

# CHRISTMAS AT THE BOWES MUSEUM

With Santa in residence, a Christmas Carol Theatre, the return of the fabulous Christmas market and festive delights in Café Bowes, there really is something for everyone this Christmas at The Bowes Museum.

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## SANTA'S GROTTO Thursday, 1 December until Saturday, 24 December

£25 per child, £20 for Member's child

Discover if you've been naughty or nice and let Santa know what you'd like for Christmas in this special experience as Santa finds time in his busy schedule to return to The Bowes Museum.

## YOUNG CREATORS – WALKING IN THE AIR Saturday, 3 December, 10.30 – 12.30

11 - 16 year olds, Free

If you'd like to delve into the world of art then our monthly Saturday morning art club's for you. Be inspired by the Museum's collections, exhibitions and grounds to explore, observe, experiment and express ideas in a creative and innovative way. A great way to boost what you learn in KS3 and develop a portfolio in KS4. Take inspiration from Raymond Briggs: A Retrospective in this session.

## BRUNCH WITH FATHER CHRISTMAS Tuesday, 6 December, 10.30 – 12 noon

£25 per child, £5 additional adult, £20 for Member's child

Join in activities and party games with Father Christmas in Café Bowes, and have your photo taken with him too. Decorate your own Christmas decoration and don't forget to take your gift and party bag home too. Spaces are limited so book your ticket now.

# A CHRISTMAS CAROL THEATRE Thursday, 8 December, 7pm

Suitable for 15 year olds and over, £15 per ticket

Join the great Victorian novelist Charles Dickens as he brings to life one of the most famous ghost stories of all time. A tale of revenants and redemption, hauntings and humbugs, seasonal spooks and sentiment. Jonathan Goodwin is Dickens in this oneman performance, co-directed by Goodwin and Gary Archer.

## CHRISTMAS MARKET Friday, Saturday & Sunday, 16, 17 & 18 December, 10am – 4pm

Tickets: adult £6, child £3, parking £5, Free to members

Stock up on fabulous goodies and enjoy the sights, sounds and tastes of the festive season as the ever popular event returns to the galleries and grounds of The Bowes Museum.

## BRUNCH WITH A SNOWMAN Tuesday, 20 December, 10.30 - 12 noon

£25 per child, £5 additional adult, £20 for Member's child

Join in activities and party games with a snowman in Café Bowes and have your photo taken with them too. Decorate your own Christmas decoration and don't forget to take your gift and party bag home too. Spaces are limited so book your ticket now.

## YOUNG CREATORS – THE SWAN Saturday, 7 January 2023, 10.30 – 12.30

11 – 16 year olds, Free

Learners will make studies of the Silver Swan using a range of materials to record the pattern, shape and texture. A tour of the metals gallery will show different effects and qualities which you can translate into your final piece. Using white chalk, learners will focus on line to draw shapes/ pattern and add paint with an ink wash. A worn metallic effect will be created



For all these events unless otherwise specified \*

Children must be accompanied by an adult, suitable for all ages.



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