

School holiday activities Jolly Holidays!

50p per child

Jolly Holidays are art based activities for children. At each session your children can create their own little masterpiece to take away.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by an adult. Suitable for children of all ages.

Jolly Holidays! Self Led Art Activities FREE

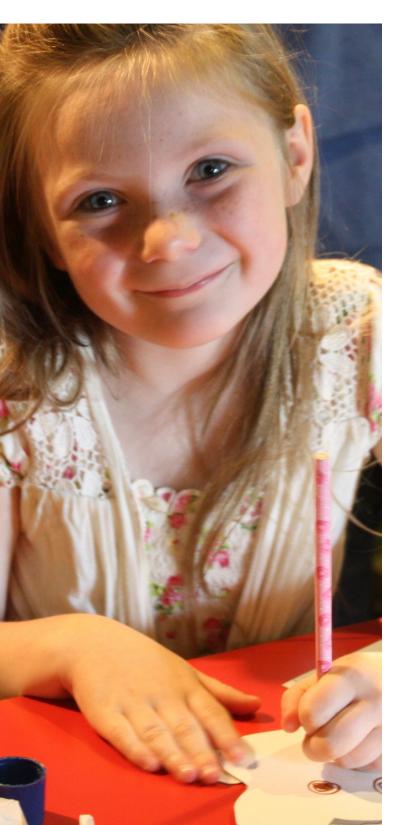
This self led art activity is where you as a family work together, following the step by step instructions to complete your mini masterpiece.

Held during school holidays at Portland Basin Museum each Thursday 11am – 3pm and at Central Art Gallery each Friday 11am – 3pm.

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Meet Tommy Atkins: First World War Soldier FREE

Discover what he wore, what he ate and how he lived, fought and died in the 'Great War for Civilisation'. Try on his uniform and handle the equipment he carried.



Family Events and Activities

Learn and be curious through our family friendly activities.

We offer a range of activities suitable for children and their families; from event days to holiday activities for all ages. You will always find a craft table at all our sites for you to drop in and make something arty.

Please note: Portland Basin Museum will be open Bank Holiday Mondays 10am-4pm.

Event Days

Easter Monday Funday

Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. FREE Monday 1 April Join us for an Easter Monday of activities, trails and fun for all the family. Suitable for all ages.

May Day Bank Holiday Monday Funday

Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. FREE Monday 6 May Join us for our May Day Funday when our museum will be brought to life with characters and activities for all the family. Suitable for all ages.

May Bank Holiday Funday

Portland Basin Museum

11am – 3pm. FREE Monday 27 May Join us for our May Bank Holiday Monday Funday of activities and fun for all the family. Suitable for all ages.

Portland Basin Museum

Portland Place, Heritage Wharf, Ashton-under-Lyne OL7 0QA Tel: 0161 343 2878 www.tameside.gov.uk/museumsgalleries/portland

Opening times: October – June: Tues – Sun, 10am – 4pm July – September: Tues – Sun, 10am – 5pm Closed Monday except Bank Holidays. Free Entry Fully accessible, lift, disabled parking

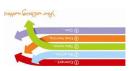
Museum of the Manchester Regiment

The Museum of the Manchester Regiment, Town Hall building, Ashton-under-Lyne OL6 6DL Tel: 0161 342 2254 www.tameside.gov.uk/museumsgalleries/mom

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For more information about Family Friendly activities in the North West visit www.familyfriendly.org.uk



Tours

Did you know we now offer **FREE** one hour museum tours at Portland Basin Museum?

If you want to bring a group please contact us on **0161 343 2878**

A Warm Welcome

You'll have great days out at Tameside Museums and Galleries. There is so much to see and do, with the chance to learn about Tameside's fascinating history and industrial heritage.

We are just outside Manchester, accessible by car, bus and train.

All our sites are FREE and located in the lively market town of Ashton-under-Lyne.

We look forward to seeing you.

Tameside Museums and Galleries Service



Portland Basin Museum Museum of the Manchester Regiment Central Art Gallery

Opening times: Tue-Fri, 10am-4pm Sat, 10am-1pm Closed Sunday & Monday Free entry Fully accessible, lift, disabled parking

Central Art Gallery

Old Street, Ashton-under-Lyne OL6 7SG Tel: 0161 342 2650 www.tameside.gov.uk/museumsgalleries/central

Opening times: Tues, Wed, Fri, 10am-12.30pm, 1-4pm Thurs, 1-7pm Sat, 10am-1pm Closed Sunday & Monday Free entry

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www.tameside.gov.uk/museumsgalleries





Adult events and study days

Learning is a lifelong process and our service offers a variety of sessions with adults in mind. From evening lectures, art study days and tours, there is something for everyone.

Adult Groups

Connecting with fellow enthusiasts and making new friends is important to our health. We have a variety of social groups for you to join. If you would like us to introduce you to a group, please phone 0161 343 2878.

Knit and Natter Central Art Gallery 10am - 1pm. Free Every second and fourth Tuesday of the month.

Meet new friends and share our joy of knitting and crochet over a cup of tea and cake.

Quilting Bee

Portland Basin Museum 1pm - 3pm. Free Every second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Meet new friends and share our joy of patchwork and quilting over a cup of tea and cake.

Stitch in Time Museum of the Manchester Regiment 10am-1pm. Free

February 2013

Friday 15 February Figure Drawing study day Central Art Gallery 10am – 3pm. £25/ £20 concessions

Tuesday 19 February Jolly Holidays art activity Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. 50p per child

Wednesday 20 February Meet Tommy Atkins: First World War Soldier The Museum of the Manchester Regiment 11am – 3pm. FREE

Wednesday 20 February Jolly Holidays art activity Central Art Gallery 10.30am – 12 noon. 50p per child

March 2013

Saturday 2 March Mixed media techniques study day Portland Basin Museum 10am – 3pm. £25/ £20 concessions

April 2013

Monday 1 April Easter Monday Fun Day Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. FREE

Tuesday 2 April Jolly Holidays art activity Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. 50p per child

Wednesday 3 April Meet Tommy Atkins: First World War Soldier The Museum of the Manchester Regiment 11am – 3pm. FREE

Wednesday 3 April Jolly Holidays art activity Central Art Gallery 10.30am – 12 noon. 50p per child

Tuesday 9 April Jolly Holidays art activity Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. 50p per child

Wednesday 10 April Meet Tommy Atkins: First World War Soldier The Museum of the Manchester Regiment 11am – 3pm. FREE

Wednesday 10 April Jolly Holidays art activity Central Art Gallery Monday 27 May Bank Holiday Fun Day Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. FREE

Tuesday 28 May Jolly Holidays art activity Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. 50p per child

Wednesday 29 May Meet Tommy Atkins: First World War Soldier The Museum of the Manchester Regiment 11am – 3pm. FREE

Wednesday 29 May Jolly Holidays art activity Central Art Gallery 10.30am – 12 noon. 50p per child

June 2013

Tuesday 4 June Jolly Holidays art activity Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. 50p per child

Wednesday 5 June Meet Tommy Atkins: First World War Soldier The Museum of the Manchester Regiment 11am – 3pm. FREE

Wednesday 5 June Jolly Holidays art activity Central Art Gallery 10.30am – 12 noon, 50p per child

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Every second and fourth Thursday of the month.

Come along and meet fellow embroiderers at our friendly morning of sewing and chatting.

Adult study days

Please see our events calendar.

Cost for all our study days is £25 or £20 concessions (proof of concession eligibility may be required). Spaces on these study days are limited and book up quickly so please book in advance to avoid disappointment.

Reminiscing Sessions

We arrange reminiscence sessions on various themes, such as National Service, military souvenirs, seaside holidays and make do and mend. For one of our team to come out to your group there is a charge of £60 per reminiscing session.

Evening Lectures

The Museum of the Manchester Regiment hosts a series of lectures. For more information please see our website or call the museum.

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May 2013

Monday 6 May May Day Bank Holiday Fun Day Portland Basin Museum 11am – 3pm. FREE

Tuesday 7 May Evening Lecture: The Clickety Click The story of the 66th Division in the Great War The Museum of the Manchester Regiment 7.15pm – 8pm. FREE

Friday 17 May Painting Local Landscapes study day Central Art Gallery 10am – 3pm. £25/ £20 concessions