

# Friends National Museum Wales

## Forthcoming Attractions

2019

NOTE: Due to refurbishment of the Reardon Smith Lecture Theatre (February, March and April), talks marked \* will be held in the Chemistry Lecture Theatre of the University. Booking will be essential. Free car parking is available



<b>January</b>	
5 Saturday	Talk: 'Taffy was a Welshman' - Christine James (Richard Carter)
<b>February</b>	
5 Tuesday	Visit: Tour of the BBC Studios, Llandaff (Peter Davies)
16 Saturday	*Talk: 'My Life in Metal' - David Peterson (Gwen Williams)
28 Thursday	St David's Day Tea Party with traditional entertainment from Meurig Williams (Jane Gagg and Trix Pryce)
<b>March</b>	
6 Wednesday	Visit: Oxford (Dorn Swaffield)
23 Saturday	*Talk: 'Elgar and the Hidden Enigmas' - Geraint Lewis (Trix Pryce)
<b>April</b>	
13 Saturday	*Talk: 'Frank Lloyd Wright' - Jonathan Adams (Kathleen Jones)
21 Sunday	EASTER DAY
27 Saturday	Talk: 'Hadrian's Wall and Vindolanda' - Chris Dale (Trix Pryce)
<b>May</b>	
6 - 10	Tour: Five days and four nights - Newcastle and Durham (Emrys Jones and Len Metcalfe)
24 Friday	Visit: National Museum of History, St Fagans (Christabel Hutchings)
28 Tuesday	Visit: The Hay Festival (Dorn Swaffield)
<b>June</b>	
8 Saturday	Talk: 'William Burgess - Gothic Revival Genius' - Matthew Williams (Gwen Williams)
14 - 20	Tour: Six days and five nights in Lisbon (Emrys Jones and Len Metcalfe)
24 Monday	Visit: The Elgar Museum and Hellens Manor, Ledbury (Richard Carter and Trix Pryce)
<b>July</b>	
6 Saturday	Talk: 'Church Effigies' - Professor Madeleine Gray (Christabel Hutchings)
18 Thursday	Visit: Llancarfan and the Cowbridge Physic Garden - (Janet Jones and Dorn Swaffield)
<b>August</b>	
6 Tuesday	Visit: Royal Worcester Porcelain Museum and Worcester Cathedral - (Peter and Mari Davies)
21 Wednesday	Talk: 'Lord David Davies - Part 2' - Hefin Mathias (Gwen Williams)
27 Tuesday	Visit: Nantgarw China Works Museum (Gwen Williams and Heather Graves)
<b>September</b>	
10 - 13	Tour: Four days in Dublin (Gwen and Meurig Williams)
21 Saturday	Talk: 'Penry Williams: an eminent man of Merthyr' - Benjamin Price (Gwen Williams)
<b>October</b>	
9 Wednesday	Visit: The National Museum Collections Centre, Nantgarw (Roger and Jane Gagg)
19 Saturday	Talk: 'The Welsh House' or 'People and their Gardens' - Aled Samuel (Kathleen Jones)
<b>November</b>	
2 Saturday	Annual General Meeting - Reardon Smith Lecture Theatre, followed by a talk: 'Dippy the Dinosaur's visit to Cardiff' - Dr Caroline Buttler, Head of Palaeontology, National Museum Cardiff
<b>December</b>	
2 Monday	Christmas Lunch - The Grand Hall, National Museum of Wales, Cardiff

**Note:** Talks are usually held in the Reardon Smith Lecture Theatre, commencing at 10.30 am. Tickets for the talks, which are open to the general public, are available at the door. Admission is £10 to include tea/coffee & biscuits following the talk. **Friends who book and pay in advance will only be charged £8.**