

Monthly Newsletter



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Just some review from TripAdvisor

***** **A hidden historical gem** Sep 2024 - Friends Perhaps not for those who want just a bucket and spade holiday but it is a wondrous gem and if you are interested in history you will find it fascinating. The staff, all volunteers, are knowledgeable and so enthusiastic it is contagious. It is bursting with local historical finds, including touch and feel objects which give children an understanding of life in the previous two centuries. The entrance fee is only £2.50 and is free for children and students. Everything is clearly labelled. They only lack SPACE and the finances to extend the museum. What they possess is of the quality found in many of the large London museums. Visitors to Exeter could easily miss this remarkable Museum. So as an ex-primary teacher, mother and grandmother, I had to write this review.

A little gem

July 2023

A. Little museum with lots of interesting things to see. The admission charge of £2.50 is very reasonable., the staff are very knowledgeable and keen to tell you about the exhibits. The wash day exhibits and the chemist display bring back memories. Well worth a visit.

Reviewed May 28, 2023 via mobile

Lovely Place !

Visited here with my elderly father who uses a walking stick - although there are uneven floors and stairs - he managed to get around quite easily.

Very interesting place that holds lots of memories for people of a certain age and lots of interesting things for those younger.

It is not a huge place - so younger members will stay interested for the duration - but there is a lot to see and read.

The staff are lovely and friendly and knowledgeable and it was nice just to talk to them about their own memories and experiences.

In this newsletter
you can expect:

TripAdvisor
reviews
5* all the way

Dickensian
Event
Report

Events Calender

What's New so
far over Winter

Hope you all had a
very good
Christmas and a
Happy New Year
from All the
Committee



Dickensian Event Report

With storm Darragh knocking on our door visitors to our Dickensian night were very low, but the ones that did visit had a great time. Stewards dressed up and assisted with the few games we ran, table skittles, name the lady and a the bran tub, not to mention the silent auction all helped to bring us in some money. The Salvation Army served up hot drinks and warm mince pies kindly donated by Moore's pasties, Andrew from The Salvation Army played carols on his trumpet, which sounded out across Sheppards Row, The Exmouth Arms serving Mulled Wine and warm mince pies too, £30 on the door, There was a Silent Auction with prizes donated by local businesses all went to raising fund of £227 to the museum



What's happened so far over the Winter

- New display rails in the Cottage gone up and painted
- New displays on the display boards in the Stables
- New artefacts come in and sorted and catalogued
- Over 300 post cards sorted and digitized

New Displays for 2025

- Salvation Army Celebration
- Sheppards Row History
- Exmouth Museum Anniversary display
- Exmouth in the 1920's
- Citizens Advice Anniversary display

January Events

1st *New Years Day*

Happy New Year everyone

16th *Coffee Morning*

At the Axis Centre, Market Street, Exmouth
10.15 - 12.15, Homemade cakes, scones and coffee, plus monthly Raffle. PLEASE REMEMBER IF YOU HAVE A CHRISTMAS PRESENT GIVEN AND YOU DONT WANT IT WE COULD USE IT IN ONE OF OUR MANY RAFFLE THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.

24th *Big Fun Quiz Night*

At G.W.R.S.A. Railway Club, 7.15 for 7.45 start
teams of Six £5 pre person. Kick start our year of Celebration, we start with a BIG FUN QUIZ at the Railway Club, tell your family and friends and better still get a team together.

