November Events

November Crafternoon
Wednesday 8 November, 2.00 - 4.00 pm
Join Tilly Dagnall to make lino cut tiles, inspired by our gorgeous building.
£5, refreshment included. Booking required, 16+ only.
Call 0151 794 2348 or email vgm@liverpool.ac.uk

Family Saturday
Saturday 25 November
10.30 am – Family film: ‘The Prince of Egypt’
Drop in 1.00 - 4.00 pm – Craft: An exciting Egyptian art activity, inspired by our new Egyptian Book of the Dead exhibition. Free event, no booking required.

December Events

December Crafternoon
Wednesday 13 December, 2.00 - 4.00 pm
Join Lorraine from Rootberry Crafts for our festive themed craft and make Waldorf-inspired needlefelt Christmas Angels.
£5, refreshment included. Booking required, 16+ only
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Family Saturday
Saturday 16 December
10.30 am – Family film: ‘Beauty and the Beast: The Enchanted Christmas’
Drop in 1.00 - 4.00 pm – Craft: This is our final and favourite Family Saturday of the year! Boys and girls, banish the cold weather by putting on your favourite Christmas jumper, and join our artist to design exciting new winter-themed fashions, to celebrate the holiday season in style. Free events, no booking required.

Christmas Closures
The VG&M will close for Christmas on Friday 22 December at 5.00pm. We will re-open on Tuesday 2 January 2018: 9.00 am for the Waterhouse Cafe and 10.00 am for the galleries and museum.

We would like to wish all of our visitors a very Merry Christmas and we hope to see you again in 2018.

Visit our website for more details: http://vgm.liverpool.ac.uk/whats-on/events/
Free Lunchtime Music Concerts

November
Wednesday 1 November, 1.00 pm – University Staff Choir
Wednesday 8 November, 1.00 pm – Pixels Ensemble
Wednesday 15 November, 1.00 pm – James Wishart’s 23 Songs for a Mad Woman
Wednesday 22 November, 1.00 pm – Art Song
Wednesday 29 November, 1.00 pm – Solem Quartet

December
Wednesday 6 December – Nancy Hadden and Taro Takeuchi
Friday 8, Tuesday 12, Thursday 14 December, 1.00 pm – Christmas Carols in the Waterhouse Café (please ensure you have booked a table for Christmas lunch. See section below for further details).
Wednesday 13 December, 1.00 pm – Mihkel Kerem and Robin Green

Concerts are free but you are strongly advised to reserve seats.
To book please visit: www.liverpool.ac.uk/music/events

Christmas Lunch at the Waterhouse Café

Two courses £19.95 served with a glass of winter punch
Three courses £24.95 served with a glass of winter punch
Telephone: 0151 794 6440 to book

~ Starter ~
Spicy parsnip soup
Served with crusty roll & butter

Chicken liver and clementine candied cranberry pate
Served with griddled ciabatta balsamic glaze

Smoked salmon and champagne fishcake
Served on a sun blush tomato salad

~ Main ~
Roast turkey encased in a cranberry & sage stuffing wrapped in smoked bacon. Served with seasonal vegetables

Slow roasted beef daube
Cooked & served in a red wine shallot & thyme jus on a bed of chive mash and seasonal vegetables

Mushroom and stilton wellington
Crisp puff pastry filled with tender mushrooms, wilted spinach & blue cheese. Served with seasonal vegetables & a redcurrant and vegetable gravy.

~ Dessert ~
Traditional Christmas pudding
Mulberry cheesecake
Sticky toffee pudding

Available
12 – 3 pm

Friday 8 December

Monday 11 to Friday 15 December

Tea or coffee with a mince pie
A World A Particle

Exhibition charting the contribution of the University of Liverpool to the field of Particle Physics – Past, Present and Future.

Nasty Gnashers and Dreadful Dentures

Exploration of the history of modern dentures, including some made from human teeth.

Taxidermy and Zoology

Our Zoology collection began in 1882 in the Natural History department which was located in the adapted asylum that was once behind the VG&M.

John Garstang and the Discovery of the Hittite World.

Step back in time and experience what life was like on an Edwardian archaeological excavation.

Fossils & Footprints

The University of Liverpool's Geology department has provided our museum with a selection of fossils and a large cast of a dinosaur footprint.

NCTPA Archive

A display dedicated to pipe studies in association with The National Pipe Archive.

Hand to Handle

Exhibition exploring a massive leap forward that changed forever the way that tools were made.

Micrographia

Exhibition celebrating the anniversary of the publication ‘Micrographia’ and the legacy of its author Robert Hook.

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Art Gallery, First Floor

Gallery 1
Decorative Arts Gallery
Sir Charles Sydney Jones collection of 18th and early 19th century British ceramics and Chinese export ceramics.

Gallery 2
Building the Civic
LOOK/17 is Liverpool’s biennial International Photography Festival. It returns this year with the theme ‘Cities of Exchange: Liverpool / Hong Kong’

Gallery 3
The Victoria Building: More than Bricks and Mortar
This room explores aspects of the University of Liverpool’s early years, formerly known as University College Liverpool.

Gallery 4
Take a Seat
This small display is drawn from the University of Liverpool's permanent collections and brings together portrait paintings where seating is used as a compositional tool.

Gallery 5
Book of the Dead: Passport through the Underworld
Take a journey through the Egyptian underworld and discover whether you have earned eternal life.

Gallery 6 & 7
‘Beyond Dredd and Watchmen: The Art of John Higgins’
This is the first major retrospective of the work of Liverpool-born artist John Higgins, who found global success as a comic book artist and writer for 2000AD, DC and Marvel.

Gallery 8
Audubon Gallery
John James Audubon (1785-1851) travelled the American wilderness identifying, studying and drawing hundreds of species of birds and mammals.

Waterhouse Cafe
Sheroes
Sophie’s new work focuses on some of her real life Sheroes. Growing up as transgender and trying to find her place, role models were in short supply.