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FAMILY FUN DAY AT FAIRLYNCH MUSEUM, BUDLEIGH SALTERTON

## **Dinosaurs, Door Knockers and the Deep!**

FAIRLYNCH Museum is throwing open its doors and beautiful garden to host a FREE Family Fun Day on Saturday 14 July.

This colourful event kicks off with stories of thrilling adventures based on the fascinating history of Budleigh and the sea. Families are invited to join in with talented storyteller Pippa who will weave fantastic tales of dinosaurs and the deep using images and items from the Museum's wonderful collection. Everyone will have the chance to develop new storytelling skills, make a story blanket or simply lose themselves in the moment.

The afternoon session is full of fantasy and history. Based on some of the more unusual items to be found at Fairlynch, masterly mask maker Darrell will be helping families to create stunning, colourful masks, some scary, some spooky but all will be really fun to make and everything can be taken home afterwards.

The event is supported by the Heritage Lottery Fund and Renaissance in the Regions which help museums to get more involved with the community and to welcome more visitors and, through Ishbel Ramsay, its Arts Development Officer, East Devon District Council continues to provide ongoing practical support to the district's museums.

Entry to the Museum will be free to all who come along and take part; there will be refreshments available as well. Storytelling starts at 10.30am and mask making at 2.00pm. Children must be accompanied, with up to 3 children per adult.

### **Ends**

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**There will be an opportunity to take photographs throughout the day**

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