

Events at a glance

March - May 2017

March

- Fri 3 Toddler Explorers**
10:30 - 11:30 - Africa!
13:30 - 14:30 Discover through play and active learning
Age 1-3 £4 (B)
- Sat 4 Blow Away the Morning Dew: A Springtime Singing Workshop** Come and sing lost Somerset folk songs with Yvette Staelens. Discover beautiful melodies, folk poetry and the music of the people.
10:00 - 13:00 All abilities welcome - no need to read music.
£18 (B)
- Thurs 9 Surveying the South West: Great Domesday Book and the Exon Domesday Project**
19:30 Talk by Frank Thorn.
£8.50 (BA)
- Fri 10 Talk and Tea - SOLD OUT**
14:30 **Pennies and Packhorses, Scribes and Sealing Wax**
A talk by Chris Lewis. How William the Conqueror's great land tax of 1086 was collected in Somerset. Followed by tea and cake.
£5 (BA)
- Tue 14 Object Handling**
14:00 - 14:30 Free drop-in activity
- Sat 18 Finds Surgery**
10:00 - 13:00 Bring your finds to be identified and recorded by our expert.
- Thurs 23 Terrible Tales and Ghostly Goings On**
19:00 - 20:00 A tour of the museum in the dark exploring some of the castle's more gruesome history!
£10 including a drink on arrival (B)
- Sat 25 Free Family Fun**
11:00 - 13:00 - Celtic Fun
14:00 - 15:30 Free drop-in activity. Age 3-11
- Tue 28 Gallery Talk**
14:00 A short talk by one of the Visitor Services Team.
Suggested donation £1

April

- 1-22 Easter Egg Trail**
£1 per child*
- Wed 5 Spring Surprises!**
11:00 - 13:00 Crafts and activities
14:00 - 15:30 Age 3-11 £1 per child
- Wed 5 Stonehenge - Old Stones, New Ideas**
19:30 Talk by Julian Richards, organised by the Friends of The Museum of Somerset. £10 (BA)
- Fri 7 Toddler Explorers - Flowers!**
10:30 - 11:30 Discover through play and active learning Age 1-3 £4 (B)
13:30 - 14:30
- Wed 12 Easter Fun!**
11:00 - 13:00 Crafts and activities
14:00 - 15:30 Age 3-11 £1 per child
- Mon 17 Bank Holiday Opening**
10:00-17:00



A MAJOR EXHIBITION OF ART WORKS
BY THE CAMDEN TOWN GROUP

25 March - 8 July

Associated Events

Thurs 27 April 19:30 Celebrated but Seedy: The Life of Walter Sickert
A talk by Richard Kay, art historian and Director of Pictures at Lawrences, Crewkerne, on the life of Camden Town artist Walter Sickert.
£15 including local wine and cheese (B)

Sat 29 April 11:00-16:00 Free Family Fun Day Beauty & The Blackdowns
Explore the history, heritage and archaeology of the Blackdown Hills - the landscape which inspired the Camden Town artists. In partnership with the Blackdown Hills AONB. Free drop-in activity. Age 3-11

Fri 12 May 14:30 Talk and Tea The Blackdown Hills - A Landscape of Patterns and Pictures
Linda Bennett, Blackdown Hills AONB Manager, talks about the landscape and why it's special. Followed by tea and cake.
£5 BA

May

- Mon 1 & 29 Bank Holiday Opening**
- Tue 2 Gallery Talk**
14:00 A short talk by one of the Visitor Services Team. Suggested donation £1
- Fri 5 Toddler Explorers - Egypt**
10:30 - 11:30 Discover through play and active learning.
13:30 - 14:30 Age 1-3 £4 (B)
- Tue 9 Camping De-Luxe - Billy Butlin's Holiday Villages By The Sea**
19:30 Author Kathryn Ferry talks about entrepreneur Billy Butlin and his revolutionary all-inclusive package offering affordable luxury to holiday-makers in the 1930s.
£9.50 (BA)
- Thur 11 Somerset Day Tour**
14:30 A guided tour of the museum in celebration of Somerset Day.
£3.50 (BA)
- Tue 23 Object Handling**
14:00 - 14:30 Free drop-in activity
- 27 May - Detective Trail**
3 June Follow the family trail around the museum. £1 per child
- Sat 27 Free Family Fun - Ice Age**
11:00 - 13:00 Explore the awesome Ice Age
14:00 - 15:30 Age 3-11
- Wed 31 Amazing Archaeology!**
11:00 - 13:00 Drop-in with crafts and activities.
14:00 - 15:30 £1 per child Age 3-11

The museum reserves the right to change details to listings without notice. For accurate information please contact the museum on 01823 255088. No unaccompanied children please. * normal opening hours apply

All activities are **FREE** unless stated otherwise
(B) Pre-book only **(BA)** Booking advisable
• **Tickets for some events are available from:**
www.ticketsource.co.uk/themuseumofsomerset

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