Welcome to the Eboracum Roman Festival 8–9 July 2023

Yorkshire Museum and York Museum Gardens

1. **Food and drinks**
2. **Quaestiones et responsa** Questions and answers (Information Tent)
3. **Bibliotheca** Library (Roman Authors)
4. **Owl Adventures** (Birds of Prey)
5. **Food and drinks**
6. **Circus Maximus** Family Activities
7. **Roll Call** and **Roman Fashion Show**
8. **Kids' Army** and **Gladiator School**
9. **Rei Romani** Roman Objects (Hands-on Archaeology) and **Taberna** (Shop)
10. **Roman Living History Camp**
11. **Toilets**

Eboracum Roman Festival Programme
8 – 9 July 2023

	Saturday 8 July	Sunday 9 July
10am	**Officers' meeting** Roman Camp (10)	**Officers' meeting** Roman Camp (10)
10.30am	**Muster/Drill** Abbey Church Lawn (8)	**Muster/Drill** Multangular Tower Lawn (3)
11am – 12 noon	**Roll Call/Parade Through Eboracum, led by Brigantes** Museum Portico (7)	**Roll Call/Parade Through Eboracum, led by Brigantes** Museum Portico (7)
11.30am – 12 noon	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)
12.30pm – 1pm	**Romans through the ages and kit discussion** Roman Camp (10)	**Romans through the ages and kit discussion** Roman Camp (10)
12.30pm – 1pm	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)
1pm – 1.30pm	**Roman Kids' Army** Abbey Church Lawn (8)	**Roman Kids' Army** Abbey Church Lawn (8)
1.30pm – 2pm	**Women and fashion through the Roman age** Portico Steps (7)	**Women and fashion through the Roman age** Portico Steps (7)
2pm – 2.30pm	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)
2pm – 2.30pm	**Kids' Gladiator School** Abbey Church Lawn (8)	**Kids' Gladiator School** Abbey Church Lawn (8)
3pm – 3.30pm	**Secrets of Roman religion** Roman Camp (10)	**Roman Kids' Army** Abbey Church Lawn (8)
3pm – 3.30pm	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)	**Storytelling** Circus Maximus (6)
4pm – 4.30pm	**Roman Kids' Army** Abbey Church Lawn (8)	

Follow the number listed alongside each activity to find its location on our festival map!

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Activities Happening Throughout the Festival

Activity	Location
Birds of Prey*: Owl Adventures return with the chance for you to get up close to some of their magnificent birds of prey.	**Observatory Lawn** (4)
Everyday Roman Life: Explore some of the aspects of everyday life in the Roman era, be that as a Citizen, Slave or Soldier!	**Roman Camp** (10)
Rei Romani (Hands-on Archaeology)*: Get hands-on with real Roman artefacts from the Yorkshire Museum's amazing collection!	**Lawn next to Roman Camp** (9)
Caballus Fabrica (Hobby Horse Workshop): Make a splendid hobby horse worthy of the Roman Army, then head to the Gymnasia to astonish the audience in the Tripudium Equus (dancing horse) dressage competition.	**Circus Maximus** (6)
Orchestra Fabric (Music Workshop): Make Clackers and other musical devices the 'Clackers Sound Orchestra' and compose a cacophony of sound to accompany the Clackers Sound Parade around the Circus Maximus.	**Circus Maximus** (6)
Exhibeo Tortuosus Oris (Twisted Mouth Exhibition): Use clay to sculpt a grotesque, grimacing face inspired by the clowns of ancient Rome to add to the Wall of a Thousand Faces! Why not twist your own face in the Giddy Grimace Competition?	**Circus Maximus** (6)
Ludicrous Lusus (Silly Sports and Games): Experimental Roman games with pinecones, paddles and hula-hoops. Play Battledore and, well... make up your own game!	**Circus Maximus** (6)

*Saturday only

The Bibliotheca

Meet the authors of fantastic Roman-themed fiction and non-fiction books for adults and children.

Saturday	Sunday
Simon Turney 'The Damned Emperors series'	**Simon Turney** 'The Damned Emperors series'
Ruth Downie 'Gaius Petreius Ruso serie'	**Ruth Downie** 'Gaius Petreius Ruso series'
Alison Morton 'The Roma Nova series'	**Alison Morton** 'The Roma Nova series'
Nancy Jardine 'The Celtic Fervour series'	**Nancy Jardine** 'The Celtic Fervour series'
Kate Cunningham 'Vlad & The Roman Triumph'	**Kate Cunningham** 'Vlad & The Roman Triumph'
Jacquie Rogers 'Quintus Valerius Mysteries'	**Jacquie Rogers** 'Quintus Valerius Mysteries'
Simon Elliot 'Numerous non-fiction book's	**Simon Elliot** 'Numerous non-fiction book'
L.J. Trafford 'The Four Emperors series'	**L.J. Trafford** 'The Four Emperors series'
	Joe Chittenden 'Concept Design Artist'
	Jason Monaghan 'Jeffrey Flint Archaeological Mysteries series'