in October 1854, examining the steps that led to the fateful decision, tracing the events of the charge itself and considering its aftermath and impact.

**The event is free of charge for members.** Please complete the application form (also available on [www.u3atvnetwork.org.uk](http://www.u3atvnetwork.org.uk)) and return it to:

[patsy@thorntac.co.uk](mailto:patsy@thorntac.co.uk)

**Closing date is Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> December.**

Your application will be acknowledged by email and you will receive your Zoom link approximately one week prior to the event.

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