

Welcome

Welcome to Southampton's museums and gallery new events and exhibitions guide, with a fantastic programme of activities for all ages.

Visitor Information

How to book

☎ 023 8083 4536

Cancellations must be received seven working days prior to the event for a refund to be given. Cancellations received after this period will not be refunded.

Advanced booking is essential for all our ticketed talks, workshops and activities

All workshops and activities must be booked unless otherwise stated as drop-in.



FREE Wider Family Learning (WFL) activities are funded by Southampton Adult Learning. The aim of the sessions is to encourage families to learn together. Places are limited to two children per adult, no adult restrictions apply. All children must be accompanied by an adult. A £5 deposit, per child will be taken when booking, and refunded at the end of the event.

Under 8s must be accompanied by an adult during activities. Please bring a packed lunch to all day activities. Museum activity prices include entrance to the museums for the child and one accompanying adult, for the duration of the event, with the exception of drop-in events.

Workshops: you do not have to pay entry to the museums to take part in a workshop. If you would like to stay and look around after the activity normal entry charges will apply.

In person

Book places for gallery, museum events and workshops, at the Gallery Shop, Gallery Foyer, Civic Centre, SO14 7LP

Open daily, 10am-5pm

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For more details of listings visit www.southampton.gov.uk/whatson

Venue hire

The Gallery and Museums all offer unusual and inspiring venues for corporate and private events including wedding ceremonies, training days, drinks and canapé receptions.

For more details about individual venue facilities, or to arrange a viewing contact the Admin Team
☎ 023 8083 4172 or
✉ museums@southampton.gov.uk

Parking

You can find a parking map at www.southampton.gov.uk/parking

SeaCity Museum

Havelock Road, Southampton, SO14 7FY

Open 7 days a week, 10am-5pm

Prices for the museum entry including special exhibition:

Adults £8.50

Concessions (students, children aged 5-16 years and adults over 60) £6

Family (2 adults and 3 children) £25

Group travel (minimum of 10 adults, advance booking and payment only) £6.50

Joint ticket for Tudor House & Garden £11.50

Under 5s FREE

Disabled person's carer FREE

✉ museums@southampton.gov.uk
☎ 023 8083 3007
www.seacitymuseum.co.uk

Southampton City Art Gallery

First Floor, North Block, Civic Centre, Commercial Road, Southampton, SO14 7LP

✉ art.gallery@southampton.gov.uk
☎ 023 8083 2703
www.southampton.gov.uk/art

Opening hours

From 1 April, art gallery opening hours will change.

Open: Mon – Fri 10am – 3pm and Sat 10am – 5pm

Closed on Sundays

Tudor House & Garden

St Michael's Square, Bugle Street, Old Town, Southampton, SO14 2AD

Open 7 days a week, 10am-5pm

Tickets include free audio tour for adults and children.

Adult £4.75

Concessions (students and adults over 60) £3.75

Children aged 5-16 years £3

Family (2 adults and 3 children) £12

Under 5s FREE

Disabled person's carer FREE

✉ museums@southampton.gov.uk
☎ 023 8083 4242
www.tudorhouseandgarden.com

Museums and Gallery Exhibitions

SOUTHAMPTON CITY ART GALLERY

Drawn together, Drawn apart

The Philip Schlee Collection of Drawings
Continues until 21 April

The Philip Schlee Collection brings together drawings, prints and paintings by 44 artists working between 1920 and 2004 and explores the role of drawing within artists' practice.

It includes examples of life and observational drawings, landscapes and compositional sketches.

Uncommon Ground: Land Art in Britain 1966 – 1979

A touring exhibition from the Arts Council Collection
10 May – 4 August Galleries 1-4

Southampton City Art Gallery is privileged to be the opening venue for the tour of *Uncommon Ground*; a touring exhibition from the Arts Council Collection.

Curated by Nicholas Alfrey, Joy Sleeman and Ben Tufnell, this exhibition features work by some of the most important British artists of the last 50 years including Tony Cragg, Hamish Fulton, Antony Gormley, Richard Long and Anthony McCall, amongst others. In the late 1960s artists on both sides of the Atlantic turned away from the enclosed space of the gallery and went out

into the landscape to forge a new form of art. This art was made in radically new ways often using earth, water, sun and even fire as raw materials, and went under several names: Land Art, earth art, process art, and conceptual art. *Uncommon Ground: Land Art in Britain 1966 – 1979* takes a fresh look at the art of this period and considers what was particular about the way Land Art developed in Britain.

Image Credit: Anthony McCall, *Landscape for Fire II (1972)*, 16mm film still, Arts Council Collection, Southbank Centre London. Gift of the artist and Sprüth Magers Gallery, London. © the artist



ARTS COUNCIL COLLECTION AT
SOUTHBANK
CENTRE

Manet on Tour

10 June to 22 July

Following an eight-month campaign, Oxford's Ashmolean Museum succeeded in raising the funds to buy Edouard Manet's *Portrait of Mademoiselle Claus* (1868). Southampton City Art Gallery is proud to be part of a tour of the portrait to museums and galleries around the UK.

Image: Detail of *Portrait of Mademoiselle Claus* (1868), by Edouard Manet



ASHMOLEAN

Art of the times

Continuing until September
Galleries 6, 7 and 8

A series of new displays in the west wing offers an exciting opportunity for visitors to see some of the Art Gallery's finest contemporary paintings including works by Gillian Ayres, Ian Davenport, Lisa Milroy, Chris Ofili and Fiona Rae.

Image: *Fast Breeder* (1997), by Fiona Rae



SEACITY MUSEUM

Titanic the Legend

Continues until 30 August

The story of Titanic continues to fascinate, it's been extensively researched, remembered, and commemorated. When did disaster become a romance? What lessons were learned? Should artefacts be salvaged from the wreck site? These are just some of the questions posed by this exhibition. Local Titanic historians, writers, academics and scientists explore how and why the legend endures through the literature, films and merchandise inspired by the story. Whether you have personal links

to Titanic or your interest is academic, or even if you don't quite see what the fuss is all about, this exhibition invites you to share your views.

The First Cut

- Thirty artists working in paper

11 October 2013 – 12 January 2014

On tour from Manchester Art Gallery



TUDOR HOUSE & GARDEN

Spa Town: Southampton in the 1700s

23 March – October

Showcasing objects from the City's museum and archive collections, this exhibition gives visitors a rare chance to catch a glimpse of the Southampton where Jane Austen lived for several years. Exploring a time when the High Street was described as "one of the finest in England" many of the

objects on display relate to domestic life and entertainment including a finely embroidered waistcoat, a sewing sampler and pictures showing Southampton in the 1700s.

Image credit: *Southampton Town Quay at Sunset*, by Henry Petherm (active 1828 – 1865)



LEGO® Mania Trail

28 March – 9 June

Hot on the heels of LEGO Mania at Milestones Museum, a trail of seven amazing LEGO models will be arriving at museums across Hampshire. Visit Tudor House & Garden to see a replica of our 18th century sedan chair or visit Southampton City Art Gallery to see LS Lowry's *The Floating Bridge*

recreated from LEGO bricks. There will be fun LEGO themed activities – please see our events pages overleaf for more details. For more information on the trail visit www.hants.gov.uk/legomaniatrail

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