

# **Bucks County Museum Exhibitions & Events: April to October 2018**

### 10 February – 21 April

# Elisabeth Frink: sculptures, drawings, prints

Fantastic opportunity to see sculptures of animals, heads and human figures by this iconic 20<sup>th</sup> century female artist. By donation.

#### 18 April

#### **Tour of Frink Exhibition**

Discover more about Frink with our Art Curator Mel Czapski during this special tour at 11 am and 2 pm. £5 per adult – not suitable for children. **Booking essential** - please call 01296 331441 or call in to our ticket office.

#### 3 March - 23 June

#### **Curators Choice**

Discover what our museum curators like best in the museum's collections. Why not choose your own favourite object in the Museum? By donation.

# Easter Sunday 1 April & Bank Holiday Monday 2 April Meet the Saxon Warriors

#### 11 am - 4 pm

Meet the brave and fierce Saxon warriors wearing Saxon battle dress, try on some of their armour and explore their living history encampment and Saxon craft demonstrations in the Museum grounds. A special living history event for all the family. By Donation.

# **Easter Holidays**

### Family Cinema Screenings & Play Area

Come along during the Easter holidays to our special family screenings of favourite films shown in the relaxed atmosphere of the museum. There will also be a play area for younger children and refreshments. **Check our website in March for titles, charges and dates.** 

# Saturday 21 April, 2pm – 4.30pm

### **Shakespeare at the Museum**

Twelfth Night performed in the museum garden by Unbound from the Queens Park Arts Centre, Aylesbury. No need to book. **Entry by donation.** 

#### 5 May - 30 June

### Paul Kidby: Discworld & Beyond – the Art of Terry Pratchett

Terry Pratchett's 'artist of choice' Paul Kidby brings to life the author's famous Discworld novels with his stunning and imaginative illustrations. Check Museum web site for admission costs.

## Wed 30 May & Thurs 31 May Medieval Family Puppet Show

Full of daft humour, live music, eccentric puppets and audience participation, this show by Rattlebox Theatre Company will bring magic and laughter to all ages as the classic story of the warrior Beowulf is told. **Check web site for times and charges.** 



#### Sat 30 June Whizzfizzing Festival (AVDC + partners event)

Afternoon cream tea with a themed theatre character tbc- ticketed event from AVDC

## 25 July – 5 September

### CIVILISATIONS: an interactive LEGO brick adventure around the world

Bright Bricks are back at the museum with a bigger and better LEGO brick exhibition. Discover life sized figures from civilisations from around the world including Egyptian, Aztec, Greek and Samurai. **Check website for charges.** 

#### Sun 5 August

Gin & Jazz - Bucks County Museum, Aylesbury Town Centre Partnership and Shoot Pool. Ticketed event at £8 per ticket – beverages and food to be purchased on the day

#### 30 June - 29 Sept

#### **Wonder Dogs: dogs that help humans**

Find out how specially trained dogs help people live their lives. **Check website for special doggy events.** By donation.

Sun 9 September: Tudor Fayre (Aylesbury Town Council)

# 22 September – 8 December

#### Silversmith

Beautiful silver from the Hart Silversmiths of Chipping Campden in the Cotswolds and the museum's collections. By donation.

# Mushroom Magic: A UK Fungus Day event

# Saturday 6 October, 11am – 4pm

Mystified by mushrooms or tantalised by toadstools? Then Mushroom Magic is the event for you! The Bucks Fungus Group presents a display of locally collected mushrooms and toadstools. No need to book. Just turn up. By donation.

# 6 October - Jan 2019 WW1: Legacy of War

Special exhibition marking the end of the First World War and the legacy of war. By donation.

New events may be added during the year. To keep up to date with what's on at the museum visit our website and sign up to our e-newsletter.

# www.buckscountymuseum.org

The Museum is a registered charity number 1153345 with running costs of £2000 per day – we have no set admission price but all donations to support the charity are welcome.