

BARNSELEY MUSEUMS

What's On

April to June 2023

**Spring into action
at Barnsley Museums!**



**BARNSELEY
MUSEUMS
& HERITAGE
TRUST**



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**ARTS COUNCIL
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Welcome to an exhibition celebrating Barnsley's textile makers!

The borough has centuries of stories of weaving, sewing and quilting to tell. Whether it's a McLintock's jacket, a Barnsley linen tea towel or a snappy Sugdens shirt, our fabric products were known for innovation and top quality. We've chosen items from the museum and archive collections which show some of the people, processes and products of this rich textile history. Find out more in the displays, leave us your own memories and have a go at making!

Events

The Marvellous McLintock's Mouse Trail

1 Apr-16 Sep

McLintock the mouse is curious and wants to explore the museum. There are some surprising spots for a mouse to discover! Find all the hiding places in the Museum and our special Tailor Made in Barnsley exhibition – collect your sticker from the gift shop and wear it with pride. Don't forget to drop into the exhibition for some great family fun!

Free, drop-in

Super Soap Sculpture

Tues 4 Apr

Channel your inner artist and create a sculptural masterpiece just like Henry Moore. Soap carving can get messy so please wear old clothes or an apron.

Sessions start 10am and 1pm and are expected to last 1.5 hours | Ages 8+ | Free entry, but places are limited | Booking is essential via Eventbrite

Relaxed Openings

Sat 15 Apr, Tues 30 May,
Sat 17 Jun

Enjoy a quieter experience in our galleries at our relaxed openings. Throughout opening times, check www.experience-barnsley.com for details

Teeny Time Travellers Club

Every Fri (term time only)

Step through a time machine, take part in a quest in the museum, play, sing, make, eat a snack and listen to a story in our action-packed weekly sessions for children under 5 and their grown ups.

10am-11.30am & 12.30pm-2pm | Book via Art tickets, £2 per child barnsley-museums.arttickets.org.uk

SENsational

Mon 3 Apr, Tues 30 May

Book on this multisensory experience for families with PMLD, autism and who are neurodiverse. Experience Barnsley's signature museum in a way you never have before.

The sessions take place in the Learning Lab inside the museum (which is located in the town hall). The space is set up with a range of sensory items, along with soft floor mats and soft lighting.

Places are limited so booking is essential | 11am-12pm & 1pm-2pm
Book via Eventbrite



Upcycle Your Tee Workshop

Wed 31 May

Learn how to up-cycle, restyle and redesign your T-shirts to be beautiful new pieces of clothing! In this Sew Badger and Bobbins workshop we will design and remodel a plain T-shirt to add style and fun to the designs. You'll learn techniques you can use on your old T-shirts at home to give them new life and save them from landfill. With a few simple techniques you can make them longer, shorter,

add designs, create braids and let your imagination run wild as you design your new garment. It's a fun and easy way to start designing your own clothes and stamping your own style on your outfits!

10am-12 noon & 1pm-3pm
Age 9+ | £8 per child (price includes T-shirt and all materials) | Book your tickets via Art tickets at barnsley-museums.arttickets.org.uk

Hands on History – Clarkson's Old Brewery, Barnsley

Thur 11 May & Fri 12 May

Join the Archives team in the Discovery Centre and have a chance to view selected documents and photographs from this newly catalogued collection. Find out more about the history of this well-remembered brewery which was first founded in 1839. Discover the locations of the 71 public houses they operated within a small radius of Barnsley. Perhaps you have family links to the brewery or memories of the buildings which were situated in Wood Street? We would love to hear more.

10am-4pm | Free, drop-in activity

Tailor Made in Barnsley – Hands on History Day

Wed 21 Jun

Did you work at one of Barnsley's great textiles companies such as S.R. Gent's, Corah's, McLintock's or elsewhere? Pop down to the museum for a brew, share your stories and look at some photographs and archives from these factories. There will be a chance to take part in textiles crafts, a podcast and a live artwork that aims to record the history of textiles like never before.

Open day 11am-3pm | Experience Barnsley Learning Lab

Cannon Hall Museum Park and Gardens



Catwalking Fashion Through the Lens of Chris Moore

20 May–10 Sep | Free entry

This showstopping exhibition from The Bowes Museum charts the changing face of the catwalk over six decades. From photographer Chris Moore's unique perspective we see era-defining fashion moments, as captured in the salons of innovative designer André Courrèges in the 1960s to the meteoric rise of supermodels such as **Linda Evangelista**, **Kate Moss** and **Naomi Campbell** who came to be the epitome of high fashion. The exhibition offers a rare glimpse behind the scenes of the fashion industry, with interview footage providing further insight into the craft of a man who has seen and shot it all. Haute couture 'looks' straight from the houses of Jean Paul Gaultier, Comme des Garçons, Prada and Vivienne Westwood, and will be on display in our beautiful rooms on the South Front. In this stunning display we also pay homage to Barnsley women who made their mark in the fashion industry.

Look online for our exhibition programme at www.cannon-hall.com

Also featuring...

A Male Perspective: Redressing Fashion

Featuring 'looks' collected over three decades by Simon Nicholls, a Barnsley based salon owner, who considers himself not so much a traditional collector as a fan who has ended up as the 'custodian of a collection'. We take a unique perspective on the history of one man's collection to stimulate thinking about fashion as a communicative tool, gendering and about our personal expression of clothing.

Check website for opening times

FREE
ENTRY

Exhibitions

Landscape! Textiles, painting, printing

An Artisans North Exhibition of work by local artists Pippa Ashworth, Nikki Parmenter, Lucy Pimpernel Wood

Until Sun 7 May

Landscape! showcases three very different practices: Textiles, Printmaking and Watercolour by artists **Pippa Ashworth**, **Nikki Parmenter** and **Lucy Pimpernel Wood**, who are inspired by the parkland and gardens of Cannon Hall and by the natural environment.

Artisans North is a collaborative project between Barnsley Museums curatorial and learning services and the Wentworth Castle Gardens partnership. The aim of Artisans North is to support local artists in their practice and offer high quality, adult only, skills building courses.

Free entry, check website for opening times



Cool Couture

Tues 30 May

Become a dynamic designer in this exciting workshop. Using nothing more than paper and your imagination create an amazing theatrical costume inspired by our Catwalking exhibition.

Free but places must be booked via Eventbrite, check website for details 10am–12 noon & 1pm–3pm | Age 8+

The De Morgan Museum

William and Evelyn De Morgan were Victorian artists who addressed social and political issues of the day through their artworks.

In the De Morgan Museum you will discover stunning works by both artists including pottery by William De Morgan which shows of his brilliance at lustreware glazing.

Free entry, check website for opening times



Events

Wonderland Trail

1–16 Apr

Get whisked away to Wonderland this Easter in our forbidden forest. Discover the Cheshire Cat, have a Mad Hatter's tea party and play croquet.

Free, drop-in | Start the trail behind the Deer Shelter

Art for Wellbeing

In a relaxed atmosphere within a small group, explore your creativity using art materials whilst connecting with the natural environment. No experience necessary. All materials will be provided.

Course 1: Wednesdays 5, 12, 19, 26, Apr & 3 May – 10.30am–1pm
Course 2: Mondays 15, 22 May & 5, 19, 26 Jun – 10am–12.30pm

Victorian Easter Experience at Cannon Hall

Tues 11 Apr

Step back in time in this immersive session with Easter baking and activities in the Victorian kitchens and walled garden. Smell, see, touch and taste the past in an experience to cherish for a lifetime with your family. Why not really be the part and come dressed as a Victorian too?

10am, 11am, 1pm, 2pm | Book via Art tickets, £15 per child barnsley-museums.arttickets.org.uk

Green Wellbeing

Part of Creativity and Wellbeing Week

Tuesdays 25 Apr, 2 May, 9 May, 23 May, 30 May

The outdoors is known to be a great place to improve your mental wellbeing. Tune into the natural world in the beautiful surroundings of Cannon Hall, at these wellbeing sessions and use techniques to boost your immune system, improve sleep and reduce stress.

Suitable for adults with an interest in mindful connection to nature. Refreshments and materials provided, Free parking. Receive £5 per session attended towards transportation costs.

1pm–3.30pm | Booking essential | Check website for details at: www.cannon-hall.com

Picturing the Park – Drawing for Wellbeing

Part of Creativity and Wellbeing Week

Wed 17 May & 21 Jun

Be inspired by the beautiful surroundings of the park. Try out new materials. Gentle guidance on hand.

11am–12.30pm | Free entry event in the Walled Garden
Book a place via Eventbrite

Celebrating Clay

Part of Creativity and Wellbeing Week

Sat 20 May

A day of clay-based activities, talks, demonstrations and workshops. In partnership with students and staff from Barnsley College.

11am–3pm | Free, drop-in event in the Walled Garden

Little Hummingbird Makers Market

Sun 4 Jun

Come along for a wonderful trip out, explore the Makers Market found in front of the Museum, close to the Deer Shelter. Discover a fabulous collection of makers, bakers, crafters and general traders. There is lots of hot food to try and plenty of tasty take away foodie options, enjoy sweet treats and cakes to homemade pies and bakes along with locally distilled alcoholic gifts, fashion, accessories, beauty and bathing, felt, knitting and crochet, home interiors, candles and dog treats and accessories and more.

10am–4pm | Free entry

Events



Easter Egg Trail

Thur 6 Apr–Tues 11 Apr

There's lot of family fun happening throughout the Easter holidays at Wentworth Castle Gardens. Join us for an Easter Trail throughout the gardens. Find adventure in the blossoming gardens with giant birds' nests, Easter crafts, and interactive wingspan activities, all before wrapping the day up with a chocolate treat.

£3 per trail

House Tours at Wentworth Castle

Fri 21 Apr, 19 May & 16 Jun

Take a peek inside the grand house at the centre of the estate on a select number of volunteer-led tours through Wentworth Castle, now Northern College.

10.30am, 11.30am, 12.30pm & 1.30pm | Tickets are £8, plus normal admission | Booking is essential | Recommended for 10yrs+ | The route involves several staircases. If you have additional accessibility requirements, please get in touch in advance so that we can make suitable arrangements | Tours will last 75–90 minutes

Orienteering Activity & Trail

Throughout spring and summer
Explore Wentworth Castle Gardens in a new way with our orienteering courses.

Trail sheets are £1 each, explore either a short or a long course, perfect for all abilities

Blossom Week

Mon 24 Apr–Sun 30 Apr

Come and enjoy our beautiful blossom garden during national blossom week.

Check website for details.

Wentworth Castle Gardens

Fine Fettle taster session

Part of Creativity and Wellbeing Week



Wed 17 May at Wentworth Castle Gardens | 12.30–3.30pm | Free

Enjoy a range of outdoor activities focused on the key themes of Explore, Mindfulness, Skills and Imagine, while allowing the woodland to enhance your wellbeing naturally.

Our workshop offers an insight to the Fine Fettle 6 week course running regularly at Wentworth Castle Gardens.

For more information please contact Angela Wright at adventuringangels@outlook.com

Fine Fettle

Takes place one full day a week, for six weeks, between Mar–Aug

Build your confidence, improve your skills, and enhance your wellbeing in the beautiful Wentworth Castle Gardens woodland. Fine Fettle supports adults with a lived experience of mental health to engage in outdoor activities including forest skills, wildlife identification, nature-based arts, folklore, mindfulness and much more.

For more information please contact Angela Wright at adventuringangels@outlook.com

Beginner Run Sessions

Wed during term time

The Beginners Run Group is welcoming new members! Experienced leaders in fitness will help you exercise safely and at your own pace, whilst enjoying the beautiful surroundings of Wentworth Castle Gardens.

10.15am–11am | Entry to the site is free for National Trust Members. For non-members, there is a reduced admission fee of £2.50 for people attending the Beginner Run Group, with no additional cost to take part

Frame Your World

22 May–4 Jun

Self-led photography activity for all ages.

Free all day activity | Site admission charge applies | Check website for details

Walking Festival

Part of Creativity and Wellbeing Week



Share stories and engage with nature during our month-long Walking Festival. Join a variety of walks focused on different topics, while exploring South Yorkshire's only Grade 1 registered landscape. From health and wellbeing to interactive skills, come and get your muscles moving and enjoy a new perspective across a familiar landscape.

Check website for details



Barnsley Brass Performance

Mon 8 May

Enjoy the heart-warming sounds of brass bands performing in the summer sunshine.

12pm–3pm | Entry to the site is free for National Trust Members

Archives on Tour

Tues 16 May

Join the Archives team to view selected documents from the newly catalogued Wentworth Castle Gardens Partnership collection. Discover thousands of different items including photographs, maps and plans. Were you one of the students? We would love to hear your stories.

Free admission to the gardens for Wentworth Castle College of

Education alumni, otherwise normal admission applies | 10am–2pm | Free drop-in event

Watercolour Experiments – Painting in the Landscape

Sat 24 June

Relax and unwind in the wondrous landscape of Wentworth Castle Gardens and enjoy water colour painting outdoors. Experiment with colour and learn new techniques with artist Sarah Jane Palmer.

10.30am–3.30pm | £45 | 18yrs+ all materials provided

Teddy Bear Castle Zipline!

Sat 17 & Sun 18 June

Bring your Teddy or play with ours and send them whizzing through the air from the Castle

Free, drop-in | Site admission charge applies

Pop-up Picnics

Enjoy tasty treats with a beautiful view and discover pop-up picnic spots across the gardens in June. To celebrate National Picnic Week, 17–25 June, bring your picnic after school and enjoy family games and activities.

Free, drop-in | Site admission charge applies

Exhibition

Wentworth Archives 1948–1978

1 Apr–31 Dec

The exhibition shares for the very first time, selected documents from the newly catalogued Wentworth Castle Gardens Partnership archive collection. Stories of the teacher training college spring to life through previously unseen photographs, documents, maps and plans.

10am–4pm | In Long Barn | Free entry to exhibition | Site admission charge applies

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/yorkshire/wentworth-castle-gardens

Elsecar Heritage Centre Events



Heritage Highlights – Guided Tours!

From Easter weekend, guided tours will take place every Saturday and Sunday.

To celebrate the Coronation, our guided tours this spring will all have a special Royal twist!

Children free | Dogs are welcome on the tour



Only £5

book your place
by calling
01226 740203



Discover why kings went underground, the day a princess opened an exhibition and where Queen Victoria marvelled at our 'Black Diamonds'.

The Earl's Great Engine – Demonstrations

Marvel at the innovation of our 1795 Newcomen Engine, the world's oldest steam engine still in situ.

Sun 9 Apr | Mon 10 Apr | Sun 30 Apr | Sun 7 May | Sun 28 May
Tours at 12pm & 1pm | £6 per person, limited to 15 people per tour



Furnaces-to-Follies – History Hike

Join us for a 5-hour explore of the remarkable landscape around Elsecar and Wentworth, taking in astonishing industrial heritage and aristocratic grandeur.

Sat 20 May, 11am | £12pp | Includes uneven surfaces, slopes and stiles



For more
information &
to book, call
01226 740203

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Easter Extravaganza at Elsecar 1-16 Apr

Have a cracking time this Easter. Find the bunnies and solve the puzzle.

10am-4pm | Free, drop-in during opening times | Start the trail at the Visitor Centre

Little Hummingbird Craft Fair

Sun 2 & Sun 16 Apr,
Sat 13 May & Sat 10 Jun

Come along for a host of makers, bakers, crafters, traders, and more. Show your support for local businesses and enjoy a relaxing day out.

10am-4pm | Free entry

Antiques Fair

Sun 9 Apr, Sun 14 May & Sun 11 Jun

Discover some hidden gems and a wide variety of antiques and collectables at this popular event.

Early trade entry 8am, £2
Public entry 10am-4pm
Adults £1.50 | Concessions £1

Baby Fayre

Sun 16 Apr & Sat 10 Jun

Get all the best baby bargains at this extravaganza. This is a perfect event covering everything from pregnancy, birth, parenting and early years. Join us for local businesses showcasing their products.

10am-4pm | Free entry
For more information, visit
www.thebabyfayre.co.uk

Toy, Train and Doll Fair

Tues 18 Apr & Tues 16 May

Following the huge success of the monthly Antique and Collectables Fairs, Newcomen Fairs have broadened their horizons with the addition of Toy, Train and Doll Fairs. Stands will be selling tin plate and collectable toys, model railway and diecast models, teddies and dolls.

The fair starts from 7pm and concludes at 9pm | Prices are £1.50 for adults, £1 for concessions and 50p for children

Specialist Collectors Weekend

Sat 22 & Sun 23 Apr

A specialist collectors extravaganza offering 40,000 sq. ft. of stalls.

10am-4pm | Free, drop-in

Unique Gift Fair

Sun 30 Apr, Mon 1 May & Sun 7 May

Unique Gift Fairs are back with another fabulous Craft and Gift Fair, with 95 stalls selling a wide range of gorgeous gifts, handcrafted goods and delicious tasty treats. A great day out for all the family. Located inside The Ironworks. The cafés, shops and antiques centre will all be open on site too.

10am-4pm | Free entry

Suppa Club

Fri 31 Mar
Sat 1, Fri 28 & Sat 29 Apr
Fri 26, Sat 27 & Sun 28 May
Fri 23 & Sat 24 Jun

Barnsley's dedicated street food, craft beer and live music event where you can expect the tastiest food, thirst-quenching beverages and just one heck of a good time in general!

The best street food, DJs and all-round entertainment will be in Elsecar once a month.

Fri 5pm-11pm | Sat 12pm-11pm

Elsecar Comic-Con

Sun 21 May

Exciting media guests to be announced.

There'll be stage talks, costume characters, costume contests and so much more. Hot and cold food served all day. Awesome geeky traders selling comics, graphic novels, books, T-shirts, toys, collectables, art, jewellery, props, autographs, gaming, Funko Pops!, action figures and so much more...

11am-4pm | Entry £8 | Under 16s £5

NHS Blood Donation

Thur 25 May

If you are interested in being a donor, please register for a time slot on www.blood.co.uk

12.30pm-3.15pm | 4.30pm-7.15pm

Marvellous Machines Trail

Sat 27 May-Sun 4 Jun

Can you find all the awesome inventions and cool constructions hidden around Elsecar Heritage Centre? Find them all and collect your own kit to make your own Newcomen Engine at home.

Collect your trail at the Visitor Centre, free drop-in during opening times. Check website for details



Cooper Gallery Exhibitions



HENRY MOORE THREADS OF INFLUENCE

Until Tues 6 Jun

The Gallery is proud to host a major touring exhibition of work by Henry Moore, from the Sainsbury Centre.

FREE ENTRY

This exhibition has been made possible as a result of the Government Indemnity Scheme. Barnsley Museums would like to thank HM Government for providing Government Indemnity and the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport and Arts Council England for arranging the indemnity.

Image: Family Group, 1945 Henry Moore, object number 98, Sainsbury Centre, University of East Anglia. ©The Henry Moore Foundation.



Henry Moore: Threads of Influence – spans Henry Moore's career, from early life drawings and carvings to iconic drawings and late prints and demonstrates the multiple facets of Moore's practice. A range of related objects illuminates Moore's work in a new way, demonstrating how disparate cultures and contexts informed him.

Key objects are two early life drawings of his wife Irina, which demonstrate how Moore's commitment to studying the human form laid the foundations for his ongoing sculptural practice.

The exhibition includes four Shelter Drawings inspired by the scenes in the London Underground during the Blitz. As an Official War Artist, Moore's drawings of the subject were displayed at the National Gallery



during the War, and they propelled him to fame before his sculpture was widely known.

The Cooper collection features two figurative drawings by Moore, which will be on display as part of the exhibition.

Light and Soul Early Impressions of the French Landscape 24 Jun–7 Oct

A captivating new exhibition featuring paintings and drawings by Corot, Bonheur, Diaz, Boudin and more.

COMING SOON



Events

Relaxed Openings

Sat 15 Apr, Tues 30 May & Sat 17 Jun

Enjoy a quieter experience in our galleries at our relaxed openings. Throughout opening times, check www.cooper-gallery.com for details

Sketchbook Circle

Relaxed drawing sessions for adults

Thur 6 Apr, 4 May, 1 Jun, 6 Jul and every first Thur of the month except Aug)



Whether you already draw regularly or are an absolute beginner, come and enjoy the meditative nature of drawing and support your wellbeing with creativity in the company of others.

Gentle guidance on hand. All materials provided.

1pm–2.30pm
Free entry | No need to book

A Reet Royal Do!

Sat 6 May

Join us to celebrate the Coronation at the Cooper Art Gallery with stories, crafts and games in the garden and bring your own picnic.

11am–2pm
Free drop-in (aimed at under 7s)

Brilliant Beasts Trail

17 May–3 Jun

Can you trumpet like an elephant or create your own camouflage like a zebra? Explore the Cooper Gallery to find all the animals and discover funky facts in this interactive and fun trail.

Free, drop-in | All ages | Self-led trail

Barnsley Creative Mothers Thur 1 Jun

Join us to meet other creative mums trying to strike a balance between motherhood and creative jobs/pursuits. Listen, share, vent, chat or generally find somewhere you can be both roles and feel heard and understood.

Join on Facebook for more information and to keep in touch. @BarnsleyCreativeMothers 10am–11.30am | Free entry Children of any age welcome No need to book



Henry Moore Film Screening

Henry Moore – Carving a Reputation, 1945–1986

Thursdays 6 Apr, 4 May & 1 Jun

Henry Moore's love of natural forms and his placing of sculpture in the landscape helped create a reputation that brought him international acclaim. In the second half of this documentary, friends, family members, critics and art contemporaries appraise Moore's work and share their personal experiences of the man and his life.

Lauren Bacall had started collecting Henry Moore pieces in the 1950s and contacted him when she was told that he welcomed visitors. They seemed as excited as each other at the prospect of meeting and became firm friends. Thereafter, she always visited Hoglands, Moore's Hertfordshire home, every time she came to London.

1pm–2pm | Free entry

The Cooper Prize 2023

Open to artists who are born, live or work in South Yorkshire and aims to reward and celebrate excellence and originality in mixed media.

Artists are invited to submit up to 3 pieces of artwork, whether it be abstract, figurative, contemporary or traditional where the very best

will be selected to form part of an exhibition at Cooper Gallery, Barnsley. The competition is open to professional, amateur or student artists.

Submissions are open from Saturday, 25 March and close on Tuesday, 29 August

Worsbrough Mill and Country Park



Worsbrough Mill Multisensory Trail Throughout spring

Explore our gorgeous Country Park at Worsbrough Mill as you never have before with our multisensory trail. Listen to the sound of the rushing water, make your own nature book and see nature close up with our magnifying posts.

Free, drop-in | Pick up your map in the mill during opening hours | see Worsbrough-mill.com for details

Nature crafts Thur 6 Apr

Drop in to the Learning Hut to try your hand at drawing mini beasts and making a fox mask to take home. Free, drop-in | 10am–12pm, 1pm–3pm

Step into Spring with Oak Forest School Fri 7 Apr

Spring into Easter in the Waggon Way Glade. Join Melv from Oak Forest School to make a fabulous flying minibeast based on the creatures who call the country park home.

10am, 11am, 1pm & 2pm | Age 7+
Sessions are free but booking is essential via Eventbrite



Willow Worsbrough Late May & June

Come and have a go at willow weaving and help us create a giant Worsbrough Mill and Country Park logo for the site.

Free drop-in sessions, further details will be available on the Worsbrough Mill website soon!

Animal Trail

From Sat 27 May (throughout summer)

In the waggon way glade you will discover a whole host of wonderful wildlife, spot all the amazing animals and pick up your sticker from the gift shop.

Free drop-in

EARTH DAY



Celebration Event

Sat 22 Apr

As part of the Art Fund's 'Wild Escape' project, join us on Earth Day to celebrate the natural green space of Worsbrough Country Park. Come and see us in the Learning Hut to take part in our family craft activities and make your own mini 3D Earth mobiles using recycled paper, wood and string. Feel free to bring along any paper from home that you would like to use in your creation!

You could also have a go at one of our outdoor trails, and tie your own climate pledge to our willow Earth, as we work together towards creating a more sustainable future.

Oak Forest School will be joining us on the day so come along and make some wonderful wildlife themed decorations at this free family activity.

1pm–4pm | Free, drop-in | Please see our website for more details

Photography walk at Worsbrough Mill with Charlotte Elizabeth Photography

Sun 14 May

Come and explore Worsbrough Mill and Country Park with your camera. Start the day in the Learning Hut to talk about how cameras work, and discuss some of the best settings to use while outdoors. Then head into the courtyard to put everything into practice.

After lunch you will head out around the Country Park for the full walk. There are various stops on the way around to practice different skills and capture some beautiful images.

Finish the day back at the Learning Hut to share your favourite images.

10am–2pm | £45 book via Charlotte Elizabeth Photography



Shop at Worsbrough Mill

Worsbrough Mill is a 17th century traditional water mill set in 240 acres of country park. Visit our beautiful working water mill to learn about traditional milling methods and bring history to life.



Our country park is the perfect location for a family walk and has been awarded SSSI and Green Flag status for its natural habitats and quality green space. Why not take a stroll around the reservoir and see which bird species and other wildlife you can spot? A variety of beautiful public artwork has recently been sited around the country park to enjoy during your walk.

After exploring the mill and country park, our recently refurbished shop is the perfect place to buy a gift or souvenir of your visit. With a focus on local produce and suppliers; you can find an array of kitchenware, jams and chutneys, honey, soap, candles, toys, stationery, homeware and Worsbrough Mill souvenirs. The shop is open Wednesday–Sunday, 10am–3pm.

Adopt a Harvest Mouse or Owl

Why not buy an adoption pack for one of the animals that make Worsbrough Mill and Country Park their home?

By adopting a harvest mouse, you will be helping Worsbrough continue the great conservation work that is seeing

the population of harvest mice steadily increase. You will receive an adoption pack full of information and goodies including a cuddly toy for just £20.

Alternatively, the woodland is home to several species of owl, and we offer a similar adoption scheme with a fluffy owl toy as part of the adoption pack.

Contact info@bmht.org for more information



GARY CLARKE COMPANY WASTELAND

AS INDUSTRIAL BRITAIN FELL, A NEW SUB-CULTURE EMERGED...



THE WASTELAND TOWN TRAILS

Barnsley's multi award-winning professional touring dance group Gary Clarke Company will be returning to Barnsley Civic Theatre with their critically acclaimed dance theatre show WASTELAND.

To mark the arrival of the show and as part of a homecoming celebration, Gary Clarke Company will be entertaining visitors to the Town Centre with unique and mesmerising short performances throughout April! The world famous Carlton Main Frickley Colliery Band will march through the town before playing some much loved miners classics in The Glass Works square, catch WASTELAND'S own 'Pit Men Singers' as they parade through various town centre locations singing some of the shows classic miners hymns, 5 electrifying dancers from Gary Clarke Company will RAVE their way through the town before inviting the public to join in a 90s silent rave! A photography exhibition will also run alongside the Town Trail featuring stunning images.

Gary Clarke Company WASTELAND Weekender Sat 1 Apr

Eldon Arcade, Market Hall and Barnsley Interchange

Gary Clarke Company's critically acclaimed WASTELAND is returning for a spring tour in 2023. See a truly remarkable performances taken from the stage show combining dance and brass band music as it travels through the Town Centre.

12pm-1pm | Carlton Main Frickley Colliery Band
1.30pm-2.30pm | The Pit Men Singers

Gary Clarke Company WASTELAND Ravers Wed 19 Apr

Barnsley Interchange, Front of Light Box, Market Hall, Alhambra Shopping Centre, Cheapside

Head to the Town Centre for a day of raving!

12pm-1pm | Barnsley Interchange, Front of Light Box, Market Hall, Alhambra Shopping Centre, Cheapside
1pm-2pm | Silent Rave | Grass patch outside Light Box

WASTELAND 21-22 Apr

Barnsley Civic

In 1994 hundreds of coal miners hung up their pit boots as Grimethorpe Colliery was destroyed, along with the tight-knit working-class community that surrounded it. Created to mark the 25th anniversary since the demolition and 30 years since the rise of UK rave culture, WASTELAND is a thrilling yet deeply touching production which looks at how two generations coped in this era of radical upheaval. A fractured relationship between a father and son is at the heart of the story, and as we see one generation grind exhaustedly to a halt, we follow the next into the 90s illegal rave scene, where derelict warehouses and abandoned work spaces became home for a new-found community of music and dance. Visit barnsleycivic.co.uk for more details

Barnsley Town Centre

MAKE THEM SMILE!

EASTER IN BARNSELEY TOWN CENTRE

From Wed 5-Sat 8 April

With a gaming theme, there will be a variety of free, family-fun gaming activities across the centre, finishing with the Eldon Street HAZ street game on Saturday 8 April.

Sat 8 Apr 11am-4pm | Glassworks Square

Head to Glassworks Square to join in FREE activities and storytelling to celebrate the launch of BeastEL - a game specially created for Barnsley's Eldon Street Heritage Action Zone. Meet larger than life characters from Eldon Street's past to help you solve the mystery of the Eldon Beast, enjoy craft activities and the chance to play a giant version of the game. Suitable for ages 5 and upwards (some younger children and older will enjoy this).

Performances throughout the day: 11-11.30, 12.30-1, 2-2.30 (play the game), 3.30-4 | Free | Family friendly



MAKE IT SPECIAL

FOR THE CORONATION OF THE KING AND THE QUEEN CONSORT

Sat 6 May

With a huge variety of traditional and cutting-edge performances, as well as a big screen in the Glass Works square. Then, make your mouth water at Flavours Food Festival, Thur 18 to Sun 21 May, in the Glass Works square. Experience flavours from around the world from a wide range of street food vendors.

MAKE IT LOUD

AT BARNSELEY LIVE

Sat 17 June

A free, multi-venue music festival across the town centre. Follow them on Facebook for more details.

Find out more: Barnsley.gov.uk/events or follow Barnsley town centre on Facebook & Instagram



Creativity & Wellbeing Week is back for 2023!



Creativity and Wellbeing Week is a massive celebration of arts, culture and wellbeing and Barnsley will once again be hosting a jam-packed schedule of creative events from Monday 15 to Sunday 21 May. Last year's celebration was a massive success, with people taking part in unique and exciting activities such as outdoor photography, knit and natter, colouring for mindfulness, music sessions and much more.

Being creative helps you improve your mental health, learn and develop new skills and meet new people along the way and our schedule of activities and events promises to offer fun and inspiration for people of all ages.

We will be sharing our inspiring line-up of events over the coming weeks for you to take part in. Keep your eye out for Barnsley Council's social media channels for news and updates and join us to unleash your inner creativity!

April at a glance

MONDAY	<p>Worsbrough Mill Multisensory Trail Bird Trail Throughout spring Willow Worsbrough Late May and June Animal Trail From Sat 27 May (throughout summer)</p>	<p>3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's SEnsational Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Egg Trail Easter Extravaganza The Earl's Great Engine </p>	<p>17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Blossom Week Marvellous McLintock's </p>
	TUESDAY	<p>Cooper Gallery Henry Moore: Threads of Influence Until Tues 6 Jun</p>	<p>4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Super Soap Sculpture Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Victorian Easter Exp. Easter Egg Trail Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Toy, Train & Doll Fair Marvellous McLintock's </p>
WEDNESDAY	<p>Wentworth Castle Gdns Wentworth Archives 1948-1978 1 Apr-31 Dec Beginner Run Sessions Wed during term time Fine Fettle One full day a week, for six weeks, between Mar-Aug</p>	<p>5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Art for Wellbeing Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Art for Wellbeing Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Marvellous McLintock's Art for Wellbeing </p>	<p>26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Art for Wellbeing Blossom Week Marvellous McLintock's </p>
THURSDAY	<p>Orienteering Activity & Trail Throughout spring and summer Cannon Hall Museum Catwalking: Fashion Through the Lens of Chris Moore 20 May-10 Sep</p>	<p>6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Egg Trail Easter Extravaganza Sketchbook Circle Henry Moore Film Nature crafts </p>	<p>13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Blossom Week Marvellous McLintock's </p>
FRIDAY	<p>Experience Barnsley Teeny Time Travellers Every Fri (term time only) Tailor Made in Barnsley 1 Apr-16 Sep 2023</p>	<p>7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Egg Trail Easter Extravaganza Step into Spring </p>	<p>14 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! House Tours at Wentworth Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Blossom Week Marvellous McLintock's Suppa Club </p>
SATURDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Extravaganza Suppa Club 	<p>8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Egg Trail Heritage Highlights Tour Easter Extravaganza </p>	<p>15 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Relaxed Openings Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Heritage Highlights Tour Easter Extravaganza Relaxed Openings </p>	<p>22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Heritage Highlights Tour Specialist Collectors Earth Day Celebration Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>29 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Blossom Week Heritage Highlights Tour Suppa Club Marvellous McLintock's </p>
SUNDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Extravaganza Little Hummingbird 	<p>9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Easter Egg Trail Heritage Highlights Tour The Earl's Great Engine Easter Extravaganza Antiques Fair </p>	<p>16 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Wonderland Trail! Heritage Highlights Tour Easter Extravaganza Little Hummingbird Baby Fayre </p>	<p>23 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Heritage Highlights Tour Specialist Collectors </p>	<p>30 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Blossom Week Heritage Highlights Tour Unique Gift Fair The Earl's Great Engine </p>

May at a glance

MONDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Unique Gift Fair Marvellous McLintock's 	<p>8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coronation Marvellous McLintock's Barnsley Brass Perf. </p>	<p>15 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's Art for Wellbeing </p>	<p>22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's Art for Wellbeing </p>	<p>29 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous Machines Trail Marvellous McLintock's </p>
	TUESDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Green Wellbeing Marvellous McLintock's 	<p>9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green Wellbeing Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>16 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Toy, Train & Doll Fair Marvellous McLintock's Archives on Tour </p>	<p>23 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green Wellbeing Frame Your World Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's </p>
WEDNESDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Art for Wellbeing Marvellous McLintock's 	<p>10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Picturing the Park Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's Fine Fettle Taster </p>	<p>24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>31 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's Upcycle your T Workshop Marvellous Machines Trail </p>
THURSDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Sketchbook Circle Henry Moore Film Marvellous McLintock's 	<p>11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hands on H - Clarkson's Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World NHS Blood Donation Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's </p>	
FRIDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Marvellous McLintock's 	<p>12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hands on H - Clarkson's Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> House Tours at Wentworth Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's Suppa Club </p>	
SATURDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Heritage Highlights Tour A Reet Royal Do! Marvellous McLintock's 	<p>13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heritage Highlights Tour Little Hummingbird Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Celebrating Clay Heritage Highlights Tour Furnaces to Follies Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous McLintock's </p>	<p>27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World Brilliant Beasts Trail Marvellous Machines Trail Heritage Highlights Tour Suppa Club Marvellous McLintock's </p>	
SUNDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Landscape! Heritage Highlights Tour Unique Gift Fair The Earl's Great Engine 	<p>14 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heritage Highlights Tour Antiques Fair Photography Walk </p>	<p>21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heritage Highlights Tour Elsecar Comic-Con </p>	<p>28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame Your World Heritage Highlights Tour Marvellous Machines Trail Suppa Club The Earl's Great Engine </p>	

- KEY**
- Cooper Gallery
 - Elsecar Heritage Ctr.
 - Experience Barnsley
 - Cannon Hall
 - Worsbrough Mill
 - Wentworth Castle Gardens

June at a glance

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
KEY ■ Cooper Gallery ■ Elsecar Heritage Ctr. ■ Experience Barnsley ■ Cannon Hall ■ Worsbrough Mill ■ Wentworth Castle Gardens	5 ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Art for Wellbeing	12 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	19 ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Art for Wellbeing	26 ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Light and Soul ■ Art for Wellbeing		
	6 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	13 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	20 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	27 ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Light and Soul		
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1 ■ Frame Your World ■ Sketchbook Circle ■ Brilliant Beasts Trail ■ Barnsley Creative Mothers ■ Henry Moore Film ■ Marvellous Machines Trail ■ Marvellous McLintock's	8 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	15 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	22 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	29 ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Light and Soul		
2 ■ Frame Your World ■ Brilliant Beasts Trail ■ Marvellous Machines Trail ■ Marvellous McLintock's	9 ■ Marvellous McLintock's	16 ■ House Tours at Wentworth ■ Marvellous McLintock's	23 ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Suppa Club	30 ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Light and Soul		
3 ■ Frame Your World ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Marvellous Machines Trail ■ Brilliant Beasts Trail ■ Marvellous McLintock's	10 ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Little Hummingbird ■ Baby Fayre ■ Marvellous McLintock's	17 ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Relaxed Openings ■ Relaxed Openings ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Teddy Bear Castle Zipline!	24 ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Suppa Club ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Watercolour Experiments ■ Light and Soul	31 ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Marvellous McLintock's ■ Light and Soul		
4 ■ Little Hummingbird ■ Frame Your World ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Marvellous Machines Trail	11 ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Antiques Fair	18 ■ Heritage Highlights Tour ■ Teddy Bear Castle Zipline!	25 ■ Heritage Highlights Tour			



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COOPER
GALLERY

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

Open Mon to Sat 10am–4pm | Closed Sun and Bank Holidays

Cooper Gallery, Church Street, Barnsley, S70 2AH | 01226 775678
coopergallery@barnsley.gov.uk | www.cooper-gallery.com

Accessibility:

- Visual story
- Visit England access guide
- Audio described objects
- 360 tour
- Portable hearing loop available
- Relaxed openings

cooper-gallery.com/accessibility



ELSECAR
HERITAGE CENTRE

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

Open 7 days a week, 10am–4pm | Former workshops are open all year round, however individual shops within the workshops have varying opening times.

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

Accessibility:

- Visual story
- Portable hearing loop available

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EXPERIENCE
BARNSELEY
MUSEUM & DISCOVERY CENTRE

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.

Experience Barnsley Museum | Mon to Fri 9am–4pm | Sat 10am–3.30pm

Experience Barnsley Discovery Centre (Archives & Local Studies)

Mon, Wed, Thur and Fri 10am–4pm | Tues 10am–6pm

Town Hall, Church Street, Barnsley, S70 2TA | 01226 772500

experiencebarnsley@barnsley.gov.uk | www.experience-barnsley.com

Accessibility:

- Changing Places
- Visual story
- Visit England access guide
- Audio described objects
- Makaton videos
- Wheelchairs available to borrow
- Portable seating available
- Portable hearing loop
- Sensory backpack • 360 tour
- Relaxed openings

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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.

April – Oct, Tues – Sun, 11am–4pm | Barnsley School Holidays, Mon–Sun 11am–4pm | School Visits, Events, Weddings, Conferences, Booked Guided Tours and Group Visits open all year round | All day parking £5, 2 hours £1. All proceeds go direct to the loving upkeep of the hall, park and gardens.

Bark House Lane, Cawthorne, Barnsley, S75 4AT | 01226 772002
cannonhall@barnsley.gov.uk | www.cannon-hall.com

Accessibility:

- Space to Change
- Visual story
- Visit England access guide
- 360 tour online
- Multi-sensory trail

cannon-hall.com/accessibility



WORSBROUGH MILL
WORKING MILL & COUNTRY PARK

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 Mill Museum open Wed to Sun, 10am–3pm

Local School Holidays open 7 days a week, 10am–3pm

Country Park & Reservoir open 7 days a week, year round, 8.30am–4.30pm

Millers Tea Room open Mon to Sun, 9.30am–4pm

Worsbrough Bridge, Barnsley, S70 5LJ | 01226 774527

worsbroughmill@barnsley.gov.uk | www.worsbrough-mill.com

Accessibility:

- Visual story
- Visit England access guide
- Audio described videos
- 360 tour

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Wentworth
Castle
Gardens

Outstanding Grade-1 listed gardens and parkland is home to deer, historic buildings and monuments. Perfect for exploring nature, the café, playground, second-hand bookshop, Victorian conservatory, events and activities offer lots to see and do.

6 February onwards | Open 7 days a week | 10am–3.30pm

Park Drive, Barnsley, South Yorkshire, S75 3EN | 01226 323070

wentworthcastlegardens@nationaltrust.org.uk |

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/yorkshire/wentworth-castle-gardens

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- Accessible toilets
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- Golf buggy access
- Ramped access
- Visual Story
- Sensory backpacks
- Portable hearing loop