Tunbridge Wells Cultural & Learning Hub

Newsletter – 6th March 2017

Latest news:

Thank you to all who have fed into the recent consultations. Metaphor held workshops exploring what the community want to see in the welcome space as well as how collections will be displayed. They were amazed at the wealth of knowledge the town holds and have gone away with plenty to think about!

Purcell held public presentations on the current concept designs on Wednesday 1st March. If you missed this, you can see the developing designs on a display in the foyer of the Library and Museum building or online until 13th March.
http://www.tunbridgewellsmuseum.org/cultural-hub/get-involved

Service Spotlight:

Our next Service Spotlight focuses on the Adult Education Centre and the variety of courses it offers.

"The Adult Education Centre in Tunbridge Wells dates back to 1902, this impressive building, designed by the eminent architect Henry T Hare and has several unique features. These include a distinctive frontage, complete with decorative stonework. Moving inside, a grand staircase takes centre stage along with a striking mosaic floor. One of the most prominent features is the magnificent stained glass window which comes in to view at the top of the stairs.

This Centre offers a wide range of courses, with specialist areas for Pottery, Art and Silversmithing. What's more, with its prominent location in the heart of town, it's not surprising that Tunbridge Wells is one of the most popular centres with students, with over 3,800 enrolments in 2015/16.

The Centre is one of a number across Kent, which together host the extensive Kent Adult Education programme, aimed to meet the varied needs and interests of communities across the County. Kent Adult Education is part of KCC's Community Learning and Skills organisation, which provides learning opportunities for adults, young people and families throughout Kent in order to meet their aspirations for improved work skills, better personal development, strong families and healthy creative lives."

https://www.kentadulteducation.co.uk/about-us/where-to-find-us/tunbridge-wells.aspx

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions about the project you can email museum@tunbridgewells.gov.uk

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