

OUTLINE PROGRAMME & BOOKING FORM

50TH AGM & Conference

29TH September – 1ST October 2023
in Doncaster

Hosted by the friends of Doncaster
museums

Conference theme:
Regeneration in challenging times

Venue: The Mansion House, Doncaster

Friday 29th September: Delegates who arrive early will be able to register at The Danum Gallery, Library and Museum between 13.00-16.00. They may wish to attend a talk by Chris Barron, Trustee of the Grammar School Railway Collection and join a tour of the Railway Heritage Gallery. Alternatively, they may join a guided tour of the Art Collection in the company of Neil MacGregor, Curator of Fine Art, and possibly gather for dinner in a local restaurant in the evening.

Saturday 30th September: Conference, Registration and coffee/tea and a breakfast buffet will be available from 10.00 am and proceedings will commence at 10.30 am.

The formal Conference will finish at 4.00 pm. Followed by BAFM's AGM.



The Wine Reception, will take place in the Mansion House is between 6.30 -7.00 pm.

Dinner in the Ballroom of The Mansion House from 7.00pm. It comprises 3 courses, wine, and coffee to finish, with music entertainment provided by Doncaster Waits and bestselling author Gervase Phinn as our After Dinner speaker.

Sunday 1ST October: A variety of heritage sites are open on Sunday; information is available from Doncaster Tourist Information Centre. It is hoped to organise a guided tour of Doncaster.

For further information or questions:

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Regeneration: Growing the cultural offer and friends in changing times

Saturday 30th September 2022, The Mansion House, Doncaster.

10.00am Registration and Breakfast Buffet

10.30am *Session 1:* Conference Welcome

Mayor Ros Jones CBE, Elected Mayor of the City of Doncaster
Damien Allen FRSA, Chief Executive Officer City of Doncaster

11.00am *Session 2:* Our first keynote speaker

Dr Dean Lomax; A life in Paleontology



12.00 Buffet Lunch/ Optional Guided Tour of the Mansion House.

13.00 *Session 3:* Adapting to change; three local case studies.

14.00 *Session 4:* Welcome our Second Keynote Speaker: Professor Joann Fletcher Egyptology and me!



15.00 Comfort Break

15.15 *Session 5:* Architects Wignall and Moore outline their competition 'Win an Architect'

16.00 BAFM 51st National Conference and AGM 2024.
Presentation by the Hosts, Friends of Southampton City Art Gallery.

16.15 Young Professional of the Year Presentation

16.30 Presentation of Friends of the Year Award/ Newsletter of the Year Award

BAFM's 50th Annual AGM 2023
Chaired by Dan Calley, BAFM Chair

18.30 Drinks Reception; The Mansion House Doncaster followed by Gala Dinner

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Delegate details

Name:

Postal Address:

..... Postcode

Email:

Contact telephone number:

Are You an individual member of BAFM or a member of an organisation affiliated to BAFM?

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Name of Your Friends' Organisation:

Are you the Voting Delegate for your group at the AGM: YES/NO

Do you have any access requirements? YES/NO

(As an historic building, The Mansion House Doncaster has restricted disabled access)

If yes, please specify.

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Do you have any dietary requirements or food allergies? YES/NO

If yes, please specify.

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We will notify catering team at the Mansion House of your requirement/s.

Partner or companion details (if applicable)

Name:

Postal Address:

..... Postcode

Email:

Contact telephone number:

Do you have any access requirements? YES/NO

If yes, please specify.

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Friday 29TH September

2 pm The Paddington Room

Talk and Tour of the Railway Collection

The Doncaster Grammar School Railway Collection resulted from the enthusiasm of a group of boys and their teachers in the late 1950s. Chris Barron, Trustee of the Grammar School Collection will deliver a talk on the origins and development of the collection, followed by visit to the gallery to view items. If you would like to join this event, which is being provided free of charge to delegates thanks to the generous sponsorship of the event by Simon Oliver, Friends of Doncaster Museums, please indicate below.

No. of tickets

2pm Tour of The Art Collection

Join Neil MacGregor, the Curator of Fine Art for a stroll through the Art Gallery to discover some of the treasures of the collection. If you would like to join this event, which is being provided free of charge to delegates thanks to the generous support of Heritage Doncaster, please indicate below.

No. of tickets

Join BAFM Council Members

Opera Italian Restaurant for Dinner (individual payments)

No. of tickets

Saturday 30TH September

CONFERENCE

Day Ticket @ £75.00 per person No. of tickets Total = £

Early Bird discount: pay by 1st May and received a 20% discount (reducing cost to £60 per person)

DRINKS RECEPTION AND DINNER

From 18.30 @ £50.00 per person No. of tickets Total = £

Payment may be made by bank transfer to: The Friends of Doncaster Museums, NatWest A/C no 35599588 Sort code 60-06-39 quoting reference: Surname and Conference

Or by cheque, payable to: The Friends of Doncaster Museums enclosed with Booking Form.

**Please detach this Booking Form, when completed, and send with cheque and payment details by post to:
Dave Adgar, 6 Winnery Close, Tickhill, Doncaster, DN11 9JT**

Please enclose a s.a.e. if you require a receipt/confirmation of your booking by post.

: The Earl of Doncaster Hotel, Bennetthorpe, Doncaster DN2 6AD; 4 Star Art Deco Hotel. The Friends of Doncaster Museum have negotiated an inclusive price for B&B. Please mention BAFM National Conference when booking by phone. Phone number 01302 361371. Other hotels available