



TOPSHAM MUSEUM

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Filming and photography

Visitors to Topsham Museum are permitted to take photographs and film themselves, family and friends and to make the most of our displays and exhibitions.

- Photographs must be for personal use only, using hand-held cameras and phones. Additional equipment such as tripods, monopods, gimbals and lighting is not permitted in the galleries.
- Flash photography anywhere in the Museum is not permitted as the use of flash is obtrusive and can spoil other visitors' enjoyment.
- Objects, plinths or cases must not be moved or touched while taking photographs or filming

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Signed:

Jenny Ellis
Chairman and Trustee

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Gill McLean
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