

New exhibition at Ipswich Museum

# ABOLITION!

## The Thomas Clarkson Story

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Now Open

Thomas Clarkson, who lived the latter part of his life at Playford Hall near Ipswich, was a tireless campaigner for the abolition of slavery. The importance of his role in the abolition movement is only now being widely recognised and this exhibition tells the fascinating story.

Find out

- how and why the Slave Trade operated
- the rich variety of African cultures from which enslaved Africans were taken
- the work of Thomas Clarkson
- the abolition movement
- the impact of the Slave Trade in Ipswich and Suffolk
- a new way of thinking about the end of slavery
- more about Clarkson's local connections



Ipswich Museum is open Tue – Sat  
10am – 5pm. Please call 01473 433550  
for more information

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## In Ipswich's Beautiful Museums...



### Ipswich Museum



Discover life in Roman Suffolk, find out about the Anglo-Saxon origins of Ipswich and much more, by visiting the fantastic Ipswich Museum.

See artefacts from Africa, Asia, North America and the Pacific and don't miss the gallery of British Birds. Plus find out all about the fossils, rocks, and minerals in our region.

Enjoy the Victorian Natural History Gallery, where you can see favourites including a woolly mammoth, a rhino, a giraffe and

more! Discover gods and mummies in the Egyptian gallery.

Open Tuesday – Saturday 10am – 5pm

Closed Good Friday, 24th to 26th, and 31st December and 1st January

**FREE ADMISSION**



### Christchurch Mansion



Discover Ipswich's historic past, and visit the beautiful Christchurch Mansion.

See period rooms presented from the sumptuous Georgian Saloon, to the more humble Victorian wing with its displays of children's toys and dolls houses.

Don't miss the biggest collection of paintings by Gainsborough and Constable, outside of London, along with collections of other artists inspired by the beautiful landscapes of East Anglia.

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Both museums are just a five minute walk from Ipswich town centre, so why not come along and make a day of it?