

# Kirkham Treasures

## Celebrating Kirkham's Heritage

### Tunnel Book Workshop

Kirkham Treasures focuses on Kirkham's heritage and includes the creation of artwork to animate Kirkham's high street. Artist Alex Blakey has been commissioned to create artwork working with the local community, to celebrate Kirkham's heritage, providing a programme of workshops, where individuals will be able to create amazing artworks that will also inform the final artwork.

As part of this exciting project, we will be providing opportunities for individuals to create tunnel books.

- Learn the art of papercutting and create your own 3D tunnel book.
- Tunnel books date back to the 18th century and were inspired by theatre sets.
- Each layer of the book comes together to make a three-dimensional scene.
- They are often used to tell a story or commemorate a moment in history.
- In the case of this project, we will be making tunnel books to celebrate the history of Kirkham.
- These artworks will be displayed on the High Street.
- These workshops will be facilitated by Artist Alex Blakey



Coming soon...

Dates for adult workshops

Dates for young people's workshops

**Don't for get to book a free place.**