

WHAT'S ON

IN GLASGOW MUSEUMS



March - August 2020

Exhibitions, Workshops and Events
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GALLERY OF MODERN ART

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EXHIBITION

TASTE!

Ongoing
Gallery 2 | During opening hours
TASTE! is an exhibition of artworks from Glasgow Museums' collection displayed alongside material from our archive, exploring how collections are built, artworks are commissioned and exhibitions are organised.

Clara Ursitti: Roots/Routes

From 26 Jun 2020–24 Jan 2021
Gallery 3 | During opening hours
An exhibition of new work commissioned from the Glasgow-based artist Clara Ursitti following research residencies with communities in North Eastern Ontario, Canada. Supported by Glasgow Museums, White Water Gallery and Creative Scotland through the National Lottery.



Photo courtesy of Clara Ursitti



Nep Sidhu
An Immeasurable Melody, Medicine For A Nightmare

Glasgow International 2020

Glasgow International 2020 Director's Programme

Until 4 Oct 2020 | Gallery 1 | During opening hours
For his first solo exhibition in Europe, Canadian artist Nep Sidhu presents a body of work embedded in Sikh metaphysics and histories to explore relationships between memory, memorial and the divine.

Hal Fischer, Gay Semiotics and other works

Until 31 May 2020
Gallery 3 | During opening hours
This exhibition displays for the first time in Scotland the complete body of work by American artist Hal Fischer which includes *Gay Semiotic*, *Boy-friends* and *18th Near Castro St*.



Hal Fischer

Domestic Bliss

Ongoing
Gallery 4 | During opening hours
Domestic Bliss is an exhibition of works from Glasgow Museums' collection reflecting on how artists work with fine art and craft practices responding to social and political changes.



Daphne Wright, Home Ornaments, 2002-2005

Nep Sidhu with Nicholas Galanin, *Axes in Polyrhythm* from the series *When My Dreams Come Knocking, They Watch* (2018). Courtesy of the artist

CommonSpace

Ongoing
Gallery 2 | During opening hours
This space is where we showcase our current community projects. Our aim is to share the creative outcomes of ongoing collaborations between GoMA and local groups or institutions.

TALKS AND TOURS

Art Talks

Last Saturday of every month
2-3pm
Come and hear from artists whose work is currently on display at GoMA. For a full list of upcoming talks please check our social media channels or phone us.

Curators' Talks

First Friday of every month | 1-2pm
Pop in any first Friday of the month to find out about our exhibitions directly from our curators. For a detailed schedule, please get in touch by phone or email.

Weekend Tours

Every Sat & Sun | 1pm & 2pm
These general tours are taken by our lovely volunteer guides. This free 30-40 minute tour talks about the history of the building and introduces our exhibitions. If looking to book for a large group, please contact venue.



Staff Picks

Every Tuesday | 1pm
Fancy spending your lunchtime break doing something different? Pop in for a 10-minute talk and find out what our staff's favourite artworks are!

Creative Careers Talks

Thu 12 Mar, 9 Apr, 14 May, 11 Jun
5.30-6.30pm | 16-25yrs
Our monthly Creative Career Talks for Young People are back! Come and hear about different career paths in the creative industries directly from local artists and professionals.

WORKSHOPS

Open Studio

Wed 4 Mar, 1 Apr, 6 May, 3 Jun, 1 Jul, 5 Aug | 2-4pm
A creative session to explore simple mark making techniques, unleash your creativity and unwind. These workshops are informal and drop in, for all levels of ability. Drawing materials are provided.



Slow Art Day

Sat 4 Apr | 11am & 2pm
No booking needed, but please arrive on time for your selected time slot.
Slow Art Day is a global event with the mission to help more people discover the joy of looking at and loving art. Join us for one of two sessions of mindfulness and conversations and experience art as you've never done before!

make@GoMA

Sun 8 Mar, 5 Apr, 31 May, 28 Jun, 26 Jul, 23 Aug | 1-4pm
Book in advance | Telephone 0141 287 3050 or email GoMAbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
Join our design-led workshops, make@GoMA. In these inspiring, informal sessions, we delve into the exhibition *Domestic Bliss* and explore topics of feminism, labour, and value. Each workshop has its own theme and creative outcome.



Photo courtesy of Ruth Clark

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BOOK GROUP

Art Book Club

Sat 28 Mar, 25 Apr, 23 May, 27 Jun, 25 Jul, 22 Aug | 2-4pm

We meet once a month to discuss a selected fiction book and its links with the artwork on display. To find out what's the book of the month (and borrow it for free), ask a member of staff at the Library@GoMA.



Mindful Art Sessions

Sun 15 Mar, 12 Apr, 10 May, 7 Jun, 5 Jul, 2 Aug | 2-4pm

Book in advance
Telephone 0141 287 3050
or email GoMAbookings@Glasgowlife.org.uk
Looking for ways to feel calmer, happier? Join us and explore your creativity in a safe, non-judgmental space while experiencing a guided meditation and reconnect with your body and sensations.



OBJECT HANDLING SESSIONS

Hands on

Sun 29 Mar, 26 Apr, 24 May, 21 Jun, 19 Jul, 16 Aug | 2-4pm

Explore the history of GoMA and delve into the brightest (and darkest) moments of Glasgow's history by getting up close to real museum objects from our collection.



SPECIAL INTEREST TOURS

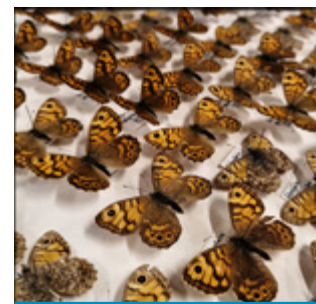
Every Tue | 2.30-3.30pm

Book in advance | Telephone 0141 276 9300 or email GMRCbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
Looking for a more in-depth experience? On Tuesdays we offer a wide range of special interest tours.

Beautiful Butterflies

Tue 3 Mar

Discover some of the UK's butterflies. Hear their stories: from how they came to the museum to how they live in the wild, and where you might see them yourself.



Exploring Glasgow's Ancient Egyptian Collections

Tue 10 Mar

Glasgow's Ancient Egyptian collection covers over 3000 years of the history of this amazing civilization. We will explore some of the hidden gems of our collection.



Glasgow Suffragettes and Suffragists

Tue 17 Mar

Discover the stories of Glasgow suffragettes and women suffragists in the campaigns to win the vote for women through a selection of fascinating artefacts from the early 1900s.

Ship Models in Detail

Tue 24 Mar

This tour lets you get close to some of our finest ship models, allowing plenty of time to look at construction and detail.

Sustainable Fashion: Recycling Georgian fabrics

Tue 31 Mar

Historically clothing was not cheap, so fabrics were often reused. Discover examples of silks originally woven during the 1700s that were made and remade into items of clothing over the following 150 years.

Handloom Weavers and the 1820 Radical Rising

Tue 7 Apr

To mark the 200th anniversary of the 1820 Radical Rising this tour looks at the handloom weavers' daily life and the long legacy of the insurrection.

Facets of the Dreaming: Australian Aboriginal Art

Tue 14 Apr

First Australians have lived in harmony with their land for thousands of years. This tour explores the special relationship between Australia's original inhabitants and their country through their stories and their art.

Earth Day Tour

Tue 21 Apr

Celebrate Earth Day with a tour of Glasgow Museums' geology collections. Explore the amazing rocks that make up the Earth. How do they form and how has the Earth changed over time?

A Botanical World Tour

Tue 28 Apr

Take a tour of the herbarium collection to see a diverse range of plants from around the world and learn about the activities of the associated collectors.



Glasgow and Slavery

Tue 5 May
This tour reveals objects connected to Glasgow's part in slavery from the 1600s to the 1800s. See old maps and prints, portrait paintings and the personal possessions and everyday goods which once adorned Glaswegians.



Sustainable Fashion: Thrifty clothing during WWII

Tue 12 May
Discover how restrictions placed on fabric during WWII led to rationing, utility clothing and the 'Make Do and Mend' campaign that resulted in thrifty and more sustainable fashions during the 1940s and early 1950s.

Portraits Tour

Tue 19 May
To mark Learning Disability Awareness Week 2020, a group of renowned learning disability artists take you on a tour of their favourite portraits.

Highlights of the British Art Collection

Tue 26 May
View fascinating paintings from the British art collection, including a portrait of Glasgow artist and theatre designer Muriel Sterling, who was a teacher at Laurel Bank School in the West End and an ambulance driver in WW II.

Sustainable Fashion: Adaptable and altered Victorian dresses

Tue 2 Jun
Victorian fashions may seem impractical with their large crinolines and bustles but some surviving examples reveal they were adapted by thrifty wearers!



People Who Donated Our Paintings

Tue 23 Jun
Some of the paintings currently stored at GMRC were donated to Glasgow Museums in the 1800s. The donors came from all walks of life. Hear some of their stories beside the paintings they donated.

Ship Models in Detail

Tue 21 Jul
This tour lets you get close to some of our finest ship models, allowing plenty of time to look at construction and detail.

Roman Coins: Power and propaganda

Tue 28 Jul
Explore the Roman coin collection and discover some of the events and personalities that shaped their design and key messages.

Feathered Friends

Tue 11 Aug
Come for a flying visit through Glasgow Museums' historic bird collection to see familiar feathered friends from Britain plus more exotic species from all across the world.



European Jewellery

Tue 18 Aug
Discover glorious Georgian gems, complex Celtic designs, and much more on this tour of a seldom seen part of the collection.

The Progression of Projectiles

Tue 25 Aug
Investigate our Arms & Armour collection to see how human beings have progressed from the thrown rock to firearms.

TOURS AND WORKSHOPS

Free Community Group Tours and Workshops

Flexible | Book in advance | Telephone 0141 276 9300 or email GMRCbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
Bring your community group, youth group or elderly group to GMRC to discover behind the scenes. Take a free guided tour exploring the museum stores, then a follow up practical workshop or object handling session tailored to the needs and interests of your group. Sessions last up to two hours.

TOURS AND OBJECT HANDLING

Lazy Sundays | 1.30-3.30pm

Sun 8 Mar | International Women's Day
Sun 12 Apr | Fossils
Sun 17 May | Ship Models
Sun 28 Jun | Arms & Armour
Sun 26 Jul | World Cultures
Sun 30 Aug | Archery

Are you looking for ways to feel more relaxed? Take time away from the pressures of everyday life in a unique and peaceful environment. You will have the opportunity to explore, handle and learn about a range of objects in our museum stores. These informal monthly sessions are free and each time we will explore a different area of the collection. All are very welcome and tea and coffee will be provided.

MONTHLY WORKSHOPS

Creative Sundays

1-4pm | Book in advance | Telephone 0141 276 9300 or email GMRCbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
Creative Sundays are fun and informal taster workshops inspired by the museum collections.

Why not try a new craft in these one-day workshops. No previous experience needed, all materials are provided. We advise people to bring a packed lunch as there is no café facility.

Leatherwork

Sun 29 Mar
Discover examples of this ancient craft then learn some of the basic techniques to produce a simple tooled leather pouch.



Tin Can Sculptures

Sun 19 Apr
Be inspired by our sculpture collection then try and create your own sculpture out of tin. This workshop shows you how to use recyclable materials to make art work.

Tote Bags

Sun 24 May
Explore our Natural History collection and be inspired by the patterns and shapes to design and create your own tote bag.

Sew Happy!

Sun 14 Jun
Explore some of the embroidery pieces then learn some basic embroidery techniques. If you are currently working on any projects of your own please bring them along.

Jewellery Making

Sun 19 July
Explore and handle some of our amazing jewellery collection then have a go at making your own piece of jewellery to take home.

Glass Etching

Sun 9 Aug
Discover our collection of decorative glassware then design and hand etch your own pattern onto a glass drinking vessel.



GMRC is the store for the collections not currently on display. With more than 1 million fantastic objects, it is well worth a visit!
You will find us at 200 Woodhead Road, South Nitshill Industrial Estate, Glasgow G53 7NN – just a short walk from Nitshill train station.

ReEngage Monthly Museum Visits

ReEngage (formerly Contact the Elderly) in partnership with Glasgow Museums has been providing monthly outings to our museum venues since 2006. These outings are for those over the age of 70 who live on their own, can't get out often and are interested in museums and arts. Tea and biscuits are provided. One of our volunteer drivers will transport you from your home. If you or someone you know would like to apply to join this group or would like to know more about being a volunteer driver, please contact Angela Rae-Murray by email Angela.Rae-Murray@contact-the-elderly.org.uk, telephone **07902 246062** or visit our website at www.contact-the-elderly.org.uk



INFORMAL LED TOURS

Tea and Tour Tuesdays

Tue 7 Apr, 2 Jun, 4 Aug
 10.30am – 12noon | Book in advance
 Telephone 0141 276 9300 or email GMRCbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
 Join us for a fun-filled stroll through our museums, handle objects and have a chat over a cup of tea. Explore a different theme and a new museum each month. Tea and Tour Tuesdays are aimed at older adults, come on your own and meet new people or bring a friend.



TOUR

Dementia Friendly Tours

Flexible | Book in advance | Telephone 0141 276 9300 or email GMRCbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
 GMRC offers a stimulating environment and enables people to share in an object-looking experience facilitated by our staff. If you are interested in one of our Dementia friendly and accessible tours or you would like to bring a group along, please contact us so we can discuss a visit to meet your needs.

CAFÉ WORKSHOPS



Coffee and Culture Memory Café

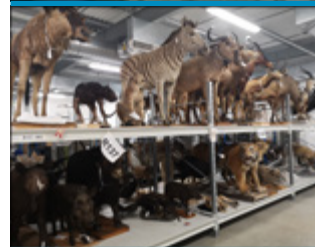
1.30-3.30pm
 Coffee and Culture is a friendly and welcoming café for people with dementia and their carers. It is free and provides the opportunity to meet people, view objects, find out about some of the museum displays and access information and support in a relaxing setting.

- Mon 9 Mar | Fossils
- Mon 6 Apr | Mystery Objects
- Mon 18 May | Ship Models
- Mon 15 Jun | Portraits
- Mon 13 Jul | Butterflies
- Mon 10 Aug | Ancient Egypt

OBJECT VIEWING BY APPOINTMENT

Is There an Object in Our Stores You Would Like to See?

Book in advance
 Telephone 0141 276 9300 or email GMRCbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
 Is there an object you would like to see? You can arrange to see objects from collections located at GMRC by either sending a request to navigator@glasgowlife.org.uk or by completing the form at collections.glasgowmuseums.com/request.html. Object viewing requests must be made at least four weeks in advance and your booking will be confirmed at least one week in advance of your visit.



THEMED ART TOUR

2.30–3.30pm | Book in advance
 Telephone 0141 276 9300 or email GMRCbookings@glasgowlife.org.uk

French Paintings (Part 1)

Thu 19 Mar

Periods in Art

Thu 16 Apr

Italian Paintings

Thu 14 May

History of Scottish Paintings

Thu 11 Jun

French Paintings (Part 2)

Thu 9 Jul

History of English Paintings

Thu 6 Aug

Sir John Lavery: From Rags to Riches

Thu 3 Sep

THEMED TOURS DROP IN

Technology and Shipbuilding

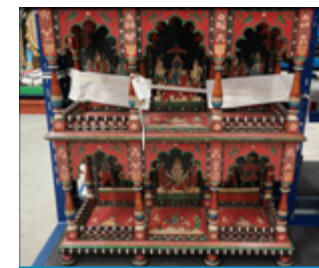
Thu 12 Mar, 9 Apr, 7 May, 4 Jun, 2 Jul & 30 Jul, 27 Aug | 2.30–3.30pm
 Discover some of the highlights of our technology and shipbuilding collections.

Amazing Animals

Thu 26 Mar, 23 Apr, 21 May, 18 Jun, 16 Jul, 13 Aug, 10 Sep
 2.30–3.30pm
 Discover some of the highlights of the natural history collection.

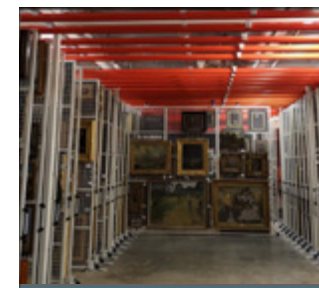
Around the World in 10 objects

Thu 5 Mar, 2 Apr, 30 Apr, 28 May, 25 Jun, 23 Jul, 20 Aug | 2.30–3.30pm
 Discover objects from the collection from around the world.



Behind the Scenes Tour

Every Wed & Fri, Sat & Sun
 Wed & Fri 2.30–3.30pm
 Sat & Sun 11.30am–12.30pm
 Find the amazing museum collections all stored away waiting to be discovered on this behind the scenes tour. Spend an hour discovering this very special building for yourself and some of the highlights of the one million treasures it holds.



KELVINGROVE ART GALLERY & MUSEUM

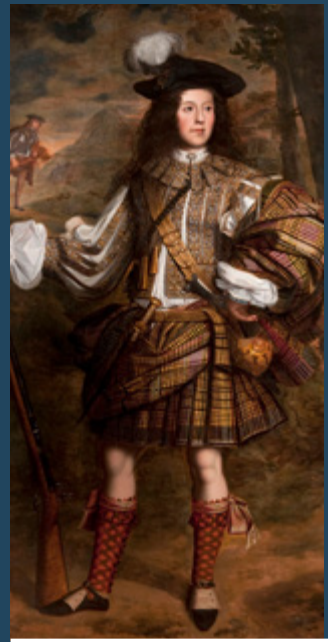
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TALKS

Mungo Murray: John Michael Wright's 'A Highland Chieftain: Portrait of Lord Mungo Murray'

Tue 3 Mar | 2pm
An opportunity to learn more about a new acquisition for Glasgow Museums. This painting is one of the first portraits showing someone posing in Highland dress. Led by Curator of British Art Jo Meacock.



The Burrell at Kelvingrove: Scotland and China: A tale of two 'jades'

Wed 4 Mar | 2-2.30pm
Join Jane Flint, our Curator of Prehistoric Archaeology, to find out more about two special objects in our collections: a Chinese jade pendant in the Burrell Collection, and a jadeite axehead found in Scotland.



Cast for Eternity - Chinese Bronze

Wed 18 Mar | 2-2.30pm
Join Stephanie de Roemer, Conservator for Sculpture & Installation Art, on a journey of discovery of Ancient Chinese bronzes, how they were made, used and continue to inspire and fascinate contemporary cultures.



Mungo Murray: Death and Expulsion: Mungo Murray's Darien

Tue 17 Mar | 2pm
Join Dr Julie Orr as she places Lord Mungo Murray's portrait in the context of the Scottish attempt to form a colony in Darien, in modern day Panama, which led to Murray's demise.

Mungo Murray: The Fashion for Tartan

Tue 21 Apr | 2pm
Discover the details of Lord Mungo Murray's clothing, including his tartan, and how they help to identify him as a Highland Chieftain.



Scotching Myths: Mungo Murray and Scottish Identity

Tue 16 Jun | 2-3.30pm
An afternoon of short talks in the Scottish Identity in Art gallery, looking at the history of John Michael Wright's portrait of Lord Mungo Murray and what it means to be Scottish today.

Glasgow international AT KELVINGROVE EXHIBITIONS

France-Lise McGurn, Aloud

Until Sun 25 April 2021
During opening hours
France-Lise McGurn's newly commissioned installation draws on her experiences of Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum. In particular, Albert Moore's *Reading Aloud* (1884) has provided a point of departure for McGurn's *Aloud*.

Carol Rhodes, See the World

Until Mon 25 May 2020
During opening hours
This first posthumous solo exhibition focuses on Rhodes' rarely exhibited drawings alongside key paintings and invites close examination of her artistic processes and preoccupations.



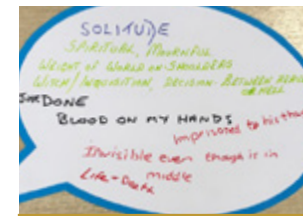
Mungo Murray: The power of patronage and politics of a noble Murray: The fortunes of the Murrays of Athol in 1660s' Scotland

Tue 4 Aug | 2pm
Join Curator of Scottish History Dr Tony Lewis as he sets John Michael Wright's portrait of Lord Mungo Murray in the context of the history of the Murray family and their political status in Scotland in the 1600s.

EXHIBITION

Fragile Art Exhibition Between Utopias: Russian Art in the Early 1900s

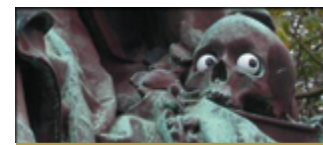
Until Wed 10 Jun 2020
During opening hours
Between Utopias explores the work of Pavel Makov and Nikita Gashunin, artists from the former Soviet Union who responded to a society in flux.



Through Our Eyes: Looking at art with lived experience

From June 2020
During opening hours
This new exhibition of artworks from the collection was co-curated by participants of Glasgow Association for Mental Health Group Service and the Open Museum.

FORUM



Who Cares for Sculpture?

Fri 13 Mar, 8 May, 3 Jul | 4-5pm
Learn how to explore sculpture beyond museum displays. Engage with and read Kelvingrove sculptures so that afterwards your insights reveal the often obscure symbolism of Glasgow's magnificent public sculptural works. Ask where the forum begins at an enquiry desk.



EXHIBITION

Coming into View: Photographing Glasgow

Ongoing | During opening hours

This engaging exhibition celebrates the work of amateur photographer Eric Watt, who captured the city from the 1950s to the late 1990s. Contemporary contributions by community groups bring multiple aspects of today's Glasgow in to view.



The Burrell At Kelvingrove: Collecting Chinese Treasures

Until Sun 29 Nov 2020

During opening hours

Which collector was ahead of his time? This exhibition showcases 60 works of Chinese ceramics, jade and bronze selected by curator Dr Yupin Chung and guest curator Jorge Welsh from up to 1,800 objects in the Burrell Collection. It explores how tastes in fashion have largely accounted for the 'wanderings' of artistic masterpieces.



Art Extraordinary!

From Sat 23 May

During opening hours

A display of objects curated by Glasgow's hospitals and Project Ability using the Art Extraordinary collection collected by the pioneering Scottish art therapist Joyce Laing.



Community Space Display by Scottish War Blinded

Until Apr 2023

During opening hours

Scottish War Blinded is built on a philosophy of enabling veterans to lead independent lives. This display of participants' artworks illustrates how creativity can inspire, engage and build confidence.



COMMUNITY SPACE DISPLAY



Remembering Srebrenica Scotland

Follow us on RSS FB/Twitter

or www.srebrenica.scot

Details of talks or presentations by representatives from Remembering Srebrenica Scotland will be posted on social media as they are confirmed.

25 Years on, we Remember Srebrenica

From Sat 2 May - Thu 30 Jul

During opening hours

A Remembering Srebrenica Scotland display commemorating 25 years since thousands of men and boys were killed in Srebrenica, Bosnia. The Muslim victims of this genocide were targeted for their identity.

WORKSHOPS

The Burrell at Kelvingrove: Papermaking with Alison Newman

Sat 21 Mar | 1.30-4pm

Book in advance | Telephone

0141 276 9505/6 or email

kglearning@glasgowlife.org.uk

Enjoy the afternoon making your own paper using natural plant fibres from across the globe. This is a unique chance to learn from a master! Equipment, tutorials and materials are included.

The Burrell at Kelvingrove: Ink rubbing on Chinese paper

Sun 22 Mar | 11am-1pm

Book in advance | Telephone

0141 276 9505/6 or email

kglearning@glasgowlife.org.uk

Join artist Thomas Jacobi experimenting with texture rubbing. Create exciting artworks from invisible and mundane surface textures. Bring a small, old chopping board then learn from a master.

The Burrell at Kelvingrove: Coptic bookbinding with Kerry Douglas

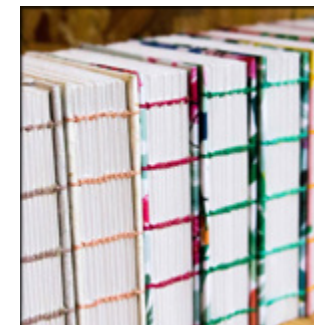
Sun 22 Mar | 1.30-4pm

Book in advance | Telephone

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Discover the ancient art of Coptic bookbinding in a practical, informative and creative afternoon. Using traditional bookbinding tools, you will hand sew your own book to take home.



Treasure Trove Finds: Archaeological finds identification

Sat 23 May | 11am-3pm

Archaeological artefacts unearthed by the public can make a significant contribution to our understanding of Scotland's past. Bring your archaeological finds to Kelvingrove today for identification and Treasure Trove assessment.



Exploring Conservation Handling Kit

Sat 11 Jul | 10-11am

Find out about the sculpture conservation work that goes on behind the scenes in the museum in this fascinating hands-on session.





PEOPLE'S PALACE

PalaceBookings@glasgowlife.org.uk
0141 276 0788



Ghost Signs of Glasgow Local Tour and Exhibition Preview

Sat 11 Jul & 22 Aug | 1.30–4pm

Preview our temporary exhibition *Coming into View: Photographing Glasgow* then go on a tour of old shopfronts and ghost signs with Ghost Signs of Glasgow (Glasgow City Heritage Trust). Detailed information can be found on our website.



GHOST SIGNS of Glasgow



Glasgow City heritage Trust (GCHT)

Pouring Plaster Sculpture

Sat 22 Aug | 1.30–4pm

Booking essential | Telephone
0141 276 9505/6 or email

kglearning@glasgowlife.org.uk
Explore the eclectic sculpture collection, then master the art of casting parts of your own body using alginate. This workshop is free but spaces are limited.

EVENT

Live music and poetry Inspired by our 'Coming into View: Photographing Glasgow Exhibition'

Sun 12 Jul, 9 Aug | 1.30–3pm
Perform a song or poem about a favourite aspect of Glasgow for visitors to the ground floor photography exhibition. Enjoy hearing our facilitator reflect the city through song and poetry too.



Piping Live

Mon 10–Fri 14 Aug
2–2.30pm

Piping Live! is pleased to present free recitals by a different style of piping at Kelvingrove this Summer. Please visit their website www.pipinglive.co.uk nearer the time for details of which style of bagpipes you can hear.

TOURS

Highlight Tours

Various | Book in advance
Do you have a group interested in visiting the Palace? We can offer a tailored highlight tour based around the social history of Glasgow. Please contact us for more information on times and availability.

DISPLAYS

Benny Lynch, The Little King of the Gorbals

Until Jun 2020

During opening hours

A community display which gathers together never seen before objects from Benny Lynch's life and career, including his life gloves, trophies, contract and personal items.

OBJECT HANDLING SESSIONS

Hands On at the Palace

Sun 29 Mar, 26 Apr, 24 May, 28 Jun
1–3.30pm

Join us for some special themed handling sessions. You'll be able to get up close to real museum objects and learn about the history behind them! Look out for more dates on our website.

TALKS

1955 Highlights Chat

Fri 19 & 26 Jun | 1.30pm
Join us for a walk round Glasgow 1955: Through the Lens where we will look in more detail at a special selection of photographs from the display.

EVENT

Remembering the VE Day Street Parties

Fri 8 & Sat 9 May | 1.30–3.30pm
Find out how Glasgow celebrated VE day 75 years ago! We will have lots of 1940s' themed activities for all ages to enjoy. Check our website nearer the time for more information!

Please note the Winter Gardens are currently closed. There is a new Coffee Stop on the ground floor adjacent to the shop and a packed lunch area is available on the second floor.

DISPLAYS

Glasgow 1955: Through the Lens

Ongoing
During Opening hours
In 1955 Glasgow camera clubs got together to create a unique photography survey of the city. They photographed everyday scenes of people and places and in the process created a wonderful record of daily life. A selection of these popular photographs is back on display at the People's Palace. For some it will be a trip down memory lane and for others a chance to see Glasgow as it looked over half a century ago.



Elder Park, James Hagen, Glasgow South Co-operative Club Doulton Fountain, Paul M Cassidy, Queen's Park Camera Club

RIVERSIDE MUSEUM

0141 287 2720



OBJECT HANDLING

Fairfield Heritage at Riverside

Thu 12 & Thu 26 Mar | 1.30-3pm
Enjoy a glimpse of shipyard life through this object handling session with Fairfield Heritage. For more information and for future dates visit www.fairfieldgovan.co.uk

TOURS



Tea & Tour Tuesdays

Tue 3 Mar, 5 May & 7 Jul
10.30am-12pm | Older Adults
Join us for a fun-filled stroll through our museums, handle objects and have a chat over a cup of tea. Explore a different theme and a new museum each month. Tea and Tour Tuesdays are aimed at older adults, come on your own and meet new people or bring a friend.

HANDS ON WORKSHOPS

Going Green

Wed 4 Mar, 29 Apr & 27 May
1.30-3pm

Come over to see and learn about our new display on sustainable transportation, fossil fuels and alternatives for the future.

Do you remember these toys?

Thu 19 Mar & 11 Jun | 1.30-3pm
Join in for a trip down memory lane to your own childhood and the toys you used to play with.



Geology Rocks!

Wed 1 Apr & 24 Jun | 1.30-3pm
Come along and explore some specimens from our geology collection. You can handle them and learn about their composition and what we use them for.

Tram Days

Thu 14 May & 20 Aug | 1.30-3pm
Join us inside our Room & Kitchen tram, handle some tram-related objects and become a clippie for a day!

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WORKSHOPS MINDFUL ARTS & CRAFTS

11am-1pm
Book in advance | Email:
riversidebookings@glasgowlife.org.uk

Macramé Plant Hangers

Sun 29 Mar
Get inspired by our 60s display, and create a macramé plant hanger to decorate your home. We will use natural materials such as cotton rope and wooden beads.

Driftwood Decorations

Sun 26 Apr
Have a relaxing time creating various home decorations using Scottish sea-washed driftwood, natural twines, and acrylic paints or watercolours.

Styrofoam Printmaking

Sun 21 Jun
Experiment with Styrofoam printmaking techniques and make colourful artworks. We will get inspired by the view of the River Clyde, and shapes and patterns of transport in our museum.

Riverside Inspired Clay Pots

Sun 5 Jul
Stretch your hands and wrists, and learn how to make a decorative slab-built pot. We will be inspired by the shapes of Riverside museum's architecture.

Fabric Wall Decorations

Sun 16 Aug
In this mindful session we will create colourful fabric wall hangings using natural materials such as calico cotton fabric, string, Scottish driftwood and fabric paints.

WORKSHOPS

Victorian printed portraits

Fri 13 Mar & 8 May | 1.30-3.30pm
Draw and print your own Victorian-style portrait. We will look at how cameras were used in a social context. Discover the different cameras and the exciting printing processes used from the Victorian era.

Build your own boat

Fri 27 Mar & 22 May | 1.30-3.30pm
Join us in a session of observing and drawing the different boats we have on display. Try out carpentry skills using tools and make a vessel from air drying clay.

Relax by the Riverside

Fri 24 Apr & 5 Jun | 1.30-3.30pm
Drop by and join us for our relaxed session in our unique space by the River Clyde. We will be looking at images both past and present of the riverside. Using watercolours and acrylics, you can draw observed, imagined or even future views of the Clyde.



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NEW: DISPLAY

Spinning Around - Glasgow's Remarkable Record Shops

From June | During opening hours
This new display celebrates Glasgow's many record shops of the 1980s and 1990s which were a vital part of the city's internationally-renowned music, creative and cultural scene.

ACTOR-LED

Meet the Victorians on Main Street

Sun 5 Apr, Sat 11 Apr & Sun 12 Apr & Sun 10 May | 11.30am, 12.30pm, 1.30pm & 2.30pm
There is something suspicious happening on our old street. Find out more from our Victorian ladies and help the policeman with his enquiries. Suitable for all ages. Bring your imagination!



1920s' Woman Engineer

Sat 6 Jun | Between 12-4pm
Meet our woman engineer and discover more about the Galloway motor car. Check our website for more dates.

CHATTY CAFÉ

Natter and Chatter table

Every Thursday | 10am-12pm
Many of our museum cafés now provide Natter and Chatter tables, where customers can sit if they are happy to talk to other customers. Mums, dads, babies, grandparents, young people, older people and anyone in between!

DISPLAY

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Going Green - The Drive for Energy Efficiency

Ongoing | During opening hours
This new display is inspired by James Watt, the Scottish scientist. Famous for inventing a condenser that reduced the amount of coal required to drive a steam engine, the display showcases his work in a modern-day context of energy efficiency and climate change. Central to the display is a Tesla car, Model S P85+ and a rare Honda Insight Mk1 from 2000.

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EXHIBITION

GlaswegAsians

Until 2022 | During opening hours

A Colourful Heritage exhibition exploring 150 years of South Asian and Muslim history in Glasgow highlighting the community's contribution to the city and during two world wars.

SELF LED

Make and Share some South Asian Games

Until 2022 | During opening hours

Bring your children, grandchildren or great-grandchildren for an intergenerational making and sharing session. Come make some South Asian games and share personal stories about games you used to play. Ask at the front desk for your self-led pack.

TOURS

Join the Scotland Street School Building Tour

Sun 22 Mar, 26 Apr, 24 May, 21 Jun,

19 Jul, 23 Aug | Meeting in the

Drill Hall at 1.30pm
Currently Scotland Street is the only school designed by Charles Rennie Mackintosh that is still open to the public. This informal guide-led tour allows visitors to listen, and discuss his work.

EVENTS

Go back to school with Miss Baxter

Sun 8 Mar, 5 Apr, 3 May, 14 Jun, 12 Jul, 2 Aug | Meeting in the Drill Hall at 1.30pm

Following the retirement of our Horrible Heedie, come and relive your school days with his just as horrible sister, the brisk and brutal Miss Baxter. Drop in to one of her historical classroom recreations for lessons on spelling, maths and shouting.



WORKSHOPS

Make and share some South Asian games with Fizza Kaneez and Lababa Naqvi

Sat 21 & Sun 22 Mar | 1.30-4.00pm

Learn about the South Asian history of various games and toys in these freelancer-led workshops. Each participant will learn while making a game or toy to take away. These sessions are also suitable for families and groups.

KELVIN HALL

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TOURS

Building and Store Tour

Tue & Thu | 11am
Sat & Sun | 1.30pm
Book in advance | Email kelvinhalltours@glasgowlife.org.uk or telephone 0141 276 1450 and press 1 for Sport to book
Join our volunteer tour guides for a free 45 minute tour of Kelvin Hall and take a peek behind the scenes in Glasgow Museums' store.



Manager's Tours

Fri 27 Mar, 24 Apr, 29 May, 28 Aug 1.30-2.15pm | Booking essential kelvinhalltours@glasgowlife.org.uk or telephone 0141 276 1450 and press 1 for Sport to book

Join Kelvin Hall's Programme Manager for a tour which looks at the history and heritage of Kelvin Hall. Take a peek behind the scenes in Glasgow Museums' store and learn about some of the objects held therein.

TWILIGHT TOURS AND SCREENINGS

Booking essential

www.eventbrite.co.uk

www.kelvinhall.org.uk/whats-on

Join one of our curators each month for a short, themed tour of Kelvin Hall's Museum stores. On selected dates these will be followed by a National Library of Scotland screening.



CINE(STHESIA):

Women Film-makers

Sat 7 Mar | 10.30am-4.30pm

Wed 11 Mar | 6-7pm

National Library of Scotland at Kelvin Hall

A selection of films being screened to celebrate International Women's Day 2020. This CINE(STHESIA) screening highlights some of the wonderful work of women film-makers in the Moving Image Archive. Themes such as travel, artistic expression and family mirror the complex range of women's experiences and journeys through life.



Sheina, Science and the Sea

Wed 11 Mar | 5.15-5.45pm

Hunterian Museum Store at Kelvin Hall

Celebrating International Women's Day we visit the Hunterian Museum stores to discuss Sheina Macalister Marshall and her vital contributions to global marine science and the museum collections relating to her.

A Handloom Weaver's Life

Wed 1 Apr | 5.15-5.45pm

Glasgow Museums Store at Kelvin Hall

Join Social History Curator Fiona Hayes to discover what life was like for handloom weavers who took part in the 1820 Rising through artefacts in Glasgow Museums' store.

Gatherin up auld thrums

Wed 1 Apr | 6-8pm

Kelvin Hall cinema

Explore the tradition of handloom weaving and the significance of the weavers' resistance during the 1820 Rising. Featuring film, songs, vocabulary from the Moving Image Archive as well as a live demonstration of hand weaving.



Grandpa's Medals: A WW II story

Wed 29 Apr | 5.15-5.45pm
University of Glasgow Search Room at Kelvin Hall

Join Jesper Ericsson, Curator of Numismatics at The Hunterian, for a special 75th anniversary of VE Day Twilight Tour about British medals of WW II.

Wed 29 Apr | 6-8pm
National Library of Scotland at Kelvin Hall

Following the Twilight Tour head to the National Library of Scotland to explore related video content.



Music to my ears!

Wed 20 May | 5.15-5.45pm
Glasgow Museum Store at Kelvin Hall

From phonographs to juke boxes, an informal stores tour looking at how we've played and listened to music through the years.

Wed 20 May | 6-8pm
National Library of Scotland at Kelvin Hall

Following the Twilight Tour head to the National Library of Scotland to explore related video content.

Lord Mungo Murray and 17th-century Scotland

Wed 3 Jun | 5.15-5.45pm
Glasgow Museum Store at Kelvin Hall

A behind-the-scenes opportunity, giving access to heritage items not on public display, leading to a greater understanding of the historical context around a newly acquired portrait of Lord Mungo Murray, currently on display in Kelvingrove Art Gallery & Museum.

Wed 3 Jun | 6-8pm
National Library of Scotland at Kelvin Hall

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Staff Stories

From Wed 11 Mar-Jul 2020
The team from Glasgow Sport at Kelvin Hall have curated their own display using objects from Glasgow Museums' collection. Expect childhood favourites, sporting memorabilia and musical memories.'



DISPLAYS AT KELVIN HALL



Glasgow Museums work with city-based community groups to curate Your Stories. With over 100,000 objects to choose from, each group will have an opportunity create their own display and share their own stories. If you are part of a Glasgow-based community group and would like to curate your own display please contact jade.graham@glasgowlife.org.uk or call 0141 276 1450, option 3.

EVENTS

Kelvin Hall Makes Waves at the University of Glasgow Science Festival

Sat 13 Jun | 12-3pm | Drop-in
National Library of Scotland at Kelvin Hall, Board Room

Craft your own record and listen back to it and make your own mixtape. A fun introduction to the science of recording and playing back music via records and tapes.

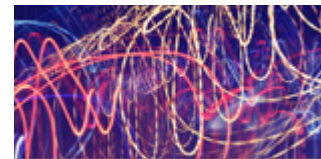
Explore the waves around Scotland's Lighthouses

Sat 13 Jun | 11.30am-12.30pm & 1.30-2.30pm | Booking essential
www.eventbrite.co.uk
www.kelvinhall.org.uk/whats-on
National Library of Scotland at Kelvin Hall, Learning Room

Creative workshops for families with children aged 5-8 years exploring flotsam and jetsam. See films and listen to stories of treasures and surprising objects washed up on the shore. Make your own family lighthouse from found and recycled materials.

Making Waves with Glasgow Museums

Sat 13 Jun | 12-3pm | Drop-in
Check out the eclectic music collection in the Glasgow Museums' store with informal tours throughout the afternoon. Families will enjoy dropping-in to create some wiggly sound wave inspired art.



REMINISCENCE SESSION

Music Memories

Tue 12 May | 2-3.30pm

A chance to look at the different ways in which music technology has changed over the years, followed by an informal chat about music memories. We've got records, concert tickets and programmes to start the conversations!



West End Glasgow – through the Lens

Tue 23 Jun | 2-3.30pm | Booking essential | www.eventbrite.co.uk
www.kelvinhall.org.uk/whats-on
A chance to see a selection of photographs taken by Partick Camera Club as part of the 1955 photographic survey, including shots of the canal, shipyards and Park Circus. Part of the West End Festival.

ST MUNGO MUSEUM & PROVAND'S LORDSHIP

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NEW EXHIBITS

New works by Peter Howson at St Mungo's

During opening hours
New artworks by artist Peter Howson OBE are now on show. The Massacre of Srebrenica is a large-scale painting portraying an act of genocide that took place during the religious and ethnic conflicts in Bosnia in the 1990s. The painting depicts the massacre of July 1995 when over 8,000 Bosnian men and boys were killed in the worst atrocity on European soil since WW II.



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WORKSHOPS AND DIALOGUE



Faith to Faith

Sun 8 Mar, 19 Apr, 10 May, 14 Jun,
12 Jul, 9 Aug | 2-4pm

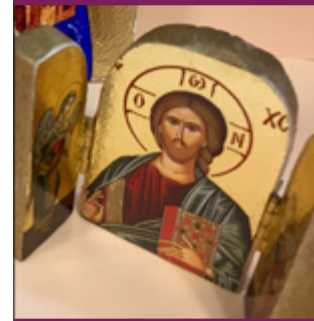
Our ever-popular Faith to Faith monthly series of dialogue and discussion workshops is back with a new programme for 2020. It features a wide variety of speakers sharing their thoughts on a range of contemporary religious and cultural issues in society. Check the website and our Facebook page for details of each month's topics and guest speakers.

WORKSHOPS

Learn how to paint a traditional icon

Sun 3 May | 1.30-4pm
Book in advance

Iconography is one of the oldest traditions in sacred Christian art. Learn about the history of icon-making and create your own interpretation (with a modern twist if you prefer!) using traditional techniques and contemporary materials.



Sashiko Embroidery

Sun 10 May | 1.30-4pm
Book in advance

Embroidery is an ancient form of needlework that is used to embellish textiles for decorative and communicative purposes in different cultures and religions. Using simple techniques, you will learn how to create Japanese Sashiko-style embroidery.



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BOOKING INFORMATION & OPENING TIMES

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The Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow Museums Resource Centre, Kelvingrove Art Gallery & Museum, People's Palace, Riverside Museum and Scotland Street School Museum are open daily: 10am–5pm, except Fridays & Sundays 11am–5pm. The Gallery of Modern Art is also open until 8pm on Thursdays.

Provand's Lordship and St Mungo Museum of Religious Life & Art have the same opening hours except that they are **CLOSED** on Mondays.

The Burrell Collection is closed until 2021 for the Burrell Renaissance – a major project of refurbishment and redisplay.



- 1 The Burrell Collection**
Closed for refurbishment & redisplay until 2020
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- 2 Gallery of Modern Art (GoMA)**
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- 3 Glasgow Museums Resource Centre**
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- 4 Kelvingrove Art Gallery & Museum**
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- 5 People's Palace**
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