



BURNLEY 2017



Heritage Open Days

&
Woodland
Festival
Sunday 10th
Sept

Come along to events in Burnley as part of the nation's big FREE CELEBRATION of architecture, history and culture.

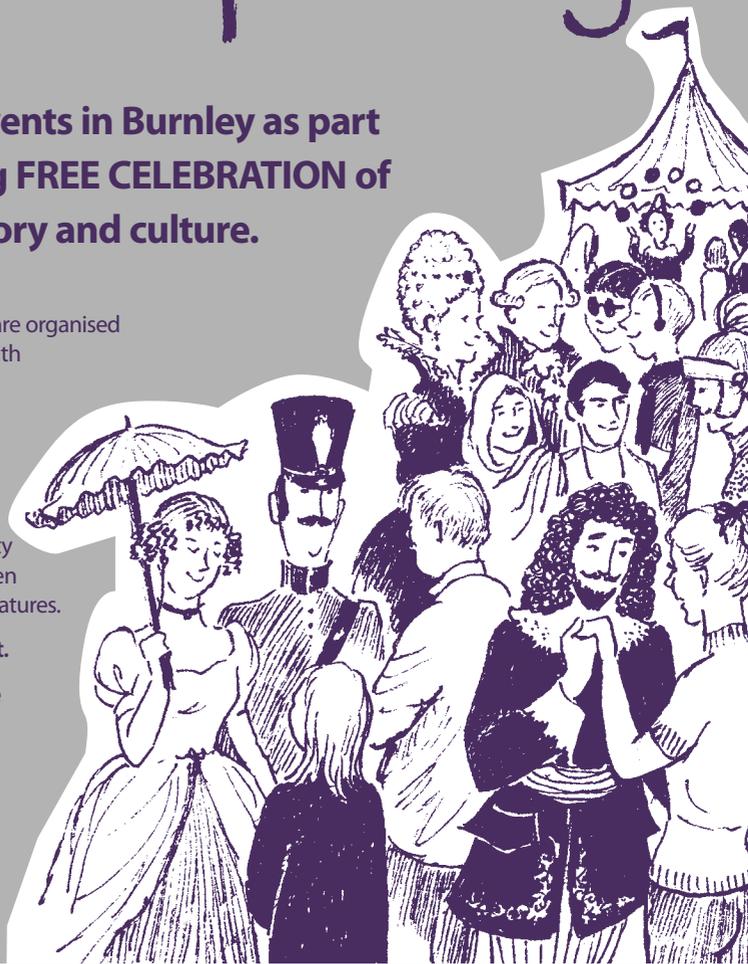
The 2017 Heritage Open Days are organised locally by Burnley Civic Trust, with support from Burnley Council and the support and active participation of all the venues featured here. Many thanks to all these organisations.

The days are a great opportunity to discover our borough's hidden secrets and many interesting features.

All are welcome at every event.

Entrance to everything is free on these days – even where venues normally charge. You may need to pay charges at car parks near some venues, including Towneley. Please check when you arrive.

There is plenty going on.



Thursday 7th–Sunday 10th September

All Saints Church

638 Padiham Road, Burnley, Bb12 6LG

Designed by Weightman and Hadfield of Sheffield, the pioneers of Gothic Revival, the church was completed in the autumn of 1849 on land gifted by the Kay-Shuttleworth family of Gawthorpe Hall. Learn a little of its history incorporating an optional guided tour of the graveyard.

Saturday 9th September
2 pm to 5 pm

For more details call 01282 420997 or email clive.spencer2@ntlworld.com



Burnley Town Hall

Manchester Road, Burnley, BB11 9SA

Join renowned local historian Roger Frost MBE for an entertaining and informative tour (lasting approximately one hour) of the borough's historic town hall.

Friday 8th September
Tours begin at 4pm and 6 pm

For more details, call 01282 477198 or email communityengagement@burnley.gov.uk

Burnley Youth Theatre

Queens Park Road, Burnley, BB10 3LB

See the impressive BYT building; learn more about our history and heritage; hear the story of how we have grown from a small youth theatre run by volunteers, set up in 1973, to a thriving arts organisation. Photos of past productions will be exhibited, and there are tours of the building at 1.30, 2 pm and 2.30 pm.

Thursday 7th September
12 noon to 3 pm

For more details, call 01282 427767 or email laura.veevers@burnleyouththeatre.org

Canalside

62 Lindsay Street, Burnley, BB11 2SF

Visit the 1884 Grade Two listed building, originally a court of 'The Ancient Order of Foresters' Friendly Society'. Displays include examples of our local industrial heritage.

Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th September
1 pm to 4.30 pm

For more details, call 01282 429319 or email rochesterbr@aol.com



Crematorium

Accrington Road, Burnley BB11 5QD

The crematorium will open its doors to allow people to find out more about something that affects us all but we don't often discuss. Tour of the crematorium; staff will be available to answer questions. Refreshments available.

Sunday 10th September
Noon to 3pm

For more details call 01282 477148 or email sroberts@burnley.gov.uk



Gawthorpe Hall

Padiham, Burnley, BB12 8UA
(Satnav – BB12 8SD)

Enjoy a free visit to Burnley's 'little Downton'. Gawthorpe Hall is a Jacobean house, nestled in the shadow of Pendle Hill, home of the Shuttleworth family for over 400 years. See the original plaster ceilings, decorative panelling and luxuriant Victorian rooms showing off furniture, ceramics and portraits. And use the spiral staircase to visit the Victorian kitchen (not usually open) to see what the housekeeper is making.

Saturday 9th September

12pm to 5pm (last entry 4.30pm)

For more details phone 01282 771004 or email gawthorpehall@lancashire.gov.uk

St Andrew's Parish Church

Duke Bar, Colne Road, Burnley, BB10 1BU

The church is celebrating its 150th anniversary this year. The interior is notable for its stained glass windows by eminent Victorian designer Charles Eamer Kempe, who also designed the elaborate reredos behind the high altar; this was manufactured in Oberammergau. A display of memorabilia will also be available.

Thursday 7th, Friday 8th, Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th September

10 am to 2 pm

For more details phone 01282 423185 or email hagoodstrickland@gmail.com

St John's Church, Cliviger

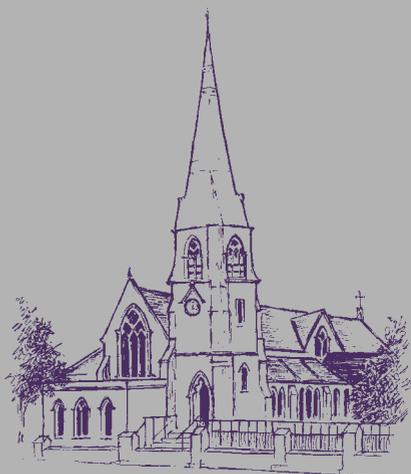
Holme in Cliviger, Burnley Road, BB10 4SU

A guided tour of this 18th Century church and its interesting graveyard. Several notable Burnley people are buried here, including General Scarlett who led the charge of the Heavy Brigade at Balaclava and Lady O'Hagan, the last resident of Towneley Hall. In the church gallery is a Royal Coat of Arms. St John's is the only church in Burnley to have one.

Saturday 9th September

11am

For more details call 01282 429740 or email ruthpickles@gmail.com



Towneley Hall

Towneley Park, Burnley, BB11 3RQ

The 'jewel in Burnley's crown': a fascinating building, with period rooms covering several centuries of life at the hall.

See the hidden spaces and learn about the history of Towneley Hall by joining in a tour. Entrance to the hall is free – but please note that car parking charges apply.

Friday 8th September
Saturday 9th September
Sunday 10th September

Tours from 12-4pm. To book a place on a tour call 01282 477 130 or email kdarwen@burnley.gov.uk

Weavers' Triangle Visitor Centre

85 Manchester Road, Burnley, BB11 1JZ.

Saturday 9th September
Sunday 10th September
2pm to 5pm

Look around the former wharfmaster's house and canal toll office. Displays about Burnley's textile industry, its workers, and the Leeds and Liverpool Canal.

Sunday 10th September
2.15pm. Meet at visitor centre
For more details call 01282 452403

A guided walk along the canal towpath lasting about one hour. Please wear suitable shoes or boots.



**Woodland
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September**
Noon-4pm

Towneley Park, Burnley, BB11 3RQ

Sunday afternoon in one of Lancashire's most marvellous parks – a great way to finish the Heritage Open Days weekend.

Watch the woodcarvers and visit the craft and exhibition stalls, and local producers' market.

There will be re-enactors in military uniform.

Inside the hall, costumed guides will show you around some of the secret places and the local history museum will give you a glimpse of times gone by. Take time to visit our marvellous tea room.