

# Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery

## Free exhibition talks and tours

# January 2018

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

**Time:** 11:00 am

**Duration:** approximately 40 minutes

**Meeting point:** Central Gallery (unless otherwise indicated)



### Appreciation v Depreciation – What Is Your Mindset?

This summer will feature special tours exploring what art lovers find inspirational in the ideas and methods of artists in TMAG exhibitions. How do artists manage to encourage curiosity and wonder? How can we as viewers be open to the experience?

**Tour dates: Every Friday, Saturday and Sunday (5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 26, 27 and 28 January)**

### Private Secretary's Cottage

Among TMAG's 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 (3, 10, 17, 24 and 31 January)**

### 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 that convict artisans created.

**Tour date: Thursday 18 January**  
**Meeting point: Courtyard Veranda**

### TMAG's Historic Buildings

The TMAG precinct is one of Australia's most historically significant sites – come and discover the history of the buildings and how they have survived to the present day.

**Tour date: Thursday 4 January**

**Meeting point: Courtyard Veranda**

### Tasmanian Aboriginal Culture

Come and find out more about Tasmanian Aboriginal Culture with TMAG's Aboriginal Learning Facilitator. Get up close to some genuine artefacts and learn about traditional and contemporary Tasmanian Aboriginal life.

**Tour date: Thursday 11 January**

## More tours

**1:00 pm**

Highlights tour of our Welcome Garden, historic Commissariat Complex and the Bond Store exhibitions.

**2:00 pm**

Highlights tour of the treasures of the Central and Henry Hunter galleries.

### 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 – please check the website as tour dates and times may change without notice.

**Tour days: Tuesday – Friday**

**Times: 11:30 am and 2:00 pm**

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

**Please visit the website at [www.antipodeanentertainment.com.au](http://www.antipodeanentertainment.com.au) for more information and to book.**

**Meeting point: Courtyard Veranda**

Free admission  
Open 10:00 am to 4:00 pm daily  
Dunn Place, Hobart  
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