

# Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery

## Free exhibition talks and tours

## July 2015

Tours are available from Wednesday to Sunday and specialty group tours can be arranged on request.

**Time:** 11:00 am

**Duration:** approximately 30 minutes

**Meeting point:** Central Gallery



### Private Secretary's Cottage

Among TMAG's extraordinary collection of artefacts is the Private Secretary's Cottage which sits at the centre of the museum site and provides an above-ground archaeological record of the state's earliest years.

**Tour dates: Every Wednesday (1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 July)**

### The Suspense is Awful: Tasmania and the Great War

Join TMAG's senior history curator and hear more about the stories and displays that make up this unique exhibition.

**Tour date: Thursday 2 July**

### Things I Once Knew: The Art of Patrick Hall

Join an art guide to explore the extraordinary imagination of this gifted Tasmanian artist/furniture maker/poet in TMAG's important, comprehensive, mid-career survey exhibition.

**Tour dates: Every Friday, Saturday and Sunday (3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25 and 26 July)**

### Deep Sea Corals

Learn about the beautiful and diverse 'coral gardens' found on the deep seamounts south of Tasmania and the process behind describing and naming the many new species found.

**Tour date: Thursday 9 July**

### Robert Brown: Nature's Investigator in Van Diemen's Land

Hear how Robert Brown, protégé of Sir Joseph Banks, contributed to our knowledge of local natural history.

**Tour date: Thursday 16 July**

**Special meeting point: Courtyard Veranda**

### Convict Artisans in Van Diemen's Land

Convicts often brought with them skills that benefitted the new colony. Find out about and see some of the fascinating items convict artisans created.

**Tour date: Thursday 30 July**

**Special meeting point: Courtyard Veranda**

## More tours

### Free Winter Highlight Tour

**1:30 pm**

Find out more about the exciting stories held in the Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery (TMAG) with one of our friendly guides. Visit the historic buildings, and discover the unique flora and fauna of Tasmania.

### Settlement Secrets

Go on a theatrical journey through TMAG's buildings, which are the earliest still existing from the first European settlement of Hobart. This tour is produced by Antipodean Entertainment under licence to TMAG.

**Tours are available most days, visit the website at [www.antipodeanentertainment.com.au](http://www.antipodeanentertainment.com.au) or call 0418 136 440 for more information and to book.**

**Cost: \$20 adults, \$15 children, \$60 family (2 adults, 4 children), under 4s free**

**Meeting point: Courtyard Veranda**

Free admission

Open Tuesday - Sunday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm  
(closed Good Friday and Christmas Day)

Dunn Place, Hobart

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