

A Yorkshire Philosophical Society lecture

Sound Waves in an Echoing Wonder World

Christmas Family Lecture

By Ann Marks, University of Liverpool

on Sunday 30th December at 2.30pm at the Tempest Anderson Hall of the Yorkshire Museum









Admission free. No advance booking.

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In this lecture a pathway will be traced from the basic concepts of how sound travels to include reflection, resonance and Doppler shift, as the wonder world of sound, natural and man-made, which surrounds us, is explored.

Audience participation will be invited and very much encouraged in the numerous demonstrations throughout this illustrated Christmas lecture.

Suitable for young people from 10 to 100.

With the support of York Museums Trust Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.



