

Disabled Access Day & Access Conference Kelham Island Museum

Saturday 12th March 2016

A FREE and inclusive open day with an exciting range of activities and talks for both children and adults!

Activities:

10am Autism Friendly Hour - reduced sensory in put in the museum until 11am

All day: There will be stalls in the museum from local and national disabled access groups

10.30-11am Storytelling for under 5s in the Hawley Gallery (Story of the Mysterious Egg)

11.30am Touch Tour of the Museum

1.30pm BSL Tour of the Museum

2.30-3.15pm Storytelling with puppets for 5-11 years in the Hawley Gallery (Story of Ironie) with BSL

interpretation

Talks Programme:

10.30-11am Steaming on with Inclusive Access: An overview of 'Sheffield 1916: Steel, Steam and

Power' and how inclusive access principals are being worked into the project

11.30-12noon Bog Standard Practice: An introduction to inclusive access design principles in action

from toilets to text panels

12.30-1pm Stories, Songs and Signs: How museums can provide access to disabled children and their

families

1.30-2pm Dementia Awareness: An introduction to becoming a dementia friendly museum

2.30-3pm Visual Impairment Awareness: A practical introduction to the experiences of visually

impaired visitors followed by a brief tour by members of the Inclusive Access Forum





