

Displays and activities (Banqueting Room)



Bath Abbey

Bath Abbey has memorials to some of the most famous actors and musicians in Georgian Bath. Chat with the Abbey's researchers who have uncovered their stories, and find out about their roles, talents and, often, dramatic character quirks.

William Wyatt Dimond as Hamlet by Thomas Barker, c.1790. Victoria Art Gallery, Bath & North East Somerset Council



Bath Medical Museum

Practice your pill making skills on a Victorian pill roller. Pound up some herbs in a brass pestle and mortar and view some specimens using a heritage microscope. Discover fascinating stories about Bath's medical past.



Bath Record Office: Archives and Local Studies

Observe maps, images and other documents which show the growth of buildings in Bath used for social gatherings, events, and performance during the Georgian period.



Cleveland Pools

Cleveland Pools in Bathwick claims to be the oldest outdoor lido in the UK. It was restored for swimming again in 2023 after a long campaign. Trustees and volunteers will be sharing its remarkable social history.

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Fashion Museum Bath

See three amazing objects from the collection, alongside a range of exciting activities for all ages, contained within the Fashion Unpacked 'trunk'.



Fairfield House

Displaced by invasion, Ethiopian Emperor Haile Selassie lived in Bath 1936-1941. He worked to liberate Ethiopia and reclaim his throne. He gifted Fairfield House to the city as a home for the aged.



Heritage Services Collection

Explore the story of the spa treatments that made Bath a fashionable health resort through objects in the Roman Baths collection.



Museum of Bath at Work

Discover what went on behind the scenes to bring theatre to audiences in Georgian Bath and cinema to the masses in the 20th century. Enjoy a fun activity which explores the roles of the working people who serviced Bath's popular entertainment industry.



No. 1 Royal Crescent – Bath Preservation Trust

Discover what it took to get ready for a Ball in 18th century Bath. Explore our handling collection, make a dance card and try out some Georgian dance moves.



The Roman Baths and Pump Room

Explore the day in the life of a Georgian lady taking the waters in Bath. Create your own 'day in the life' clock to think about how things have changed!



Victoria Art Gallery

The New Bath Guide is a series of satirical letters written in verse. See paintings of society people and add simple satirical poetry like Anstey's to our board.

Christopher Anstey (1724–1805) by William Hoare



World Heritage Centre

Join our wonderful World Heritage Centre volunteers for object handling and interesting conversations! Discover more about what makes Bath such a special World Heritage Site.

Talks Programme (Aix-en-Provence Room)

- 11.15** **Alex Sherman**
Bath Preservation Trust 'The Amusements of Bath'
- 12.30** **Eleanor Towell**
Bath Record Office 'What a Conservator Does'
- 13.45** **Stuart Burrough**
Museum of Bath at Work 'That's Entertainment: Bath at Leisure'



Guided Walks

The Mayor of Bath's Honorary Guildes were formed in 1934 and are very much part of the city's tourist scene. The walks take place every day of the year except Christmas Day and are completely free.

Join the guides for free themed walks starting from the Guildhall at 11.30 and at regular intervals approx. every 45mins. The last walk will leave at 2.30pm.

This year marks five years since Bath was inscribed onto the The Great Spa Towns of Europe List. Join us to find out more!

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**Saturday 18 April
11am-3pm**

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