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Reflecting our past; igniting our future

CELEBRATING 21 YEARS

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Join us for the National Glass Centre’s 21st Birthday Party!

Sunday 23 June, 10.00 -17.00

To mark the 21st Birthday of the National Glass Centre, we are celebrating with a whole day of family fun! There will be a host of activities for all the family including your chance to paint your own special celebratory glass object to take home.

Celebration Glass Painting
Choose from a birthday balloon or cupcake and decorate it using paint pens. Take it home and hang it up or give it as a gift for someone else’s birthday!
10.00 – 17.00 / Age 4+ / A special birthday price of £2pp

Other special events and activities across the day include:
- A free trail
- Face painting
- Competitions
- Glass and Ceramics BA Degree Show
- Newly commissioned films highlighting the latest work of two of our most promising graduates, Erin Dickson and Jade Tapson

Plus there will be even more glass blowing demonstrations than ever before! Watch our team of expert glass blowers create amazing works of art throughout the day.

Please check our website for full party details... all our activities are drop-in so no need to R.S.V.P!

Have a go at our FREE Family Trail, available all summer
Exhibitions

Alongside our NGC21 exhibition we are also holding a number of exhibitions across the city to celebrate our 21 years

**Arts Centre Washington: Peoples Pyrex**  
21 June – 27 July  
This exhibition celebrates Sunderland’s close relationship to Pyrex glass. Between 1922 and 2007 all of the Pyrex sold across the British Commonwealth (with the exception of Canada) was made in Sunderland. As well as making it we also used it, and the shapes and patterns are woven into many family memories. The exhibition will feature the work of the artist Erin Dickson and your Pyrex.

**We Want Your Pyrex: Pyrex drop off afternoons**  
We are seeking contributions to this exhibition by asking you to lend us your Pyrex glassware to display in our Exhibition Space. We would also love to hear more about how you acquired the piece of Pyrex and your memories associated with it. From Wednesday 19 June to Saturday 20 July we will be hosting Pyrex drop off afternoons every Wednesday and Saturday from 1-4pm.

For more information about lending us your Pyrex for display in the exhibition please get in touch with acw@sunderland.gov.uk or call 0191 561 3455.

**Sunderland Museum & Winter Gardens: Sunderland's Glass Industry**  
20 July – 27 October  
Most households in the UK own glass made in Sunderland, with Pyrex having been made in the city since 1922. It was developed by the American firm Corning in 1915. Corning then offered the rights to make Pyrex to the major British glassmakers but the Sunderland firm James A. Jobling was the only one to see the potentially vast market for heat resistant glassware.

The Museum will showcase the wide variety of Pyrex products from their collection ‘Made on Wearside’ over 85 years until the firm closed in 2007. As well as showing the changing fashions in tableware it will include pieces commemorating the 1966 World Cup, unique competition pieces and scientific instruments.

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21st Birthday

**What's On - Birthday-themed Family Activities**  
Alongside our Family Fun Day on 23 June, we also have a range of birthday-themed activities as part of our regular programme, such as ‘Party Plates’, ‘Celebration Fusing’ and ‘Happy Birthday!’ card making.

Full details for all the activities can be found in this guide – look out for the symbol next to them.
National Glass Centre is 21 years old this year! To celebrate our anniversary our new exhibition NGC21 features work by artists who have helped to establish Sunderland as an international centre of excellence for Studio Glass.

Drawing on our close working relationship with the University of Sunderland’s Glass and Ceramics department, we present examples of work by current and past teaching staff, previous exhibitors and notable graduates. Major names in Studio Glass including Stanislav Libensky and Jaroslava Brychtova, Bertil Vallien and Ann Wolff are represented alongside a wide range of other artists. These include Erin Dickson and Jade Tapson, who have been selected to create new work for the exhibition as two of the most outstanding graduates of the last five years.

The celebration of National Glass Centre’s 21st birthday will be supported across Sunderland with an exhibition exploring the impact of the glass industry on our social history at Sunderland Museum and Winter Gardens, and an exhibition titled People’s Pyrex at Arts Centre Washington. This exhibition is part of National Glass Centre’s 21st birthday celebrations.
Discover the history of glass making in Sunderland, enjoy our intriguing world-class exhibitions and explore our iconic glass building. You and your family will love our amazing glass blowing demonstrations, hands-on creative activities and themed tours. Complete your visit with a bite to eat, or a coffee in The Glass Yard and browse hand-made glass and ceramics, quirky jewellery, gifts and homeware in our shop.

“For a FREE day out with a difference visit National Glass Centre!”

“Enjoyed the whole experience making and seeing things made from glass, lots of information and talented staff”

Visitor comment, January 2019

Free Daily Glass Blowing Demonstrations

Our amazing daily glass blowing, lathe and flame working demonstrations are free and run throughout the day. Experience the heat of our 1000 degree furnace and watch our expert glass-making team craft stunning pieces before your eyes.

**Flame Working**
11.00 and 15.45 (15 mins)

**Glass Blowing**
12.00, 13.30 and 15.00 (30 mins)

**Glass Lathe**
13.00 (30 mins)

Please note there are no Glass Lathe and Flame Working demos on a Tuesday.
Research Gallery Exhibition

Tina Webb: Mischievous Typographies
2 February – 2 June

Tina Webb is a North East based artist currently studying for a Master of Philosophy qualification at the University of Sunderland. Tina uses a specific technique she has developed to print on glass in order to explore the potential of typography and the meanings of historical text.

Collections Gallery Exhibition

Skills and Techniques
Until Autumn 2019

Artists and designers often develop and master specific skills and techniques. This exhibition presents the work of world-leading practitioners specialising in a range of glass and ceramic techniques. Each approach is represented by works of art created in recent years, and approximately one hundred years ago, to show the changes in style that occur over time.

The exhibition consists of works from the National Glass Centre's collection and loans from the Victoria and Albert Museum (V&A). The V&A have loaned these works to support DesignLab Nation, a project which aims to inspire the next generation of designers and expand the reach of the V&A's collections.

DesignLab Nation is supported by Art Fund, The Foyle Foundation and other generous donors.

Comprising of a series of video installations and printed images, ‘Pillars of Dawn’ by Canadian-born artist Kelly Richardson explores the changes humans have made to our home planet. The exhibition imagines a desert landscape in which environmental conditions have crystallized the terrain, except for a sequence of solitary trees. Each is populated by several million individual crystals, approximately representing one for every species still existing on Earth at this time. Developed through conversations with climate scientists over the last decade, the series depicts what at first seems like a fantastical future dreamt up in science fiction. The hyper-real animations and images take in new understandings of how trees and plants survive and raise the question of how we arrived at such a moment of environmental crisis.

The exhibition is accompanied by a new book published by Kerber, Berlin with contributions from writers and academics based in the US, Canada and the UK.

Image: Pillars of Dawn, courtesy of the artist
John Peter Askew: We

Preview: 14 June, 6 – 8pm
Exhibition dates: 15 June – 18 August

John Peter Askew is an artist who works with the camera. For 30 years he has travelled to the easternmost city in Europe, Perm, in Russia. ‘We’ is a kind of epic Russian novel told across multiple generations, based on the lives of a single family, the Chulakovs. The exhibition reveals this landmark body of work for the first time. It is accompanied by a major 380 page book published by Kerber, with new writing from leading photographic historians and curators including Ian Jeffrey and Fatos Ustek.

Askew’s poetic and playful photographs are a kind of album for the extended family stretching from the Atlantic to the Urals. Although Askew’s work is an extended portrait of the post-Soviet world, seen through its many transitions across a quarter-century, ‘We’ pictures a better world: one in which we too can discover moments of rare, radiant beauty.

Image: Red Rocking Horse, courtesy of the artist
Giles Bailey, Jamie Hammill, Nellie Saunby, Sophie Soobramanien: Islanders, Version 4

23 Feb – 5 May

Giles Bailey, Jamie Hammill, Nellie Saunby and Sophie Soobramanien are artists who work with performance, writing, sculpture and moving image.

Since summer 2018 they have worked collaboratively to create an extended project under the title ‘Islanders’, initially realised as an event involving live performance and now seen as video footage.

Since classical times, thinkers, artists and musicians have created imagined islands as a stage for ‘thought experiments’. ‘Islanders’ is a collage of many of these, referencing Shakespeare’s ‘The Tempest’, first-person shooter video game ‘Far Cry 3’ and the music of Simon & Garfunkel among others.

By elaborating or re-staging such representations of islands, the work invites us to consider what states of isolation can achieve or fail to achieve; how political ideals or even fantasies occupy our imagination; and what the promise of rescue offers us – whether consolation, solace, or a sense of completion.

‘Islanders’ has been commissioned by CIRCA Projects in partnership with Tyneside Cinema, Middlesbrough Art Weekender, Northern Gallery for Contemporary Art and Berwick Film & Media Arts Festival. Supported using public funding by the National Lottery through Arts Council England.

Image: Islanders, courtesy of the artists
Alongside his exhibition in the NGCA main
gallery, Sunderland University graduate John
Askew presents large-scale photographs realised
especially for this show.

Unusually, this show will take three consecutive
parts. For one month each, Askew will present
only one work or two works at a time, taking the
form of beautiful, large-format analogue prints
created from the series ‘We’. In the main gallery
downstairs, we encounter hundreds of works – a
panorama in which the whole of human life is
visible: an exhibition like a novel, covering nearly
thirty years of life lived in the Russian city of Perm,
nearly 1,000 miles east of Moscow.

Upstairs in the collection space, we encounter
individual works from the series and also
‘Presence’, a study of the artist’s mother in which
we struggle to make recognition, to make contact
with another person. Askew invites us to ask
who ‘we’ are, and to see past our differences by
rethinking the limits of who we can imagine as ‘us’.

Image: Three Sisters, courtesy of the artist
Hot Glass Experiences

Half Term Owl, Hedgehog and Butterfly Sandcast

Create a glass owl, hedgehog or butterfly using sand to make a mould. Add your own colour and decoration to make your design unique. Watch as your design is transformed by our studio team who will pour molten glass into your mould to produce your own individual piece of art.

Monday 27 / Thursday 30 May
Saturday 1 June
09.30 – 10.30 & 10.30 – 11.30
£16 each / Min age 6 (all children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult).
Max 10 people per hour

Please note – Sandcast objects have a textured/sandy surface on the reverse and edges and may contain bubbles.

Easter Sandcast

Create your own Easter egg, bird, car or house using sand to make a mould. Add your own colour and decoration to make your design unique. Watch as your design is transformed by our studio team who will pour molten glass into your mould to produce your own individual Easter egg, bird, car or house.

Monday 8 / Thursday 11 April
Saturday 13 / Monday 15 April
Thursday 18 & Saturday 20 April
9.30 – 10.30 & 10.30 – 11.30
£16 each / Min age 6 (all children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult).
Max 10 people per hour

Please note – Sandcast objects have a textured/sandy surface on the reverse and edges and may contain bubbles.
Father's Day Car or Fish Sandcast

Create a unique gift for your Dad this Father's Day! Use sand to create a glass car or fish in a mould, then add your own colour and decoration. Molten glass will then be poured into your mould to produce a 3D gift he'll treasure for a lifetime!

Sunday 16 June
9.30 – 10.30 & 10.30 – 11.30
£16 each / Min age 6 (all children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult).
Max 10 people per hour

Please note – Sandcast objects have a textured/sandy surface on the reverse and edges and may contain bubbles.

Summer Sandcast

Create a glass cat, hedgehog, fish or owl using sand to make a mould. Add your own colour and decoration to make your design unique. Watch as our studio team transform your design by pouring molten glass into the mould to produce your own individual, animal-based piece of art.

Monday 5, 12, 19 & 26 August / Thursday 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 August

Please note – Sandcast objects have a textured/sandy surface on the reverse and edges and may contain bubbles.
Craft Fairs

National Glass Centre Craft Fairs

Saturday 27 April / 10.00 – 17.00
Saturday 17 August / 10.00 – 17.00

Christmas Craft Fair
Saturday 23 & Sunday 24 November
10.00 – 17.00

Here at National Glass Centre we value all that is made locally, so we’re holding more of our popular craft fairs to celebrate the beautiful handmade crafts the North East has to offer.

Each fair will be packed with stalls from local and regional crafters. It’s the perfect opportunity to buy a unique handmade gift, or just treat yourself to something special.

Win £100 worth of NGC vouchers!

Pop along to one of the fairs to be in with a chance of winning £100 worth of NGC Shop vouchers*

Look out for more details on our website nationalglasscentre.com

*Prize draws can only be entered within the Centre on the days fairs are held, Winners will be drawn the following week.
Easter Fun!

Easter Art Seekers
Explore our new Kelly Richardson exhibition in Northern Gallery for Contemporary Art and learn more about flora and fauna. Get involved as we transform the Learning Studio into a spring time installation piece for an immersive story-telling experience.
Friday 12 & 19 April / 10.30 – 12.00
Age 1-6yrs / £6 (£3 for additional siblings)
We advise booking in advance to avoid disappointment, however it is possible to turn up on the day. To book a place: Facebook page Theatre Tots North East / 07951 866261

Monoprinting Cards
Create your own one-off artwork to make into cards to celebrate National Glass Centre's birthday. Use a pencil to carve your design into a foam block then learn how to turn your carving into a print. Why not send one to us and keep the rest to give to other people?
Friday 12 & 19 April / 10.30, 14.00 & 15.30
Age 6+ / £6 / Booking essential

Easter Fusing
It's spring time and nature is awakening again! Decorate one of our unique shapes using coloured glass grains and glass mosaic tiles. Choose between an Easter egg, an Easter bunny, a bee or a flower shape. They are not available anywhere else!
Sunday 14 & 21 April / 10.00, 11.30, 14.00, 15.30
Age 6+ / £10 / Booking essential

Woodland Nature Decorations
Make your own stickers to create a contrasting tree design on a hanging glass decoration. Watch as the staff sandblast it and then you can reveal your artwork underneath. Create your own hedgehog or owl using paper and other craft materials while we do the sandblasting!
Saturday 6 April / 10.00, 14.00 & 15.30
1.5hr session / Age 5+ / £8 / Booking essential

Fantasy Landscapes
Take a look at Kelly Richardson's exhibition and create a fantasy landscape using air-drying clay. Who will live in your landscape in 2000 years? Aliens, fairies, humans...?
Monday 8 & 15 April / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00 / Age 3+ / £3 / Drop-in

Happy Birthday!
Make a happy birthday card using a range of craft materials to celebrate National Glass Centre's 21st birthday in 2019. Create a fused glass birthday banner to keep forever, or give as a gift for someone else's birthday. Your cards will also be photographed by our team and featured on our social media.
Tuesday 9 & 16 April / 10.00 & 14.00 / 1.5hr session / Age 6+ / £12 / Booking essential

Celebration Glass Painting
Easter is a great time to celebrate! Choose from a range of unique shapes including an Easter egg, Easter bunny, birthday cake or birthday balloon.
Wednesday 10 & 17 April, Saturday 20 April & Monday 22 April / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00 / Age 4+ / £4 / Drop-in

Party Plate
Decorate a ceramic plate to use for a party or special event.
Thursday 11 & 18 April / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00 / Age 4+ / £4 / Drop-in
May Half Term Fun!

**Family Fusing**
Spend some quality creative time together as a group to make a large fused glass panel. Learn about the fusing process, discuss your ideas and draw a design for your collaborative project. Adults and children age 10+ will learn how to cut glass, and everyone uses glass tiles and coloured glass grains to create a unique fused glass artwork. Perfect for families of four, with a maximum of six people taking part in one project.

Sunday 26 May / 10.30 & 14.30  
Duration 1.5hrs / Age 6+ / £30 per project  
Booking essential

**Celebration! Fusing 21st Birthday**
Decorate one of our unique shapes using coloured glass grains and glass mosaic tiles. Choose between a balloon, a birthday cake or a house shape.

Monday 27 & Thursday 30 May / 14.00 & 15.30  
Age 6+ / £10 / Booking essential

**Clay Challenge**
Ready for a new challenge? Throw the dice to select the picture of an artwork currently on show in our gallery spaces at National Glass Centre and Northern Gallery for Contemporary Art. Sculpt it in air drying clay, then check how well you’ve done!

Tuesday 28 May / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00  
Age 3+ / £3 / Drop-in

**Birds and Fish Glass Painting**
Have you seen our joint exhibition featuring glass and ceramic works from our own collections and those from the Victoria & Albert Museum in London? Make your own bird or fish decoration in this glass painting workshop.

Wednesday 29 May / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00 / Age 4+ / £4 / Drop-in

**Art Seekers**
Join us as we continue our very own immersive story telling adventures inspired by Kelly Richardson’s exhibition in Northern Gallery for Contemporary Art. Together we will explore the forest and its inhabitants. Who knows where this will lead – we might even save them from disaster!

Friday 31 May / 10.30 – 12.00 / Age 1-6yrs  
£6 (£3 for additional siblings)

We advise booking in advance to avoid disappointment. To book a place: Facebook page Theatre Tots North East / 07951 866261

**Monoprinting**
Take a look at Tina Webb’s colourful glass prints, learn how to make a monoprint and create a series of paper prints using your own initials.

Saturday 1 June / 10.00 & 14.00  
1.5hr session Age 8+ / £6

Booking essential
May Half Term Fun!

To book visit nationalglasscentre.com
Here’s a sneak peek of our summer activities to help you start planning your holidays, keep checking back for more!

Make a House a Home – Family Fusing
This is a group activity for you and your family or friends to work together to decorate a large glass house shape and transform it into a wonderful work of art. You will learn about the fusing process, discuss your ideas and draw a design for your collaborative project. Adults and children age 10+ will learn how to cut glass, and everyone will use glass tiles and coloured glass grains to create a unique fused glass artwork.
Perfect for families of four, with a maximum of six people taking part in one project.
Monday 22 July & Saturday 17 August
10.30 & 14.00 / Duration 1.5hrs
£30 per project / Age 6+ / Booking essential

Sculpture Workshop
Learn how to make a 3D sculpture using a range of art materials, then cover it with Mod Roc to create a solid form.
Tuesday 23 July / Tuesday 13 August
10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00
Age 5+ / £3 / Drop-in

Seaside Glass Painting
Decorate a unique seaside themed glass shape. Paint your design onto the surface using glass painting pens and take it home to hang on your window.
Wednesday 24 July & 14 August
10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00
Age 4+ / £4 / Drop-in

Fantastic Fused Glass Cars, Boats, Planes, Trains...
Imagine you’re going on an amazing trip this summer... how will you get there? Will you sail on a pirate ship or ride in a car? Choose from a selection of shapes and use coloured mosaic tiles and glass grains to create your own glass artwork.
Thursday 25 July / 10.00, 11.30, 14.00 & 15.30 & Thursday 15 August / 14.00 & 15.30 only
1.5hr session / Age 6+ / £10 / Booking essential

Monoprinting Postcards
Take inspiration from John Askew’s exhibition to create a range of monoprinted postcards of your own design. First you will trace your design onto a foam sheet and then learn how to print onto paper. You can bring along pictures with you for inspiration if you like.
Friday 26 July & 16 August / 10.30 & 14.00
1.5hr session / Age 8+/ £6 / Booking essential

Glass Painted Cars, Ships, Planes, Trains...
Get ready to travel with your imagination in this glass painting workshop! Will you sail on a pirate ship or ride in a car? Choose from a selection of shapes and paint your design onto it to create your own hanging glass decoration.
Tuesday 30 July & 20 August / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00
Age 4+ / £4 / Drop-in

Happy Birthday! – Summer edition
Decorate a glass mug using the sandblasting technique to celebrate National Glass Centre’s 21st birthday in 2019! Make your own sticker to create a contrasting design onto a glass mug. Watch as the staff sandblast it and then you can reveal your artwork underneath. You will also use a range of craft materials to make a Happy Birthday card.
Your cards will be photographed by our team and featured on our social media.
Friday 2 & 23 August / 10.00 & 14.00
1.5hr session / Age 6+ / £12 / Booking essential

Celebration! Glass Painting
Celebrate National Glass Centre and Northern Gallery for Contemporary Art’s birthdays with us! Choose from a range of unique shapes including: birthday cake and birthday balloon.
Saturday 3 & 24 August / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00 / Age 4+ / £4 / Drop in

To book, visit nationalglasscentre.com or call 0191 568 9700

Summer Holidays
Birds and Fish Glass Painting
Have you seen our joint exhibition featuring glass and ceramic works from our own collection and the V&A? Make your own bird or fish decoration in this glass painting workshop.
Tuesday 6 & 27 August / 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00 / Age 4+ / £4 / Drop-in

Clay Challenge!
Throw the dice to select the picture of an artwork currently on show in our gallery spaces at National Glass Centre and Northern Gallery for Contemporary Art. Your challenge is to sculpt it in air drying clay, then check how well you’ve done!
Saturday 27 July, Wednesday 7 & 28 August 10.00 – 12.00 & 13.00 – 16.00
Age 3+ / £3 / Drop-in

Seaside Fusing
Choose from a range of seaside themed glass shapes and make it fantastic using coloured grains of glass and glass mosaic tiles.
Monday 29 July, Saturday 10 August & Friday 30 August / 10.00, 11.30, 14.00 & 15.30
Age 6+ / £10 / Booking essential

Summer Art Seekers – On the road
Take part in our next creative series of workshops exploring Northern Gallery for Contemporary Art and John Askew’s works. This summer we will go on an imaginary on-the-road journey around the world. In the first workshop, we will discover four different locations and learn more about some of the famous places we might see there. We will then continue our adventure the next week by talking about people we might meet while travelling and create our very own puppets on a string to take back home. Join us on the last session to be part of a giant postcard!
Fridays 2, 9 & 16 August / 10.30 – 12.00
Age 1-6yrs / £6 (£3 for additional siblings)
We advise booking in advance to avoid disappointment. To book a place: Facebook page Theatre Tots North East / 07951 866261
Adult Courses & Classes

**Fused Glass**

**Glass Tableware Taster Session**
Sunday 19 May
Sunday 22 September
Sunday 1 December
13.00 – 17.00 / £40
Artist: Midori Shinmura

**Glass Tableware Club**
Saturdays from 25 May
Saturdays from 24 August
Saturdays from 16 November
13.00 – 16.30
5 weeks / £125
Artist: Midori Shinmura

**Introducing... Fused Glass**
Sunday 12 May
Saturday 13 July
Saturday 14 September
Saturday 30 November
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Sue Woolhouse

**Artistic Fused Glass**
Wednesdays from 5 June
Wednesdays from 30 October
18.00 – 21.00
5 weeks / £125
Artist: Sue Woolhouse

**Ceramics**

**Introducing... Ceramics**
Saturday 27 April & Sunday 4 May
Saturday 30 June & Sunday 7 July
Saturday 28 September &
Saturday 5 October
10.00 – 16.00
2 days / £100
Artist: Michael Emmott

**Intermediate Ceramics**
Saturday 1 June &
Saturday 8 June
Sunday 17 November &
Sunday 24 November
10.00 – 16.00
2 days / £100
Artist: Michael Emmott

**Ceramic Throwing Techniques**
– 1 day Introduction
Saturday 18 May
Saturday 15 June
Saturday 20 July
Sunday 1 September
Sunday 20 October
10.00 – 16.00 / £60
Artist: Michael Emmott

**Ceramic Christmas Decorations**
Sunday 1 December
Sunday 8 December
10.00 – 16.00 / £60
Artist: Michael Emmott

**Casting Glass**

**Introducing... Casting Glass**
Saturday 6 April
Sunday 16 June
Sunday 8 September
Saturday 9 November
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Robyn Townsend

**Flameworking**

**Flameworked Chains**
Saturday 27 April
Sunday 21 July
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Zoe Garner

**Ignite! Flameworking**
Saturday 25 May
Sunday 7 July
Saturday 2 November
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Zoe Garner

**Flameworked Beads**
Sunday 2 June
Saturday 5 October
Sunday 17 November
09.30 – 12.30 / 13.00 – 16.00
£40
Artist: Zoe Garner

**Flameworked Insects**
Sunday 26 May
Saturday 20 July
Sunday 6 October
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Zoe Garner

**Flameworked 2D & 3D Shapes**
Saturday 6 & Sunday 7 April
Saturday 7 & Sunday 8 September
10.00 – 16.00 / £150
Artist: Zoe Garner

**Flameworked Cube & Structural Forms**
Saturday 8 & Sunday 9 June
Saturday 19 & Sunday 20 October
10.00 – 16.00
2 days / £150
Artist: Zoe Garner
Flameworked Christmas Decorations
Saturday 30 November
Sunday 1, Saturday 7, Sunday 8, Saturday 14 & Sunday 15 December
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Zoe Garner

Screen Printing
Introducing...
Screen Printing on Glass
Sunday 5 May
Sunday 21 July
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Jade Tapson

Screen Printing on Glass
Sunday 9 & Sunday 16 June
Saturday 21 & Saturday 28 September
10.00 – 16.00
2 days / £150
Artist: Jade Tapson

Christmas Themed Screen Printing
Saturday 14 December
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Jade Tapson

Stained Glass
Stained Glass Leaded Technique, Beginners Level
Saturday 15 June
Sunday 7 July
Saturday 31 August
Sunday 29 September
Sunday 3 November
Sunday 24 November
09.30 – 13.30 / £50
Artist: Gill McGinley

Stained Glass Christmas Decorations
Sunday 8 December
Sunday 15 December
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Gill McGinley

Stained Glass Leaded Technique, Intermediate Level
Sunday 31 March & Sunday 7 April
Sunday 23 & Sunday 30 June
Sunday 13 & Sunday 20 October
10.00 – 16.00
2 Days / £120
Artist Gill McGinley

Stained Glass Christmas Decorations
Sunday 8 December
Sunday 15 December
10.00 – 16.00 / £80
Artist: Gill McGinley

To book visit nationalglasscentre.com
Children’s Parties

Book your child’s exclusive birthday celebration at National Glass Centre!

Our party package includes: One hour’s craft activity, choose from glass painted decorations or ceramic mug painting; a live Glassblowing demonstration, includes the birthday child blowing a glass bubble; a Private Party Room for food, decorated with bunting, balloons and streamers.

£20 per child (minimum of 10 children, maximum 20, room hire included) / Ages 4+

Party times are Saturdays or Sundays 10.30 – 13.30, subject to availability.

For more information visit our website nationalglasscentre.com or call 0191 568 9700.
Easter Sunday Lunch

Sunday 21 April 2019
Sittings available from 12.00 – 14.30

Celebrate Easter with your family in the relaxed surroundings of The Glass Yard. All children will receive a delicious chocolate treat.

One course – £10.95
Two courses – £15.95
Three courses – £19.95

Please visit our website for the menus available on the afternoon. Booking is essential. To book, please call 0191 515 5555 (Option 1).

Father’s Day Lunch

Sunday 16 June 2019
Sittings available from 12.00 – 14.30

Celebrate how special your father is and treat him to a delicious lunch and river views in The Glass Yard.

One course – £10.95
Two courses – £15.95
Three courses – £19.95

Please visit our website for the menus available on the afternoon. Booking is essential. To book, please call 0191 515 5555 (Option 1).
VISIT

GETTING HERE
Free Admission
Free Visitor Parking
Open Daily 10.00 – 17.00
Last Admission 16.45

It is recommended that you allow at least three hours to make the most of your visit.

Follow the brown road signs for National Glass Centre or type SR6 0GL into your sat nav. Nearest Metro Station: St Peter’s.

For a more detailed map and directions visit nationalglasscentre.com

BOOK
Online: nationalglasscentre.com
Booking Line: 0191 568 9700

ACCESS
National Glass Centre has wheelchair access to all areas and a Changing Place facility. There is also a lift available. Free wheelchair hire is available on request and can be pre-booked by contacting Visitor Services. National Glass Centre welcomes assistance dogs and a hearing loop is available. Our full Access Statement is available online.

We are a cycle friendly venue!
The Coast to Coast (C2C) cycle route from Cumbria to Sunderland runs past National Glass Centre’s riverside entrance. Cyclists are encouraged to use our new riverside Bike Dock and cycle maintenance area.

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