

ART FOR ALL – The Pioneering Story of Public Art in Dundee

From the Curator of Museum Services at the University of Dundee :



Dundee has an exceptional collection of over 500 sculptures, murals, mosaics and other forms of public art. Since 2018, the University of Dundee Museum Services have been leading a major project to research, catalogue and promote this unique resource. This exhibition showcases photographs of artworks past and present as well as unique behind-the-scenes material such as models, design sketches and installation images.

In particular, the exhibition explores the pioneering history of the Blackness Public Art Programme of the early 1980s, which attracted international attention for its ground-breaking approach. This marked the beginning of the local council's investment in culture-led regeneration, which has continued to this day. Its success led to the expansion of the scheme to become the Dundee Public Art Programme. This was the first city-wide programme of public art in the country and would remain the largest programme in Scotland throughout its existence.

The Public Art Dundee project has been led by the University of Dundee with support from Dundee City Council, the Menzieshill Photography Group, Art UK and Historic Environment Scotland.

The exhibition runs 3rd August to 26th October at the Lamb Gallery, Tower Building, University of Dundee.

It will be open Monday to Friday 9.30am to 7pm and Saturday 1pm to 5pm.

It will be accompanied by a series of tours, talks and workshops including a study day with talks by artists and researchers on Saturday 26th October. Further details are available [here](#).

Blether Tay-Gither – Storytelling in Dundee

From Blether Tay-Gither :

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Our July meeting will be on Tuesday 30th July at 7pm

Note change of venue to :

Madigan's Tea Room and Bookshop, 25 Castle Street

The theme is "Homecoming or Old Favourites".

Join us for a relaxed evening of stories and tales. Bring a story or just come to listen.

Free but a small donation welcome – £3 suggested.

[Weekly Road Report – West End Ward](#) [#dundeewestend](#)



DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL – WEEKLY ROAD REPORT

REPORT FOR WEST END WARD – SATURDAY 27 AND SUNDAY 28 JULY 2019

Perth Road (West Wynd to Seafield Road) – closed on Sunday 28 July for manhole repairs.

Perth Road (at Union Place) – temporary traffic lights on Sunday 28 July for BT works.

Forthcoming Roadworks

West Marketgait (at Ward Road) – southbound offside lane closure on Saturday 10 August (9.30am – 3.30am) for Scottish Water work.

Kirsty Semple Way – closed on Saturday 17 August for crane lifting operations.

Dundee West End Community Fridge – Official Opening #dundeewestend

Great to see the official opening of Dundee West End Community Fridge taking place and all in the local community invited!



OFFICIAL LAUNCH

DUNDEE WEST END
COMMUNITY
FRIDGE

JOIN US FOR A PICNIC &
CELEBRATION

FOOD WILL BE PROVIDED!

SUNDAY 4TH AUGUST - 1PM
@DUNDEE WEST END COMMUNITY FRIDGE
MILLER'S WYND CAR PARK, PERTH RD, DUNDEE

SOFT LAUNCH OPENING HOURS

22/07/19 - 28/07/19 MON-SUN 11AM-4PM

29/07/19 - 04/08/19 MON-FRI 11AM-8PM & SAT-SUN 11AM-4PM

05/08/19 ONWARDS MON-FRI 8AM-8PM & SAT-SUN 8AM-4PM

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Temporary Traffic Order – Perth Road #dundeewestend

From the City Council (I am pleased to see these repairs taking place having raised this on behalf of residents) :



THE ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1)

THE DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL AS TRAFFIC AUTHORITY being satisfied that traffic on the road should be prohibited by reason of Scottish Water manhole repair works being carried out HEREBY PROHIBIT the driving of any vehicle in Perth Road (West Wynd to Seafield Road), Dundee.

This notice comes into effect on Sunday 28 July 2019 for 1 day.

Pedestrian thoroughfare will be maintained.

Alternative routes are available via Perth Road / Nethergate / West Marketgait / Hawkhill.

For further information contact 433082.

**Head of Roads and Transportation
Dundee City Council**