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### JOINING UP

### Every day, 10am - 4pm

Meet the Recruitment Officer in our new exhibition. 1914: When the World Changed Forever, and find out if you have what it takes to join the new volunteer army. Sign up for special drill sessions where you will be put through your paces, at 11am, 12:30pm, 2pm, and 3pm.

### **CODED COMMUNICATIONS**

### Every day from 10am

Send your own messages and decode a special message from the museum using semaphore and Morse code in this dropin activity. Weekly prize draw for correct answers.

### **ANGEL OF MONS MYTHS AND LEGENDS**

### Saturday 23 August, 11am - 4pm

Working with an artist, help us to mark the anniversary of the start of the Battle of Mons in this drop-in session. Create your own watercolour, inspired by works from York Art Gallery's collection depicting the story of the Angel of Mons.

All activities included in

museum admission

### **NEW EXHIBITION**

· When The · WORLD CHANGED **FOREVER** 

### MORSE CODE

Thursdays and Fridays, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm, 3pm, and 4pm Special drop-in family workshops to make your own Morse code machine. Places are limited and will be first come, first served.

### **TOTAL WAR**

Find out more about life during the First World War, with object handling opportunities throughout the exhibition.



### **CASTLE KITCHEN**

Discover and taste some of the food which would have been eaten during the First World War, and learn about rations in the trenches and food shortages on the home front.











### **Visitor Information**

Yorkshire Museum Open Daily: 10am – 5pm

Admission: Adult: £7.50

Free entry for children under 16\* and residents with a valid YorkCard

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www.yorkshiremuseum.org.uk

York Castle Museum Open Daily: 9.30am – 5pm

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www.yorkcastlemuseum.org.uk

York Art Gallery is closed for a major redevelopment until 2015 – please visit www.yorkartgallery.org.uk for more details.

#### ARTS AWARD DISCOVER

#### MYTHS AND LEGENDS ARTS AWARD

This summer we have teamed up with York Explore Libraries and York Minster to offer Arts Award Discover for 5 - 9 year olds.

Take part in the Summer Reading Challenge (Mythical Maze); any three myths and legends Arts Award activities; and find out about artists and craftspeople – at any of the venues. To complete your award there is a special drop-in

sharing day on Sunday 14 September at the Yorkshire Museum from 2pm.

Contact York Explore for more information.

### Group rates are available for groups of 10+.

For further details contact Group Bookings: 01904 687633

Tickets are valid for 12 months, at no extra charge, so you can come back as many times as you like for a year. Tickets are personal and not transferable so we just need to take your name and address and you may be asked for ID on your return visit If, for any reason, you don't want to give your name and address, day tickets are available at the same price. giftaid it

### SPECIAL PROMOTION OFFER

Visit both York Castle Museum and the Yorkshire Museum for ONLY £12 and the KIDS GO FREE\* too!



York Museums Trust is an independent charitable trust which manages York Art Gallery, York Castle Museum, Yorkshire Museum & Gardens and York St Mary's. Charity number 1092466.

\*KIDS GO FREE – this offer does not apply to organised groups. Information correct at time of print.

### York Museums Trust

Kids Go in 2014

# Summer Fun

23 July - 31 August

at York Castle Museum and the Yorkshire Museum



www.yorkmuseumstrust.org.uk

# The DINOSAURS have returned!

### **Dinosaur Detectives**

### Every day from 10am

Calling all Dinosaur Detectives! Precious artefacts are being found with bites taken out of them. Can you help the museum staff solve the mystery? Which naughty dinosaur could it be? Handle dinosaur fossils from the museum collections and follow the clues to earn your Dinosaur Detective badge.

### **Dinosaur Detectives Family Workshop**

Saturday 26 July, 11am – 1pm and 2pm – 4pm Can you identify the mystery dino bones? Take part in five investigations to find out which dinosaur they belonged to, and make a plaster cast fossil to take home. Led by museum staff. Booking essential, call 01904 687633.

### **Dino Dress-Up**

Every day from 10:30am

Make your own dino mask and decorate it with collage techniques using our special reptilian paper. Or you can walk with dinosaurs and create your own dinosaur feet, inspired by the museum's collection of dinosaur footprint fossils.

### Lego-Dinos

Saturdays & Sundays, 11am - 1pm and 2pm - 4pm Join us to make a scary Lego-saurus or a vicious Lego-raptor. What will your Lego-Dino look like?

### Walk This Way!

Kids' Curator Talk. Tuesday 12 August, 12:30pm - 1pm Join the Curator of Natural Sciences to learn all about the amazing Dinosaur Trackway on display in our Extinct Gallery.







# Special Wednesday **Dates for your Diary!**

### **Fossil Road Show**

York Museum Gardens, Wednesday 6 August, 11am - 4pm. Calling all fossil hunters! Bring along your most fabulous fossil finds to be identified by our experts. **FREE EVENT** 

### **Dinosaur Myths and Legends**

Yorkshire Museum, Wednesday 13 August, 11am - 1pm and 2pm - 4pm.

Work with an artist in this special drop-in session. Can you work out what the dinosaur might have looked like from the fossils it left behind? Handle real fossils before having a go at making your own dinosaur.

Normal museum admission applies



### The Really Wild Wednesday

Yorkshire Museum and York Museum Gardens, Wednesday 20 August, 11am - 4pm.

Fun, family-friendly activities about scaly creatures and dinosaurs, including the chance to design your own mythical beast. Activities in and around the Yorkshire Museum and Gardens. Normal museum admission applies for activities inside the Yorkshire Museum

### **Real Reptiles**

Yorkshire Museum, Wednesday 27 August, 11am - 1pm and 2pm - 4pm.

Your chance to get up close and personal with some real reptiles and ask our expert the things you always wanted to know. Normal museum admission applies

## York St Marys | York Art Gallery's contemporary art space

Supporting the latest exhibition at York St Mary's Finding the Value: Contemporary artists explore aspects of the Madsen Collection.

Don't miss the following art events.

### Family Saturdays 2 August and 6 September,

11am - 1pm and 2pm - 4pm Remake old junk into works of art, inspired by the latest exhibition. Family drop-in, artist-led workshops. f1 donation towards materials



### **Bank Holiday Special** Remake: Recycle

Monday 25 August, 11am - 1pm and 2pm - 4pm Led by a real artist, make your own artwork from something discarded. Family drop-in, artist-led workshop. £1 donation towards materials

York St Mary's is open daily from 10am – 5pm Admission: FREE York St Mary's, Castlegate, York YO1 9RN

