



Events Programme



Tuesday 17 until Saturday 28 July

The Dig!

Reputed to be the site of a medieval manor house, Vinegarth was home to one of the greatest families of the Middle Ages, the Mowbrays. Archaeologists will be digging the Vinegarth site looking for further evidence of this famous manor. Volunteers of all ages are needed to help carry out the archaeological works and full training will be provided.

Booking is essential – various dates available. 16 yrs and over

Visit www.ioahc.net or the Landscape Partnership Facebook or twitter @ioahc to book your place.

Thursday 26 July

Family Archaeology Day with York Archaeological Trust

Various times available, Vinegarth and St Andrew's Church Family volunteer archaeology sessions. Suitable for 5 years and over. An adult must accompany children. One adult per two children. **Booking is essential.** Visit www.ioahc.net or the Landscape Partnership Facebook or Twitter @ioahc to book your place.

Saturday 28 July

Medieval Open Day

10am-4.30pm, Vinegarth and St Andrew's Church, Epworth

All are welcome to attend this family fun open day! Join archaeologists and the IoAHC Landscape Partnership team on site to learn all about the dig and what the results have revealed.

- Interesting history displays (morning)
- How to metal detect on the Isle of Axholme (morning)
- Apple of your Isle – pressing and orchard information
- Epworth Mechanics Institute display
- Dig activities with York Archaeological Trust (all day)
- Tours of the site and St Andrew's Church (morning)
- History talks and presentations (afternoon)
- Street entertainment in and around Epworth, 11-12noon
- Children's medieval craft activities (10-12:30)

It will be medieval mayhem for all the family to enjoy.

Free – just turn up

Saturday 14 July

St Andrew's Church, Epworth

Medieval Concert with de Mowbray's Musicke

7.30-9.30pm. Doors open at 7pm

Tickets £7 on the door.

For more details contact 01427 873937 or

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Tuesday 24 July

Evening Stroll – Epworth

7-9pm, starting at St Andrew's Church, Epworth

Join local historian Robert Fish for an interesting

evening tour of Epworth.

Free - just turn up!

Monday 16 and Thursday 19 July

Mini Diggers

10am – 12noon (Under 5's Session)

Vinegarth, Epworth

A special 'archaeology' themed session aimed at children ages 5 and under. Mud exploring and churchyard activities. Children can dig for their own treasure and join in on the fun. Free - just turn up!

If you would like any further information about the project, contact the Isle of Axholme and Hatfield Chase Landscape Partnership team on:

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