

Yorkshire Philosophical Society

Behind the Scenes at the Yorkshire Museum

- The Geology Collections

The geological displays on show in the Yorkshire Museum are a spectacular but very small portion of the geological materials held behind the scenes. These include everything from the bones found in Kirkdale Cave, which gave rise to the Museum, (and upset the religious orthodoxies of the time), to the Middlesbrough Meteorite, and cases and cases of wonderful fossils and minerals.

A small group of about 20 members will be introduced to the collections jointly by curators Isla Gladstone and Stuart Ogilvy, and then we will be split up into smaller groups to look in detail at other parts of the collections. The entire visit should take about an hour and a half. If applicants exceed 20 we may be able to arrange additional visits.

Date: Monday 10th September 2012

Time: 10.00 am (second visit at 1.00 pm if needed)

Early application is advised - and in any case by August 24th.

The cost is £5.00 per person to cover administrative expenses, and a small donation to the York Museums Trust

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Please return with your fee and a stamped addressed envelope to:

Graham Williamson, YPS, The Lodge, Museum Gardens, York, YO1 7DR

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I/We would like..... place(s) at £5.00 each, and enclose a cheque for £.....
(payable to the Yorkshire Philosophical Society).

Name(s).....

Address.....

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