

# What's On

## Oct — Dec 2018

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Graves Gallery  
Millennium Gallery  
Weston Park Museum

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**Museums Sheffield is the charity that runs Millennium Gallery, Graves Gallery and Weston Park Museum. Coming up this autumn – the art of emotion, a celebration of real life through the lens, the return of our festive craft and design showcase and more.**

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Dod Procter, Lillian, 1923 © the artist's estate / Bridgeman Images.  
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### **Darkness into Light: The Emotional Power of Art**

20 Oct 2018 – 13 Jan 2019  
Millennium Gallery

Art has a boundless capacity to affect our emotions. Whether reflecting our deepest fears or filling us with joy, it can be a profound reminder of what it means to be human.

Bringing together three of the UK's most significant private art collections on public display, this immersive exhibition will explore the power of art to make us feel. Highlights from the Fleming Collection, the Ingram Collection and the Jerwood Collection will take visitors through a spectrum of emotional states, from fear and anxiety to happiness, hope and serenity.

Discover work by some of Britain's best-loved artists, including Elizabeth Blackadder, David Bomberg, Elisabeth Frink, Peter Howson, Chantal Joffe, HaYoung Kim, R.B. Kitaj, C.R.W. Nevinson, Eduardo Paolozzi, Fiona Rae, Eric Ravilious, Anne Redpath and Graham Sutherland.



Lady and the Lion from Les Roux Cirque et la vie Foraine, published in 1889.  
The University of Sheffield Library National Fairground and Circus Archive

### **Circus! Show of Shows**

Until 4 November 2018  
Weston Park Museum

A dazzling celebration of 250 years of circus in Great Britain, *Circus! Show of Shows* shines a spotlight on the remarkable stories behind the spectacle. Delve into the drama of the big top and explore the hidden histories of women performers and black circus artists, the changing attitudes towards animal performance and more.



Von the newspaper seller at BSC River Don Works Sheffield 16/09/1982  
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## Who We Are: Photographs by Martin Jenkinson

24 Nov 2018 – 14 Apr 2019  
Weston Park Museum

For over four decades Sheffield-based photojournalist Martin Jenkinson chronicled the drama and detail of our everyday lives.

During the 1980s, Jenkinson became known for his memorable images of British protests which were widely published in the national press. While these photographs became a familiar presence on the front pages, Jenkinson's wider work was no less powerful. Each of the images he created was a candid insight into the communities we're part of and the experiences we share.

Who We Are is the first major retrospective of Martin Jenkinson's work. Offering a sometimes moving, sometimes humorous window onto the city's character, his insightful photographs of Sheffield and its people will go on display alongside some of his most famous protest images, travel photography and more.



James White, Dark Thoughts (Joan) 2006. Courtesy of the artist and Blain Southern.

## Heads Roll: An Exhibition Curated by Paul Morrison

Until 24 Nov 2018  
Graves Gallery

The depiction of the head or face is one of the most compelling images in our visual language. *Heads Roll*, curated by artist Paul Morrison, presents a constellation of historical and contemporary perspectives to explore our preconceptions of this most familiar genre.

Discover work by Glenn Brown, Michael Craig-Martin, Jessica Diamond, Machiko Edmondson, Julian Opie, Rembrandt, Dante Gabriel Rossetti and more.



Wilhelmina Barns-Graham, Glacier Study, 1948-49  
© Wilhelmina Barns-Graham Trust 2018. Photo Credit: Bruce Pert

## Wilhelmina Barns-Graham: Sea, Rock, Earth and Ice

8 Dec 2018 – 16 Mar 2019  
Graves Gallery

*Sea, Rock, Earth and Ice* celebrates Wilhelmina Barns-Graham's remarkable gift for capturing the spirit of the world's wildest landscapes.

The exhibition brings together paintings and works on paper spanning four decades, illustrating how Barns-Graham developed her own abstract language informed by both international and local artistic influences.

The works on display are underpinned by an inherent understanding of the natural world and showcase Barns-Graham's extraordinary ability to evoke a landscape in gradual flux, from eroding coastlines and volcanic vistas to the unseen slow creep of a glacier.



Leonardo da Vinci, The bust of a man, c.1510. RCIN 912502.  
Royal Collection Trust/© Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II 2018

## COMING SOON – Leonardo da Vinci: A Life in Drawing

1 Feb – 5 May 2019  
Millennium Gallery

Fifteen remarkable drawings by Leonardo da Vinci from the Royal Collection are set to go on display at the Millennium Gallery in February 2019 as part of a major nationwide exhibition marking the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the artist's death.

Leonardo was a true polymath, an unparalleled artist, draftsman and engineer whose talent and innovation spanned multiple disciplines. With much of his life's work unrealised or destroyed, Leonardo's greatest achievements are represented through his drawings. *A Life in Drawing* will be a once in a lifetime opportunity to see the work of this great Renaissance master here in Sheffield.

# Christmas with Museums Sheffield

## Handmade for Christmas

26 Oct–31 Dec 2018  
Millennium Gallery

Looking for a Christmas present that's truly special? You'll find gifts created by some of the country's most talented artisan makers at the Millennium Gallery this winter.

*Handmade for Christmas* offers gift ideas to suit every pocket, with work available from over 60 skilled artists, designers and craftspeople. From screen-printed textiles to hand-blown glass, all of the work on show has been hand-crafted in workshops and studios across the UK.

As well as supporting home-grown creative talent, every purchase in *Handmade for Christmas* raises vital funds which help keep Sheffield's museums and galleries free and open for everyone to enjoy.



## Santa at the Museum

Every Saturday and Sunday up until Christmas, plus Fri 14 Dec, Fri 21 Dec and Christmas Eve  
Fri & Sat: 10am–5pm  
Sun & Christmas Eve: 10am–4pm  
Weston Park Museum  
£7 per child (inc booking fee)  
Advance booking essential

Everyone's favourite man in red is back at Weston Park this Christmas!

Each year we get a fantastic response to our museum Santa. This December, we'll once again transform Weston Park's Arctic World gallery into Santa's North Pole ho-ho-home. Bring the family along to meet the man himself, who'll be there with a warm welcome, quality presents and plenty of Christmas cheer.

You've got enough hassle to deal with in the run up to Christmas, so we've made a visit to see Santa stress-free with our new online booking – just pick the timeslot that suits you at [museums-sheffield.org.uk/tickets](https://museums-sheffield.org.uk/tickets)



## Make Friends this Christmas

This Christmas, treat your friends and family to a gift that keeps on giving all year round.



© Andy Brown

A Museums Sheffield Friends membership will give your loved ones exclusive access to their favourite museums and galleries for the next 12 months.

As well as discounts in our shops and cafés and invitations to Friends-only talks, tours and visits, they'll get the chance to go behind the scenes across the city's museums and galleries. Friends will also be the first to know about all the exhibitions we have coming up; they'll receive invitations to all of our forthcoming exhibition launches, including the highly-anticipated *Leonardo da Vinci: A Life in Drawing* in February 2019.

Plus you can feel good knowing that a Friends membership directly supports our charitable work, caring for and celebrating the city's collections.

For more information visit: [museums-sheffield.org.uk/friends](https://museums-sheffield.org.uk/friends) or call the Friends office on 0114 278 2610

## Make your Christmas party one to remember

Celebrate with us this festive season in a venue that's truly unique.



© Sasha Lee Photography

Our Christmas Party Nights make a welcome return to Millennium Gallery on Fri 14 and Fri 21 Dec. From £35 per person, enjoy a three course dinner in the stunning Arundel Room before partying the night away with our resident DJ until the early hours.

If you fancy something a little more exclusive, our private parties at Millennium Gallery and Weston Park Museum can be tailor-made for you. Our contemporary and characterful venues and experienced events team will ensure your celebrations are designed to suit your personal tastes. Whether it's a formal dinner for 120 or cocktails and canapés for 80, whatever your theme and budget we'll make your party go off with a bang.

To find out more, contact our experienced Hospitality Team: [museumssheffield@baxterstorey.com](mailto:museumssheffield@baxterstorey.com) or call 0114 278 2715

## Museums Sheffield Wills Month

Join us at Millennium Gallery  
on Thursday 4 October for  
free Will advice



By writing a Will, you can help secure the future of your loved ones. This year, we've partnered with Wake Smith, one of South Yorkshire's leading solicitors, to offer our Friends and supporters specialist legal advice and free Will reviews.

We understand the needs of your family and friends must come first. But if you are able to remember Museums Sheffield with a gift in your Will, it will help make a vital difference to our work as a charity.

15 minute, no obligation appointments are available on request from 11am–12.30pm on Thursday 4 October, please contact Mel Russell on 0114 278 2610 to book. Alternatively, feel free to drop in after 12.30pm on the day for an informal chat.

For more information on remembering us in your Will visit [museums-sheffield.org.uk/yourwill](https://museums-sheffield.org.uk/yourwill)

## Oct 2018

### Artist Talk: Peter Kennard – Art Against War

Fri 5 Oct, 1–1.45pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### LATE: Craft Jam #5

Fri 5 Oct, 7–10.30pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Recommended donation £5,  
just turn up

### Circus! Outdoor Projection

Sun 7 Oct, 6.30pm,  
Tue 30 Oct, 8pm  
Weston Park Museum  
Free

### Circus! Debate: Lions and Tigers and Bears, Oh My

Tue 9 Oct, 6–7.30pm  
Weston Park Museum  
Free, please book in advance

## Oct 2018

### Artist Talk: Paul Morrison in Conversation

Thu 11 Oct, 1–1.45pm  
Graves Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Workshop: Circus! Writing the Show

Sat 13 Oct, 10.30am–1.30pm  
Weston Park Museum,  
£20, please book in advance

### Curator Tour: Circus!

Fri 19 Oct, 1–1.45pm  
Weston Park Museum,  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Philosophy Café – Moral Sentiments

Mon 29 Oct, 6–8pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Circus: Oh, Susannah! Performance & Talk

Tue 30 Oct, 6–8pm  
Weston Park Museum  
£6, book in advance

## Also in October

### Off the Shelf Festival

Sheffield's acclaimed Off the Shelf Festival of Words returns with an array of literary-themed events at venues across the city, including the Millennium Gallery. Among this year's highlights are a series of talks in conjunction with our *Circus! Show of Shows* exhibition, including:

### Aerialist – Rebecca Truman

Sat 6 Oct, 3–4pm  
Millennium Gallery  
£7/6 adv, £8/7 OTD,  
book in advance

### A History of Circus in Sheffield – Professor Vanessa Toulmin

Sat 6 Oct, 6–7pm  
Millennium Gallery  
£7/6 adv, £8/7 OTD,  
book in advance

For the full programme visit  
[offtheshelf.ac.uk](https://offtheshelf.ac.uk)

### Circus Sunday

Sun 7 Oct, 12–4pm  
Weston Park, Weston Park  
Museum & the National  
Fairground & Circus Archive at  
the University of Sheffield Library  
Free, no need to book

### 250 Years of Circus Poster Art – Steven B Richley

Tue 23 Oct, 7–8pm  
Millennium Gallery  
£6/5 adv, £7/6 OTD,  
book in advance

## Nov 2018

### Death Café

Thu 1 Nov, 12–2pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Halloween LATE: The Science of Science Fiction

Fri 2 Nov, 7.30–10.30pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Recommended donation £3, just turn up

### Workshop: Darkness into Light – Writing and Emotion

Sat 10 Nov, 10.30am–1.30pm  
Millennium Gallery  
£20, please book in advance

### Talking Life, Talking Art: Darkness into Light

Wed 14 Nov, 2–3pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, no need to book

### The Great Sheffield Art Show

Sat 17 Nov, 10am–5pm  
Sun 18 Nov, 10am–4pm  
Millennium Gallery  
£5/4, just turn up

### Artist Talk: Shot at Dawn

Thu 22 Nov, 1–1.45pm  
Graves Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Christmas Craft Market

Sat 24 Nov, 10am–4pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, donations welcome

### Philosophy Café – Emotions: Natural, Cultural or Artificial?

Mon 26 Nov, 6–8pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Lunchtime Talk: Roman Finds in Yorkshire

Tue 27 Nov, 1–1.45pm  
Weston Park Museum  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Lunchtime Talk: Wilhelmina Barns-Graham

Thu 13 Dec, 1–1.45pm  
Graves Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

### Philosophy Café – Lived Emotions

Mon 17 Dec, 6–8pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

## Dec 2018

### Yoga in the Galleries: Wind Down December

Thursdays, 29 Nov, 6 Dec, 13 Dec, 20 Dec, 6.30–8pm  
Millennium Gallery  
£8 per session or all 4 for £30  
Book in advance

### Curator Talk: Darkness into Light

Wed 12 Dec, 1–1.45pm  
Millennium Gallery  
Free, donations welcome  
Book in advance or just turn up

## Adult Regular Sessions

### Craft Club

Every Monday, excluding school holidays, 10.30am–12.00pm,  
Millennium Gallery Café  
Free, just turn up

### The Graves Art Club

Every Thursday, excluding school holidays, 11am–1pm  
Graves Gallery  
£6, pay in the shop on the day

### Life Drawing

Every Friday, excluding school holidays, 10.30am–12.30pm  
Millennium Gallery  
£8, pay in the shop on the day

### Talking Life, Talking Art

Wednesdays, 10 Oct, 7 Nov & 12 Dec, 2–3pm  
Graves Gallery  
Free, just turn up

## Made possible by you

### Dementia Friendly Museums Cafés

Last Christmas your generous donations and support from local businesses Counter Context and Quality Context helped us to successfully complete the Big Give Christmas Challenge. The Challenge raised vital funds to support a new programme of Dementia Friendly Museum Cafés for people living with dementia and their families and carers. The cafés are free, informal drop-in sessions where you can come along, enjoy a cuppa, meet new people and take part in hands-on activities. Join us and our partners, Sheffield Industrial Museums Trust, for our upcoming sessions this autumn:

Tue 9 Oct, Weston Park Museum  
Tue 13 Nov, Kelham Island Museum  
Tue 11 Dec, Abbeydale Industrial Hamlet  
1.30–3.30pm  
Free, just turn up

## How to Book

**Book online via: [museums-sheffield.org.uk/shop](https://museums-sheffield.org.uk/shop), call 0114 278 2647 or email: [events@museums-sheffield.org.uk](mailto:events@museums-sheffield.org.uk)**

For details of our full events programme visit: [museums-sheffield.org.uk](https://museums-sheffield.org.uk)

Donations at our free events help support our charitable work across our museums and galleries.

## Millennium Gallery

Arundel Gate  
Sheffield, S1 2PP

Opening hours:  
Open every day  
Mon-Sat 10am-5pm  
Sun 11am-4pm  
Bank Holidays 11am-4pm  
Closed 25-26 Dec & 1 Jan



## Graves Gallery

Surrey Street  
Sheffield, S1 1XZ  
(Above the Central Library)

Opening hours:  
Open Tue-Sat  
11am-4pm (Weds 1-6pm)  
Closed Bank Holidays  
Closed Easter Weekend  
Closed 24-26 Dec & 1 Jan



## Weston Park Museum

Western Bank  
Sheffield, S10 2TP

Opening hours:  
Mon-Sat 10am-5pm  
Sun 11am-4pm  
Bank Holidays 10am-5pm  
Closes 4pm Mon-Fri  
5 Nov 2018-29 Mar 2019  
(except school holidays)  
Closed 25-26 Dec & 1 Jan



## Contact Museums Sheffield

Call 0114 278 2600 or email  
info@museums-sheffield.org.uk

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## Join our Friends

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## Hire our spaces

Our flexible spaces provide a unique setting for your event or celebration. To find out more, call 0114 278 2715 or email museumsheffield@baxterstorey.com

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