

OPEN ALL YEAR

OPENING HOURS:

Monday - Friday
Saturday
Closed for lunch

10.00am - 4.30pm (16.30)
1.00pm - 4.30pm (13.00-16.30)
12.30 - 1.00pm

CLOSED ON BANK
& PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

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CAR PARKING AVAILABLE

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THE HISTORY AND
HERITAGE OF
COUNTY DONEGAL

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ADMISSION FREE

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in decimal degrees

7° 44' 3.135948"W 54° 57' 16.743708"N

in degrees, minutes & seconds



Donegal County Museum is based in an old stone building, which was once part of the Letterkenny Workhouse, opened in 1845.

Our first floor exhibition tells the story of County Donegal from the Stone Age to the Twentieth century. Throughout

the year we organise a programme of events which includes temporary exhibitions, lectures, seminars and workshops on a wide range of topics.

We also have a range of travelling exhibitions which are available for loan to organisations and community groups. Topics covered include World War I, Donegal and the Easter Rising, the Flight of The Earls and much more.

DONEGAL MUSEUM DETECTIVES BACKPACK

Search for clues and discover more about the history of Donegal with the Museum Detectives backpack. The backpack contains a series of activities for children including artefacts to find, stories to create and puzzles to solve. It is free to borrow when you visit the Museum. Booking is advised for groups. Ages 6 +

ARCHAEOLOGY

Donegal County Museum is a 'Designated Museum', which means our Museum is legally entitled to retain objects on behalf of the State under the National Monuments (Amendment) Act 1994 and the National Cultural Institutions Act 1997.

All archaeological objects found with no known owner belong to the State. All such finds must be reported to the National Museum of Ireland or to a Designated Museum.

THE NORTH WEST FILM AND DONEGAL ISLANDS DIGITAL ARCHIVES

You can view these digital film archives for free in the County Museum. The North West Film Archive is a unique digital collection of archival material from the counties of Donegal and Derry. It contains over 90 hours of documentaries, newsreel, television news and drama from BBC, UTV, RTE and Channel 4, and short films, animation and home movies.

The Donegal Islands Film and Radio Archive gives an insight into the social history of the offshore islands of County Donegal from the 1950s to the present day.

