

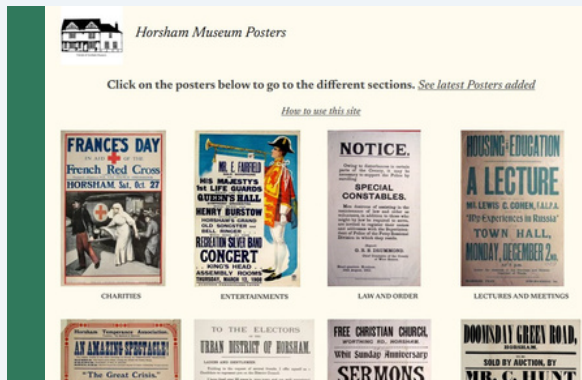
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Newsletter



Summer craft fun for kids

Summer school holidays go on a long time! However, the Museum's craft sessions can break up the day. This year the theme is Making History and each week there's a different theme. The cost is £2 per crafter. You can book a slot via the Museum website at <https://horshammuseum.org/events/event/making-history-craft-challenge>



Museum poster website

Did you know Horsham Museum has hundreds of old posters in its archive? Several years ago they were all digitised and they are available to view on a bespoke website created by the Friends. There are fascinating posters of all kinds and from across the decades. Just search for Horsham Museum posters or use the link <https://horshammuseumposters.wordpress.com/>.



Friends' next talk

On Wednesday September 23 2026, 7.30pm. Join us Join us in the Wesley Hall at the London Road Chapel and meet Alexandre Loske, Curator of Brighton Pavilion, art historian and author. Alexandra will explain why painters Turner and Constable came to Sussex. Admission to all is £7.50 including refreshments.

News in brief

- The final Museum Late will be on Friday August 21 (6-8pm) when Italian saxophonist Betty Accorsi and guitarist Andrea Martelloni make a return visit to the Museum! Drinks refreshments will be available.
- The second (Museum Friends only event!) *Curator's Corner* will be on Saturday August 8 at 11am in the library at Horsham Museum. The topic will be *Storrington Sanctuary and its place in history*. Email for a free place (limited numbers).
- An 'Eclipse-nic' will be held on Wednesday August 12 (5-7.30pm). Join the Museum for an informal picnic (bring your own food and drink) in the Human Nature Garden, Horsham Park, to experience the partial solar eclipse this summer. Astrophotographer Claire Bradshaw, and members of Horsham Astronomy Group will be on hand to guide you through what is happening in the sky. Weather dependent. More information <https://horshammuseum.org/events/event/eclipse-nic-in-the-park>