

Discovery Point &  
Verdant Works

July - December 2019



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# What's On/

## Highlights/

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**Wonderful Whales/** A family fun day celebrating our favourite cetaceans!

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**Ghostly Tales by Candlelight/** A chilling evening of haunting Victorian ghost stories

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**Whisky Galore!/** Whisky tasting inspired by the men of *Discovery*

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# Diary/

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## July

**Fri 5,19/** *Music in the Mill 13:20-13:50* **VW**

**Wed 10/** *Wee Weavers 14:30-15:30* **VW**

**Sat 27/** *Abstract Photography workshop 10:00-12:30* **DP**

**Sun 28/** *Sunday Screening 11:00* **VW**

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## August

**Fri 2/** *Music in the Mill 13:20-13:50* **VW**

**Sat 3/** *Artist's Talk / Pam Kelly 14:00* **VW**

**Wed 7/** *Wee Explorers 14:30-15:30* **DP**

**Tues 13/** *Lunchtime talk 12:30-13:00* **VW**

**Thurs 15,22,29/** *PEEP 13:30-14:30* **DP**

**Sun 18/** *Wonderful Whales! 11:00-16:00* **DP**

**Sun 25/** *Sunday Screening 11:00* **VW**

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## September

**Wed 4/** *Wee Weavers 14:30-15:30* **VW**

**Fri 6/** *Piston, Pen & Press: Performance 19:00* **VW**

**Tues 10/** *Lunchtime talk 12:30-13:00* **DP**

**Fri 13/** *Floating on Ice - Midsummer in Antarctica 19:00* **DP**

**Sun 22/** *Sunday Screening 11:00* **VW**

**Sat 28/** *Artist's Talk / Stan Farrow 14:00* **DP**

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## October

**Sat 5-Sun 6/** *Crafting at the Quayside 10:30-12:30, 14:30-16:30* **DP**

**Wed 9/** *Wee Explorers 14:30-15:30* **DP**

**Sat 12/** *Project Talk / The Piston & the Pen: Dundee Workers and their Writing: 14:00* **VW**

**Tues 15/** *Lunchtime Talk 12:30-13:00* **VW**

**Sun 27/** *Sunday Screening 11:00* **VW**

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## November

**Sat 2/** *Ghostly Tales by Candlelight 19:00, 20:30* **VW**

**Wed 6/** *Wee Weavers 14:30-15:30* **VW**

**Thurs 7,14,21/** *PEEP 14:00-15:00* **VW**

**Tues 12/** *Lunchtime Talk 12:30-13:00* **DP**

**Fri 22/** *Whisky Galore! 20:00-22:00* **DP**

**Sun 24/** *Sunday Screening 11:00* **VW**

**Sat 30/** *Winter Fayre 11:00-16:00* **VW**

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## December

**Sun 1 /** *Winter Fayre 11:00-16:00*



**Wed 4 /** *Wee Explorers 14:30-15:30*



**Tues 10 /** *Lunchtime Talk 12:30-13:00*



 *Discovery Point*

 *Verdant Works*

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Tickets cannot be exchanged or refunded after purchase except in the case of a cancelled workshop/event. Cancellations may occur due to circumstances outwith our control or where they do not reach the minimum number of participants required. Events which do not meet the minimum number of participants will be cancelled no later than 7 days in advance.



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Visit [rrsdiscovery.com](http://rrsdiscovery.com) for full event listings and more detailed information.



**Sat 27 July**

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## **Abstract Photography Workshop /**

Explore the freedom of abstract photography and develop your creative photography skills in this two hour workshop with photographers Stan Farrow FRPS and Nicola Shepherd LRPS.

*10:00-12:30 / ages 16+ / booking essential / £25*

**Thurs 15, 22 & 29 Aug**

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## **PEEP /**

Peep Learning Together sessions explore how families can enhance children's development by making the most of play and learning opportunities in everyday life. We've collaborated with Dundee City Council for a series of specially developed sessions exploring our galleries through play.

*13:30-14:30 / pre-schoolers / booking essential / free*

**Tue 13 Aug, 10 Sept, 15 Oct,  
12 Nov & 10 Dec**

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## **Lunchtime Talks /**

Delve deeper into our museum collections and find out more about our objects, artworks and gallery themes in our free thirty minute lunchtime talks.

*12:30-13:00 / all ages / drop in / free / locations may vary, please check the website for more info.*

**Wed 7 Aug, 9 Oct & 4 Dec**

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## **Wee Explorers /**

Stories, craft sessions and messy play for wee ones aged 2-5, inspired by exploration and adventure. Park your buggy and join us for a coffee.

*14.30-15.30 / ages 2-5 / booking essential / £4 inc. refreshments*

Fri 13 Sept

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## Floating on Ice - Midsummer in Antarctica /

After hopping last minute on a yacht, Kirsty Maguire travelled to the Antarctic Peninsula where she watched whales and penguins and skied glacier covered peaks, all in the near constant daylight of the Antarctic summer. Join us to hear more about Kirsty's adventures - on and off land!

19:00 / all ages / booking essential / £5

Sat 28 Sept

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## Artist's Talk: Stan Farrow /

Creative digital photographer Stan Farrow FRPS discusses *PhotoArt*, our café exhibition which brings together over forty works and showcases Stan's signature abstract approach.

14:00 / all ages / booking essential / free

Sat 5 - Sun 6 Oct

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## Crafting at the Quayside /

Drop in object handling and craft sessions that let children (and big kids!) get up close to our collections and get creative!

10:30-12:30, 14:30-16:30 / all ages / drop in /  
inc. in museum admission

Fri 22 Nov

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## Whisky Galore! /

In 1901, RRS *Discovery* set sail laden with twenty seven gallons of whisky for 'medicinal purposes'. In this tasting you'll learn more about the distillation process as you sample a selection of whiskies inspired by the men of *Discovery*.

20:00-22:00 / ages 18+ / booking essential / £TBC

# Featured events /

## Discovery Point

Sun 18 Aug

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## Family Day: Wonderful Whales! /

Find out more about these magnificent marine mammals as you chat to scientists and examine different specimens, try your hand at scrimshaw, listen to whale songs and enjoy some Whale Tales with storyteller Jan Bee Brown as we celebrate our favourite cetaceans with crafts, face-painting and much more. You'll have a 'whale' of a time!

11:00-16:00 / all ages /  
inc. in museum admission / Discovery Point

## Verdant Works

Sat 30 Nov & Sun 1 Dec

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## Winter Fayre /

Our festive Winter Fayre returns to Verdant Works for its third year! Enjoy mulled wine, mince pies and the chance to finish (or start!) your holiday shopping as we host a variety of artists and designers in our beautiful High Mill. We're passionate about celebrating and showcasing independent makers and businesses so please get in touch if you would like to take part!

11:00-16:00 / all ages / drop in / free /  
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# Verdant Works /

Visit [verdantworks.com](http://verdantworks.com) for full event listings and more detailed information.



**Fri 5 & 19 July, 2 Aug**

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## Music in the Mill /

Join us for our special fortnightly programme of lunchtime concerts in the High Mill featuring a wide range of musical genres.

13:20-13:50 / all ages / no booking required / £2 inc. refreshments + children go free

**Sun 28 July, 25 Aug, 22 Sept, 27 Oct & 24 Nov**

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## Sunday Screening /

Monthly family film in the Red Box, inspired by our museum collections. We'll provide the comfy cushions; you bring some pennies for popcorn!

11:00 / all ages / no booking required / free

**Wed 10 July, 4 Sept & 6 Nov**

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## Wee Weavers /

Stories, craft sessions and messy play for wee ones aged 2-5, inspired by Verdant Works. Park your buggy and join us for a coffee.

14:30-15:30 / ages 2-5 / booking essential / £4 inc. refreshments

**Fri 6 Sept**

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## Piston, Pen & Press: Performance /

Immerse yourself in the captivating sounds of Arran born fiddler and singer Gillian Frame and Scottish singer-songwriter Findlay Napier as they perform brand new material inspired by findings from the *Piston, Pen & Press* research project.

19:00 / booking essential / £5

**Sat 2 Nov**

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## Ghostly Tales by Candlelight /

A chilling evening of haunting Victorian ghost stories, set in the eerily atmospheric High Mill.

19:00, 20:30 / booking essential / £8

**Thu 7, 14 & 21 Nov**

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## PEEP /

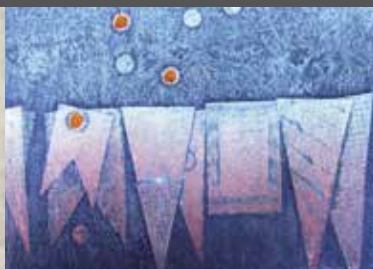
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# Exhibitions /

A busy programme of free temporary exhibitions takes place throughout the year at **Discovery Point** and **Verdant Works**.



## Discovery Point

Sat 13 July - Thu 17 Oct

### PhotoArt /

Photographs by creative digital photographer, Stan Farrow FRPS. Stan creates unique compositions, sometimes adding layers of texture with the help of digital techniques.

*Artist's Talk: Sat 28 Sept, 14:00*

Sat 19 Oct – Thu 16 Jan 2020

### 77° North /

Edge textile artists present a body of new work in a variety of techniques and media inspired by the 19th century Scottish whaling industry, an industry once vital to the economy of Dundee.

### Artist's Talks /

Come along to hear more about how our artists create their work and discover the inspiration behind their remarkable pieces.

*See diary for further details / all ages / booking essential / free*

## Verdant Works

Sat 6 July - Sun 6 Oct

### Art of Work /

Paintings, prints and 3D artworks by artist Pam Kelly examining the theme of people at work and the relationships between workers and employers.

*Artist's Talk: Sat 3 Aug, 14:00*

Sat 17 Aug - Sun 3 Nov

### Piston, Pen & Press /

University of Strathclyde research project considering Victorian industrial workers and their relationship with contemporary literary culture.

*Project Talk / The Piston & the Pen: Dundee Workers and their Writing: Sat 12 Oct, 14:00*

Sat 12 Oct - Sun 5 Jan 2020

### Outer Forms, Inner Spaces /

Oil paintings by contemporary artist Lynda Watson focusing on vessel-like forms and considering them as places of intimacy where we keep hidden our thoughts, memories and emotions.



## Find out more/

Visit our websites for full details of our events and further visitor information.

[rrsdiscovery.com](http://rrsdiscovery.com) [verdantworks.com](http://verdantworks.com)

Got questions? Get in touch with our Audience Engagement Officer:

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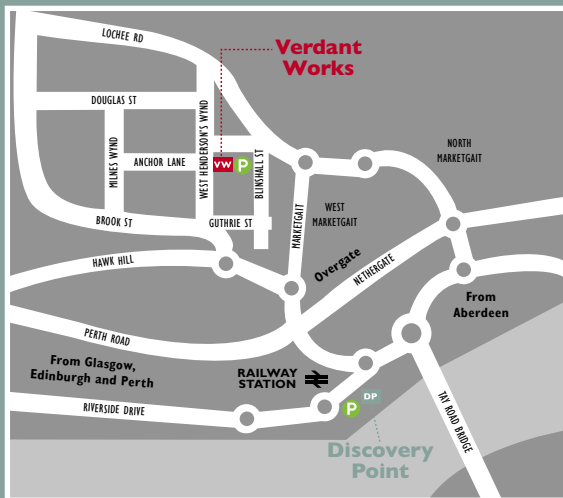
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