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BARNSLEY MUSEUMS

WHAT'S ON

Autumn 2017



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Cannon Hall is a stunning Georgian country house museum with outstanding fine and decorative art collections, set in 70 acres of historic parkland and beautiful landscaped gardens. It is the perfect day out for all the family.

Bark House Lane, Cawthorne, Barnsley, S75 4AT
 cannonhall@barnsley.gov.uk
 01226 772 002 · www.cannon-hall.com



The Cooper Gallery is a vibrant art gallery in the heart of Barnsley town centre. Explore new rooms showcasing the beautiful collection of fine art and enjoy our exciting programme of temporary exhibitions, events and arts workshops.

Cooper Gallery, Church Street, Barnsley, S70 2AH
 coopergallery@barnsley.gov.uk
 01226 242905 · www.cooper-gallery.com



Experience Barnsley visitors can uncover the incredible story of Barnsley told through centuries-old artefacts, documents, films and recordings that have been donated by people living and working in the borough.

Town Hall, Church Street, Barnsley, S70 2TA
 experiencebarnsley@barnsley.gov.uk
 01226 772500 · www.experience-barnsley.com



Elsecar an Earl's village of iron and coal for 200 years, Elsecar's workshops now bustle with shops, studios and cafés. Enjoy the steam railway and events at the Ironworks all year round.

Wath Road, Elsecar, Barnsley, S74 8HJ
 elsecarheritagecentre@barnsley.gov.uk
 01226 740203 · www.elsecar-heritage.com



Worsbrough Mill is a 17th Century working water mill set in 240 acres of tranquil country park, using traditional milling methods it produces a range of organic flour. It is an amazing place to visit, have fun and see history come to life.

Worsbrough Bridge, Barnsley, S70 5LJ
 worsbroughmill@barnsley.gov.uk
 01226 774527 · www.worsbrough-mill.com



Barnsley Museums is made up of five magnificent attractions. All are free to enter and each has its own unique identity.

Whether you are looking for a fun day out with the family, a relaxing walk in picturesque surroundings, a voyage of discovery into local history, an educational trip or even a tasty lunch, then Barnsley Museums are the perfect place to visit.

They are a unique mix of attractions which include a Georgian Country House, a historic village of iron and coal, a 17th century water mill and nature reserve, an exciting art space and an award winning interactive museum, there is something for everyone to enjoy.

Throughout autumn and into winter there is a whole host of exhibitions, events and activities to look forward to.

From Regency balls, food festivals with celebrity chefs, talks and family activities there is lots to do no matter what your age.

So if you are looking for unique destinations to spend quality time with family, friends and loved ones, Barnsley's museums are the perfect place for you.

To purchase tickets for the many events taking place and take a look at a fantastic range of products, many with a Yorkshire theme, **search Eventbrite**

Cllr Roy Miller
 Cabinet Spokesperson for Place
 Barnsley Council



CANNON HALL

MUSEUM PARK & GARDENS

Cannon Hall is a stunning Georgian country house museum with outstanding fine and decorative art collections, set in 70 acres of historic parkland and beautiful landscaped gardens

It is the perfect day out for all the family.

Enjoy the sights and sounds of the past in the wonderful surroundings of the grand hall and its grounds.

Built for the wealthy Spencer-Stanhope family, you can explore the grand rooms filled with wonderful art, as well as visit below stairs and see where all the hard work happened! Discover rolling parklands and beautiful gardens in which to relax, wander or hide away, it's the perfect place for a stroll.

In the upper rooms of the Hall is a hand-picked selection of artworks from the De Morgan Collection. It is an unparalleled collection of work by the late 19th and early 20th century ceramicist William De Morgan and his artist wife Evelyn Pickering De Morgan.

The Hall is famed for its special events. There is plenty to look forward to all year round; Pear Day is an unmissable part of the Yorkshire food calendar and the magnificent building really comes alive at Christmas time with magical events.

Museum

For School Visits, Events, Weddings, Conferences,
Booked Guided Tours and Group Visits

Open all year round

General Opening Times

February Half Term to October

Tuesday to Friday · 11am - 4pm

Weekends · 11am - 4pm

The Hall will be open Bank Holidays and Mondays during school holidays

Cannon Hall Park and Gardens

Open all year round

All day parking · £3.00

All proceeds go direct to the loving upkeep
of the hall, park and gardens

Please note the Walled Garden is locked every night and
also some weekends during the winter months and for special events.



Opening
Times

CANNON HALL

GARDENS

Exhibition @ Cannon Hall

**Resurrecting Ancient Egypt:
A Monumental Yorkshire Journey**
Saturday 28 October -
Sunday 18 February

From Locke Park Tower to the pyramids of Castle Howard and Leeds' Holbeck temple, Yorkshire has all manner of monuments inspired by the architecture of ancient Egypt. In this new commission, Professor Joann Fletcher has worked with Kyte Photography to capture the imposing and evocative atmosphere of such buildings across the county.

Free admission

Events @ Cannon Hall

Pear Day
Sunday 24 September

The Hall's spectacular annual event returns to commemorate the harvest of the historic pears. There will be stalls, entertainment and delicious food. Families will have a great time as the gardens will be packed with fun things to see and do.

11am - 4pm | Free entry

Halloween Fair
Sunday 29 October

Come along and browse over 20 craft stalls offering unique gift ideas

11am - 4pm | Free entry

Totally Tipi Halloween Café
Saturday 28 October -
Sunday 5 November

Kick start the Halloween holidays with magical fun in the creepy teepees at Cannon Hall Museum Park and Gardens. As well as terrifying treats and devilish drinks there will also be lots of activities to keep little visitors entertained.

9am-4pm | Free entry

Mummified Pizzas!
Tuesday 31 October

Make tasty mummified pizzas and horrible Halloween treats in our spooky Victorian kitchens at Cannon Hall Museum.

1pm-3pm | £12.50 per ticket
Suitable for children aged 5-11 years.

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Booking essential through Eventbrite

Trick or Treat!
Thursday 2 November

Make your own gruesome Halloween treats to take home.

1pm-2pm | £6.50 per ticket
Suitable for children aged 5-11 years.

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Booking essential through Eventbrite

Spooky Bat Trail
Saturday 28 October -
Sunday 5 November

Can you hunt out the mummified bats lurking around the corners of Cannon Hall?

Free drop in activity during opening hours





COOPER GALLERY

The Cooper Gallery opened in 1914 and today is a vibrant venue in the heart of Barnsley town centre

It is the perfect place to discover art and changing exhibitions.

It is home to the Cooper Gallery Trustees' collection of stunning paintings, watercolours and drawings by artists including JMW Turner, Edward Wadsworth, Vanessa Bell and many more.

The gallery has undergone a major re-development and extension thanks to a grant from the Heritage Lottery Fund.

There are now many more art treasures on display alongside film, sound, interactives and many more resources for visitors of all ages to enjoy.

The gallery shop is the perfect place to pick up a gift or treat with a fantastic range of arts and crafts made by Yorkshire artists.



Opening
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Monday to Friday

10am - 4pm

Saturday

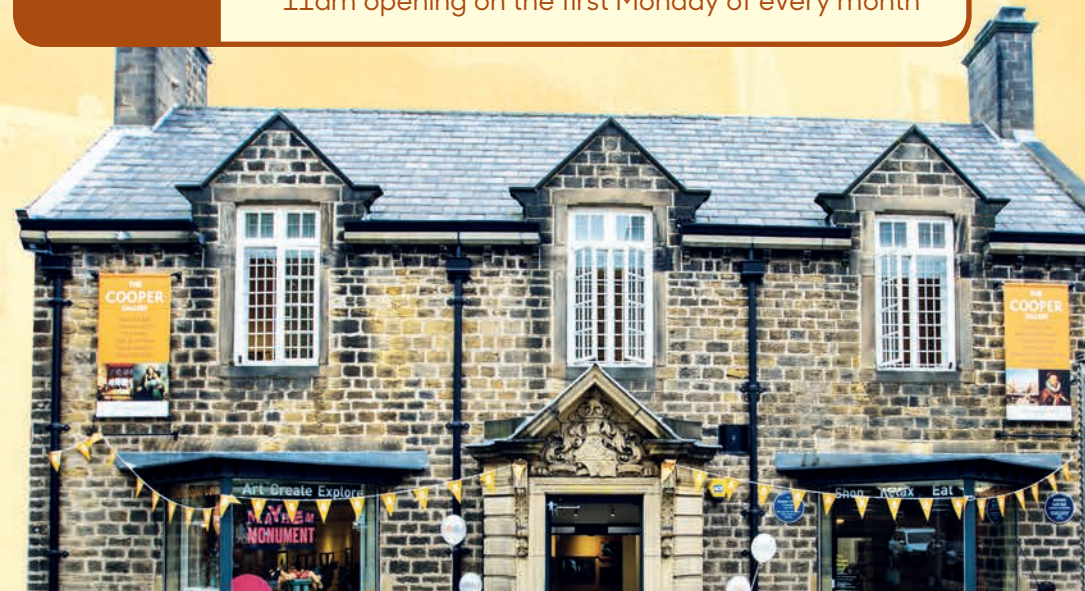
10am - 4pm

Closed Sunday and Bank Holidays

11am opening on the first Monday of every month



Courtesy: Carmarthenshire Museum



Exhibitions @ Cooper Gallery

**From Sackville Street to the Valley of the Kings:
The Art of Harold Jones**
Saturday 23 September 2017 -
Saturday 6 January 2018

Discover the breathtaking and exquisite artwork of Ernest Harold Jones, born in Barnsley in 1877. Artist turned Egyptologist, Harold undertook several excavations in the Valley of the Kings in Egypt in the years leading up to the discovery of Tutankhamen's tomb. On loan from Carmarthenshire Museum are his colourful paintings of tomb interiors, skilful drawings of finds and an archive of family material, on display together for the very first time.

Free admission

**'Northern Connections'
An Exhibition by
Leeds Fine Artists**
until Friday 6 October

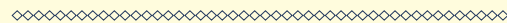
Established in 1874 Leeds Fine Artists (LFA) is one of the oldest and most prestigious regional arts organisations in Yorkshire and the North of England. LFA seeks to encourage and promote art and artists in the city and throughout the region and LFA's annual exhibition is now established as one of the premier art exhibitions in the region's calendar.

We are delighted to welcome the group who bring their insightful exhibition, Northern Connections, to The Sadler Room in The Cooper Gallery this Summer/Autumn.

Free admission

Please note that The Sadler Room is a hireable space and inaccessible during private functions. Please check with The Gallery before visiting.

The Sadler Room is occasionally closed for events. Call 01226 242905 to check opening times before your visit.

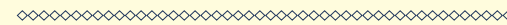


Events @ Cooper Gallery

Tiny Tots Sensory Play
Wednesdays during term time

Every Wednesday morning there is a special box available for play in the galleries. Let your little ones roam around and have fun with light, sound and texture, surrounded by the Cooper gallery's amazing collection of art.

10am - 12 noon | Free drop in activity



Welcome to Ancient Egypt!
Saturday 23 September

Join us for the opening day of two fantastic and fascinating exhibitions at the Cooper Gallery and Experience Barnsley.

Family Fun
Ancient Egyptian Style

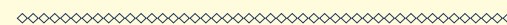
Drop in to Experience Barnsley or the Cooper Gallery to take part in fun family activities with lots to make and do.

11am - 2pm | Free entry

Meet the Curator
Professor Joann Fletcher

A unique opportunity to meet our guest curator, Professor Joann Fletcher, and hear about her journey from Barnsley to Ancient Egypt! Hear about her travels, research and inspiration in curating the exhibitions.

11am | Free event

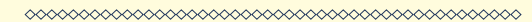


**Talk and Exhibition Tour with
Professor Joann Fletcher -
The Art of Harold Jones**
Saturday 14 October

Born in Barnsley in 1877, Harold Jones made an immense contribution to Egyptology, both through his careful studies of tombs and finds and his excavations on some of the most important tombs in the Valley of the Kings.

In this insightful exhibition talk and tour, Joann builds a detailed picture of the life and work of a great artist and Egyptologist.

11am | Free entry - £5 suggested donation
To book a place email:
deviniaskirrow@barnsley.gov.uk



Printmaking Workshop

Saturday 28 October

Create your own artworks with a printmaking artist, taking inspiration from the beautiful exhibition of Harold Jones's work at the Cooper Gallery. Explore the colours and shapes of the Ancient Egyptians and learn new artistic skills.

The class is suitable for beginners with no previous experience.

10.30am - 2.30pm | £35 per person

Limited places available pre-booking essential through Eventbrite.

The Big Pyramid Build

Monday 30 October

Join us in The Sadler Room to create the biggest Pyramid we can! Then have a go at decorating with a variety of materials in this all round creative workshop.

**Drop in between 11am - 2pm.
£2.50 per child.**

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Book online at Eventbrite

Egyptian Adornments

Wednesday 1 November

Drop in and create your own bejewelled armband, headdress or neck piece inspired by our Egyptian exhibition.

**Drop in between 11am - 2pm.
£2.50 per child.**

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Book online at Eventbrite

Egyptian Sarcophagus Boxes

Friday 3 November

Create and make your own special box to take home, inspired by Egyptian sarcophagus.

**Drop in between 11am - 2pm.
£2.50 per child.**

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Book online at Eventbrite

Hieroglyphs for Beginners Workshop

Thursday 2 November

Join John Johnson, tutor in Egyptian history and President of the Horus Egyptology Society for a language class with a difference.

Learn how to write ancient hieroglyphs and translate the names of Egyptian kings and queens. Find out what your name would look like!

**10am - 2pm | Free activity -
£5 suggested donation**

Suitable for adults and children 12+

To book a place email:

coopergallery@barnsley.gov.uk

Drawing and Watercolour Workshop: Inspired by Ancient Egyptian Treasures

Saturday 4 November

Join artist Louise Wright and learn how to sketch and illustrate special treasures. Taking the gallery's beautiful exhibition of works by Harold Jones as a starting point, you can learn new artistic skills, creating your own drawing or watercolour. Objects will be provided to draw, or you can bring in something that's special to you for inspiration.

10am - 1.30pm | £20 per person

Suitable for adults and children 16+.

No previous experience needed.

Limited places available pre-booking essential through Eventbrite.

Exhibition Talk: Materials and Making: Smithson, Egypt, Barnsley and Me

Saturday 4 November

Dr Vanessa Corby, Senior Lecturer in Theory, History and Practice of Fine Art at York St John University, describes her research as an artist and art historian as 'rooted in a fundamental preoccupation with 'stuff'; a sensibility derived from the landscape of her childhood spent in the rolling hills, forests, soot, rust and general muck of South Yorkshire'.

In this unique talk, Vanessa will discuss her radical re-reading of the work of American artist Robert Smithson (1938-1973), specifically Spiral Jetty, one of the most well-trodden artworks in the history of twentieth century art. In her latest essay, however, Vanessa brought to light the significance of Smithson's engagement with ancient Egypt to rethink how this work works for its audiences.

Vanessa maps her fascination with materials and making as the outcome of her roots in Dodworth and her training as a painter, which began at Barnsley College in 1989.

2pm | Free admission - donations welcome

To book a place email:

coopergallery@barnsley.gov.uk





EXPERIENCE BARNLSLEY

MUSEUM & DISCOVERY CENTRE

Experience Barnsley Museum and Discovery Centre is dedicated to the history and people of our proud borough.

Find out more about Barnsley's fascinating past, from Roman times to present day, through centuries-old artefacts, documents, films and recordings that have been donated by people living and working in the area.

An inspiring place for all the family to visit, there is lots of fun to be had in the interactive galleries and exciting exhibition spaces. Discover something

different on every visit, the regular activities and events along with the fountains to splash in make it the perfect place to visit.

The Discovery Centre holds priceless treasures. Uncover family histories, read documents which are hundreds of years old and explore the Barnsley Film and Sound archive.



Opening Times

Experience Barnsley Museum

Monday - Friday · 9am - 4pm

Saturday · 10am - 4pm

Sunday · 11am - 4pm

Experience Barnsley Discovery Centre (Archives & Local Studies)

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday · 10am - 4pm

Tuesday · 10am - 6.30pm

11am opening on the first Monday of every month



Exhibitions @ Experience Barnsley

Gods' Land in God's County: Ancient Egypt in Yorkshire Saturday 23 September 2017 - Saturday 20 January 2018

See a new side to the Ancient Egyptians through the multitude of artefacts selected from museum collections across Yorkshire. This exhibition highlights the long-standing connection between Ancient Egypt and Yorkshire's historians and archaeologists. From George Sandys of York's Grand Tour to Egypt in 1610 to our own Joann Fletcher's discoveries, explore antiquities and stories of ancient Egypt. These unique and precious treasures have fascinated our county's explorers, archaeologists and artists for the last 400 years.

Free admission



Photo credit: Harrogate Museum and Arts,
Harrogate Borough Council

Events @ Experience Barnsley

Family History Surgeries Wednesdays 20 September | 18 October

Uncover the stories in your family tree by booking onto one of our free 30 minute sessions with a member of the Archives team and discover how you can start your research.

10am - 4pm | Free - booking essential
To book call: 01226 773950

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1pm | Free event

Talk and Exhibition Tour with Professor Joann Fletcher - Ancient Egypt and Yorkshire Saturday 30 September

To accompany our three exhibitions, Professor Joann Fletcher will be giving an introductory talk on the long-standing connections between Ancient Egypt and Yorkshire. From the 17th century writings of George Sandys to the recent BBC TV series with Joann, Yorkshire people have been at the forefront of the discovery and study of Ancient Egypt. Find out more in this illuminating talk.

11am

Exhibition Tour - 'Gods' Land in God's County' Temporary Exhibition Gallery

Following the talk, take a lunch break and the opportunity to buy Joann's books in the Experience Barnsley Gift Shop. Join Joann's exhibition tour and have your books signed.

1pm | Free entry - £5 suggested donation.
To book a place email:
deviniaskirrow@barnsley.gov.uk

Egyptian Live Arts Café - The Egyptian Odyssey

Wednesday 25 October

Join Stan and StewArt on a theatrical, musical journey through the Ancient Egyptian tombs on a quest for the Crystal Sphynx or the lost b-side to Bananarama's hit 'Walk Like an Egyptian'. Crystal Maze meets Indiana Jones on this anarchic adventure. Snacks and refreshments included.

This is a 'Creative Recovery' event in partnership with BMBC. We create open, relaxed and inclusive events, welcoming all to participate.

5pm - 8pm | Free - booking required

To book email:

hearmyvoice@barnsley.gov.uk

Spook-tacular Egyptian Masks

Saturday 28 October

Drop in and work with an artist to create your own magnificent spooky mask, perfect for scaring this Halloween.

**Drop in between 11am - 2pm.
£2.50 per child.**

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Book online at Eventbrite

Hear My Voice - Under 5s storytelling

Monday 30 and Tuesday 31 October

Join us in the Making History gallery for a selection of children's Halloween stories.

Storytelling starts at 10.30am and lasts 15 minutes each day.

Aimed at little ones aged 5 and under.

Free - donations welcome.

Horrible Halloween

Mummies, Bats and Cats

Monday 30 October -

Wednesday 1 November

Drop into the learning lab and make your own gruesome crafts to take home for Halloween.

11am - 2pm | Free - donations welcome

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

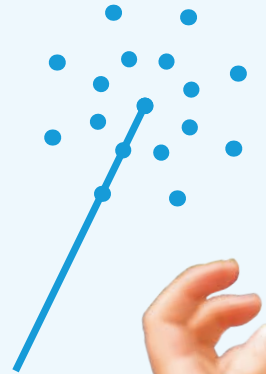
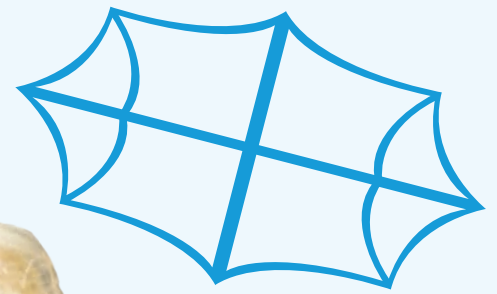
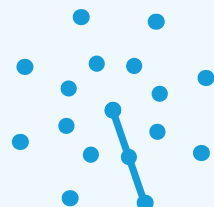
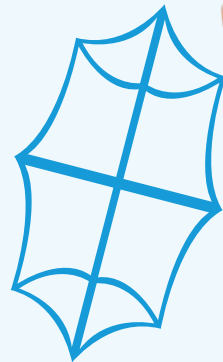
Lanterns, Rockets and Sparklers

Thursday 2 - Saturday 4 November

Drop into the learning lab and make your own decorations for Bonfire night.

11am - 2pm | Free - donations welcome

All children to be accompanied by an adult.





ELSECAR

HERITAGE CENTRE

Elsecar is a remarkable village, transformed by the Earls Fitzwilliam into a thriving centre of iron and coal.

Few places in Britain have so many reminders of its great industrial age: collieries, ironworks, cottages, a canal, steam railway, schools, pubs and more, all dating back to Georgian and Victorian times.

The Earl's Workshops are now packed with a wonderful range of independent retailers, cafés, an antiques centre and indoor children's play centre. It is also home to The Ironworks, an exciting event space which hosts gigs, craft fairs and much more. Don't miss the Visitor Centre with fascinating films and displays about the history of Elsecar.

The village is surrounded by beautiful countryside, sloping hills and ancient woodlands, with plenty of paths and cycle routes to explore and enjoy, including the Trans Pennine Trail.

At the Elsecar New Colliery, see our newly restored 1795 Newcomen Beam engine - the oldest steam engine anywhere still in its original location and one of the world's most important monuments to the industrial revolution. Enjoy a ride on the 1850 steam railway, which runs alongside.



Opening Times

Elsecar Workshops are open all year round
Monday to Sunday · 10am - 4pm

Please note that individual shops and businesses within the Workshops have varying opening times.



Events @ Elsecar

Guided Tour:

The Earl's Village of Iron & Coal

Saturdays 9 September |
23 September | 7 October |
21 October | 4 November |
18 November

Join our guides for a fascinating tour of Earl Fitzwilliam's workshops, ironworks, collieries and parts of the surrounding village. Imagine the power of the furnaces, the bravery of our miners and the grand splendour of Royal visits.

3.30pm | Free – donations welcome

Tours leave the Visitor Centre at 3pm.
Each tour last approximately 1 hour.



1795 Elsecar New Colliery & Newcomen Engine Open Days

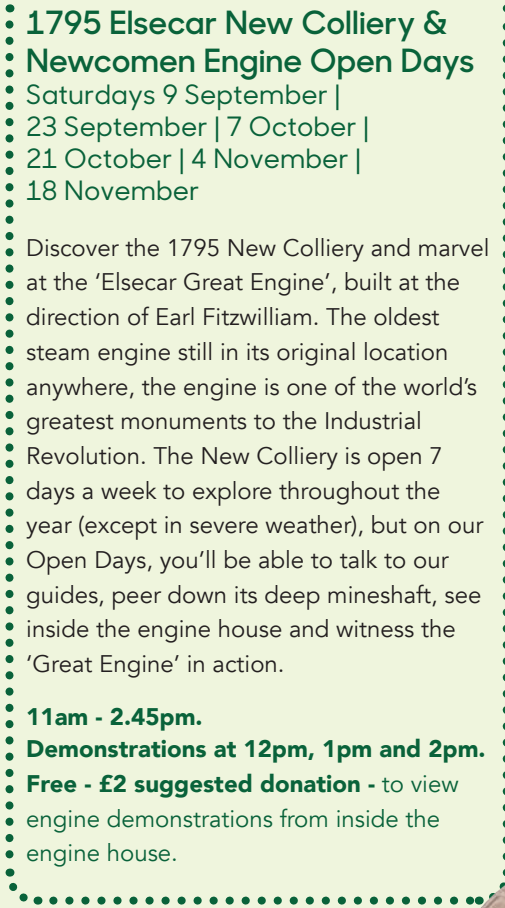
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23 September | 7 October |
21 October | 4 November |
18 November

Discover the 1795 New Colliery and marvel at the 'Elsecar Great Engine', built at the direction of Earl Fitzwilliam. The oldest steam engine still in its original location anywhere, the engine is one of the world's greatest monuments to the Industrial Revolution. The New Colliery is open 7 days a week to explore throughout the year (except in severe weather), but on our Open Days, you'll be able to talk to our guides, peer down its deep mineshaft, see inside the engine house and witness the 'Great Engine' in action.

11am - 2.45pm.

Demonstrations at 12pm, 1pm and 2pm.

Free - £2 suggested donation - to view engine demonstrations from inside the engine house.



Gifts & Grub Fair

Sundays
1 & 29 October

You'll find over 120 stalls at this 'Gifts & Grub' Food & Gift Fair selling everything from pies, cakes and cheese to handmade craft and gift items! A fun family day out with lots of tasty treats and crafts on offer, along with rides and entertainment too!

Organiser contact details:

Olivia Burton: 07758 163 190

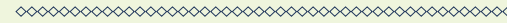
Mike Burton: 07719 374 028

email: hello@littlewolfevents.co.uk

www.giftsandgrub.com

www.littlewolfevents.co.uk

10am - 4pm | Free entry

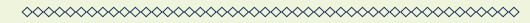


Unique Gift Fair

Sundays
17 September | 22 October

80 stalls selling a wide range of products and gifts. Come and see a mixture of handmade and bought-in goods from local Yorkshire businesses. Jewellery, clothing, ceramics, sewing, country crafts, photography, artwork, candles, homeware, shabby chic plus much more. It's the perfect place to visit for a family day out.

10am - 4pm | Free entry



Garden Railway Show

Saturday 23 - Sunday 24 September

6 layouts. Around 30 traders selling the best in garden railway equipment. Refreshments will also be available.

Saturday 10am - 4.30pm

Sunday 10am - 4pm

Adults: £5 (accompanied under 16's free)



BBR Autumn Extravaganza

Saturday 7 - Sunday 8 October

BBR presents another bumper quarterly event with lots of specialist collectable antiques on offer. Everything looks set to be a fun packed weekend!

Saturday 7 October

500+ lot Auction in BBR's salesroom down by the red phone box.

Sunday 8 October

The Ironworks will be FULL of specialist antique bottles, pot lids and advertising stalls from all across the UK. Plus major auctions (live online) - all under one roof.

For times and prices visit:

www.onlinebbr.com

Elsecar Making History

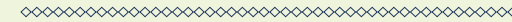
Sunday 8 October

Memory walk around the Elsecar Workshops for former employees and their families who remember when they were operated by the National Coal Board. Did you or your family work at Elsecar? Do you have memories or photos of the Workshops when they were owned by the National Coal Board, or in the early days of the heritage centre? We would love to talk to you about your memories and how the site has changed over the years.

Join us for a special guided walk around the site to talk about the different buildings and what went on inside, followed by a chance to look at old photographs and chat more over tea and coffee upstairs at the Visitor Centre.

1pm - 3pm.

Meet at the Visitor Centre.



Flavours Food Festival

Saturday 14 - Sunday 15 October

Flavours Food Festival is making a welcome return this year.

Due to the success of last year's event the festival has been extended to two days, offering a weekend packed full of foodie fun.

Nadiya Hussain Cookery Demos

TV celebrity baker and chef, Nadiya Hussain, will be appearing on Sunday, the 'Great British Bake Off' champion will be cooking up a storm at her live cookery demonstrations. At the performances, which last approximately forty five minutes, she will create a selection of her very own recipes which people can recreate at home.

During the festival Elsecar will become a bustling food and drinks market, offering a wide variety of tasty treats and delicious beverages. There will be over 60 stalls where local and national food producers will be displaying high quality produce as well as a selection of street food and live entertainment. Come along and browse, sample and buy the tempting treats on offer.

See website for times and prices:

www.elsecar-heritage.com



Elsecar by Twilight

Tuesday 17 October

Our programme of popular evening history walks continues with a guided tour of the fascinating early industrial landscape to the south east of the Earl's Workshops. The walk will head up through Elsecar Park taking in a number of sites connected with Elsecar Old Colliery and the former Milton Ironworks, including workers cottages, capped mine shafts and furnace ponds. From Milton, a short walk back down the former incline plane will bring us back into Elsecar.

Meet outside the Visitor Centre.

The walk will leave at 6.15pm.

It is approximately 2 miles (3 km) and includes steep climbs and uneven ground.

The walk will take approximately 2 hours.

Grimethorpe Colliery Band

Saturday 21 October

We are thrilled to announce that The Grimethorpe Colliery Band will be performing in the Ironworks this summer.

Formed in 1917, The Grimethorpe Colliery Band is probably the world's most famous colliery band, with an international reputation for excellence on both the concert and contest stage. Featured on film, TV and radio, the band is justifiably proud of its history and achievements.

6.45pm | Pre-concert drinks

7.30pm | Performance starts

Tickets £15

To book tickets:

Call: 07916 585352 or 01226 712553

Email: contact@grimethorpeband.com



An Evening with Geoffrey Boycott

Friday 27 October

Join us for a very special evening... To mark the 40th anniversary of his 100th Hundred, we will be hosting an evening with the cricketing legend Geoffrey Boycott.

Presented by BBC Look North's Harry Gratton, he will look back at the career of Boycott. The 'Greatest Living Yorkshireman' will say exactly what he thinks about the current state of cricket and many other subjects he has hit out on in his latest autobiography, on air and in print.

The evening will be full of hilarious anecdotes; there will be an opportunity for the audience to put their own questions and the evening will be fun, fiery and full of ...surprises.

7.30pm.

Check website for ticket details.

Spooktacular Halloween Crafts!

Saturday 28 October -

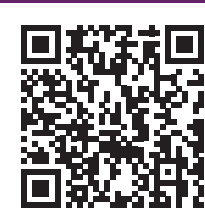
Sunday 5 November

Drop into the Visitor Centre and have a go at creating your own spooky decorations, get hands on and creative!

10am - 4pm | Free - donations welcome

Book Now

Book your Eventbrite activities now by scanning the code



<http://bit.ly/2vUgnFp>





WORSBROUGH MILL

WORKING MILL & COUNTRY PARK

Worsbrough Mill is a 17th Century working water mill set in stunning parkland

It is an amazing place to visit, watch wildlife and see history come alive.

Discover centuries of milling, learning more about the process, following it from beginning to end.

It is a unique opportunity to see history come to life. Marvel at the power of water, be intrigued by clever engineering and see flour being milled in the traditional way. Being one of

the few remaining working water mills in Yorkshire it makes it a truly unique attraction. The on-site millers produce a range of premium organic artisan flours, which are available to buy.

The Mill is set within a 240 acre country park and tranquil nature reserve, complete with reservoir, which can be explored on foot or by bicycle, and don't forget to buy a bag of organic flour to take home!



Opening Times

Worsbrough Mill Museum

Weekends only · 10am - 4pm
· Local School Holidays ·
7 days a week · 10am - 4pm

Worsbrough Country Park

Open 7 days a week · all year round

Miller's Tea Room

Tuesday to Sunday · 10am - 4pm
Closed Mondays except
Bank Holiday Mondays and Mondays
in local school holidays

Events @ Worsbrough Mill

Milling Demonstration

Sunday 29 October

The water powered mill grinds wheat in the traditional way. Come along and see the milling process in the mill's 17th and 19th century buildings. The white and wholemeal flours are traditionally stone-ground on a pair of 19th Century "French Burr" stones all powered by a cast iron water wheel installed in 1865.

Whilst there, why not sample some bread freshly baked on our wood fired oven, made with the flour produced at the mill.

11am - 2.30pm | Free admission



Owl Detectives

Saturday 28 October

Become a wildlife detective and find out what wild barn owls have been eating for their dinner. Barn owls feed mainly on small animals such as voles, mice and shrews, these are usually swallowed whole. With a bit of detective work we are able to find out what the owl has been eating by looking at the bones and skulls found in the owl pellets.

11am - 12.30pm | £4.50 per child
Suitable for ages 5-11 years.

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Book essential online at Eventbrite

Pumpkin Bird Feeders

Wednesday 1 November

Autumn is here and our wild garden birds like nothing more than tucking into a tasty treat to keep them warm over winter. Bring an adult to help you carve and create a pumpkin bird feeder to take home.

11am - 12.30pm | £4.50 per child
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Working with communities to protect, preserve and enhance the area.

The Dearne Valley Landscape Partnership (DVLP) is a five year scheme running until June 2019, funded by the Heritage Lottery Fund.

The DVLP is part of Barnsley Museums, and Barnsley Council is the lead partner working with organisations across parts of Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham. The DVLP focuses on the historic buildings and landscapes of the Dearne Valley, working with communities to protect, preserve and enhance the area.

You can take part in the DVLP's workshops to discover more about local wildlife and landscapes in the Dearne Valley, learning new skills. All workshops are FREE to attend and you do not need to have any previous skills or experience.

You can book a place on any workshop by contacting the DVLP via email **DVLP@barnsley.gov.uk** or by calling **01226 772414**.

Artist in Residence Workshops

As part of our 'Art of the Dearne' project, the DVLP are pleased to announce the commission of four local artists to deliver art projects highlighting the significance of the River Dearne and raising awareness of the river which is at the heart of the Dearne Valley.

Over the coming months, there will be exciting opportunities to get involved in various workshops including stone carving and printmaking. We will be updating our website as workshops are confirmed.

For full details please visit: www.discoverdearne.org.uk (click on 'What's On')

For further information and to register your attendance at any of the above workshops, please contact the DVLP: **Email: DVLP@barnsley.gov.uk Call: 01226 772414**

Wildlife Recording Workshops

Invertebrate Recording at Cathill Quarry Sunday 17 September

Join invertebrate experts from Sorby Natural History Group on a specialist recording day at Cathill Quarry near Darfield, recording rare and unique invertebrates on this fantastic site. Tutors will be on hand throughout the day to assist with survey and identification techniques. No previous experience is required as tutors will be on hand throughout the sessions. All skill levels welcome.

Note for Participants: Please bring sensible outdoor clothing, any recording/field kit and a packed lunch.

11am - 4pm | Cathill Quarry, Darfield

Friend or Foe? An Introduction to Slug Identification Sunday 8 October

Join Robert Cameron, local Conchologist who will be sharing his vast knowledge of slugs on this identification training day. The event will include a morning talk on identification, followed by a look at slugs found around the local area. No previous experience is required as tutors will be on hand throughout the sessions. All skill levels welcome.

Note for Participants: Participants are encouraged to bring their own LIVE slugs to identify during the session.

10.30am - 4pm | Elsecar Heritage Centre

Harvest Mouse Annual Nest Count Sunday 12 November

Join us for our third annual nest count at Worsbrough Mill & Country Park. The site is one of the best areas for harvest mice locally. The session will involve being out on site, searching for discarded summer nests and signs of harvest mouse occupation. No previous experience is required as tutors will be on hand throughout the sessions. All skill levels welcome.

Note for Participants: Wellies and sensible outdoor clothing is strongly advised, as are strong gloves for searching in reeds.

11am | Worsbrough Mill & Country Park - classroom space



Town Centre Autumn Events

There's a whole host of exciting events taking place in Barnsley town centre this autumn!

Luminarium

Thursday 21 - Sunday 24 September

Something truly spectacular is coming to Barnsley this September; prepare to be amazed and touched by a sense of wonder at the beauty of light and colour when Architects of Air present – a monumental inflatable structure. Located in the Market Gate Car Park, Barnsley will see its first Inflatable Art Festival – do not miss!

£3 | Limited tickets available

Visit www.visit-barnsley.com for further details

Photo Credit: Ian Allan

Alhambra Christmas Lights Switch On!

Wednesday 15 November

The Alhambra Shopping Centre will become illuminated in the Christmas spirit throughout the festive period. Don't miss the lights switch on, it is sure to be a great moment!

Town Centre Christmas Lights Switch On!

Wednesday 22 November

Start Christmas with a bang! With a spectacular night of entertainment and fireworks, plus for the younger audience special guests Ben & Holly from 'Ben & Holly's Little Kingdom' will be appearing at regular intervals throughout the evening... they'll be at the light switch on too! The event is sponsored by XPO Logistics and BarnsleyMOT.com in conjunction with Barnsley Museums and Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council.

Entertainment starts at 5pm.

Lights switch on will be at 6pm.

Visit www.visit-barnsley.com for further details

Late Night Wednesdays!

from Wednesday 22 November

Enjoy late night shopping with festive fun, snow showers and entertainment!

Shops open until 8pm

Super Saturdays Christmas Shopping

from Saturday 25 November

If you can't make the fun on Wednesday nights then enjoy shopping with festive fun, snow showers and entertainment on Saturdays!

REMEMBER!

Free Parking
on all council-run off street
town centre car parks!

**All Day
Saturday &
Sunday**

BECOME A CHAMPION FOR BARNLSLEY

Barnsley Museums and Heritage Trust aims to raise funds to support the borough's diverse collections and heritage sites. Our town is a special place with a rich legacy that is essential to preserve.

As a Trust we are concerned about the long term future of Barnsley's heritage and making sure that the museums fulfil their potential as inspiring places which are relevant and enrich people's lives. There are still many stories to tell - the museums and galleries hold the key to connecting wonderful collections with communities and people's lives today.

To find out more and to make a donation, visit:

www.bmht.org

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