

Community

Open Day and tea party

Sunday 2nd September 2018, 10-4pm

Free event

Everyone welcome

Gloucestershire Archives, Clarence Row, Alvin Street, Gloucester, GL1 3DW
Car parking is available free, by kind permission of Gloucester Rugby, at the club's ground in Kingsholm Rd.

Lots of **Activities** and **Events**

Illustrated talks **information stalls**

Guided **tours** Tea, coffee, **cake** **Artwork**

Demonstrations **Quiz** **Treasure hunt**

Exhibitions **Family** tree drop-in sessions

Meet the **Highwayman** **Heritage** Hub Trail

Archives display

Folk music

Join our
growing
network

Gloucestershire Heritage Hub Community Open Day 2nd September 2018, 10am – 4pm

Programme

10am Open

10.30am Behind the scenes guided tour (approx 30 minutes)

11.00am Family friendly talk by our roaming highwayman

11.00am “Treasures of the Archives” illustrated talk

11.30am Behind the scenes guided tour (approx 30 minutes)

12 noon Film show created from spoken memories (Memories of parents in WW1; the old Cattle Market; childhood memories of the Picturedrome cinema; the home front in WW2; the deep snowfall of 1947; the Severn Bridge disaster; Fielding & Platt at Christmas; the suitcase; and obtaining a hat). (approx 35 minutes).

12.30pm Behind the scenes guided tour (approx 30 minutes)

1.30pm Behind the scenes guided tour (approx 30 minutes)

2.00pm Family friendly talk by our roaming highwayman

2.00pm “Treasures of the Archives” illustrated talk

2.30pm Behind the scenes guided tour (approx 30 minutes)

3.00pm Film show created from spoken memories (Memories of father in WW1; the Three Choirs Festival; a bomb dropping in WW2; growing up during and after WW2; the 1947 floods; Fielding & Platt at Christmas; a wandering cat; an artist’s impression of Barton and Tredworth scenes; opening a shop on Barton St; and breakfast at a teashop). (approx 35 mins). N.B. The content of this film show is completely different to the show seen at 12.00.

4.00pm Close

And don’t miss –

Treasure hunt and quiz for children; tea and cake; family tree drop-in sessions throughout the day with Gloucestershire Family History Society; conservation display with one of our conservators; meet the artists; exhibitions on women’s policing in the county; Dame Joan Cook and Gloucester's first grammar school; our volunteers sign-up desk; selection of original items on display from Gloucestershire Archives’ collections; live folk music; a display of photographs of how the building project progressed over the last 18 months.