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SINGER STORIES FESTIVAL

CLYDEBANK TOWN HALL



Festival Showcase

Thursday 3rd May 5-6.30pm Clydebank Town Hall Free, no booking required All ages Refreshments provided

An evening with live music to celebrate the history of Singer in Clydebank with our volunteer showcase evening

Dementia-friendly Sewing Morning

Friday 4th May 10am-12noon Clydebank Town Hall Free, booking required All ages Refreshments provided

Explore the tactile qualities of fabric through dementia-friendly sensory sewing activities

'Singer Sewing Machines in Society' Talk

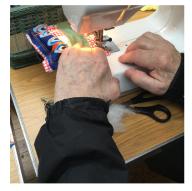
Friday 4th May 12.30-lpm Clydebank Town Hall Free, no booking required All ages

Join Lucy McConnell from Glasgow University to discover the social significance of Singer sewing machines

Bookbug: Sewing Special

Friday 4th May 3-3.30pm Clydebank Town Hall Free, booking required Ages 0-5

A special sewing machine themed Bookbug session - join in with songs, actions rhymes, and sharing stories









FRIDAY

'Life on the Banks' Film Screening

Friday 4th May 4.30-5pm Clydebank Town Hall Free, no booking required

A documentary film created from 3 years of oral history interviews by students from West College Scotland Clydebank

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Dram & Draw

Friday 4th May 6-8pm Clydebank Town Hall £5 (drink inc), booking required

Enjoy a glass of wine and an evening of Singer-themed figure drawing. Basic materials and drawing board provided

SATURDAY

Museum Explorers

Saturday 5th May 11am-12noon Clydebank Town Hall Free, booking required Ages 4-12

Become a museum explorer for the day and learn about sewing machines through our Singer-themed activities

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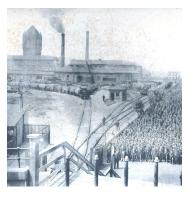
Ready Steady Sew Competition

Saturday 5th May 1–3pm Clydebank Town Hall Free, booking required All ages Refreshments provided

Bring your creativity, we'll give you the brief on arrival and you'll have one hour to make your crafty creation to impress our judge









'Singer Through the Years' Panel **Talk & Book Signing**

Saturday 5th May 4.30-6pm Clydebank Town Hall Free, booking required All ages Refreshments provided

Join author Natalie Fergie and researchers Lin Cunningham and Ruth Turner to explore the history of Singer and Clydebank

Singer Stories FRIDAY & SATURDAY **Festival Display**

Friday 4th May 10am-5pm Saturday 5th May 10am-4.30pm Clydebank Town Hall Free, no booking required All ages

Drop in to Singer Stories to view archive photographs and recent additions to the Sewing Machine Collection, listen to interviews with former Singer workers, and get creative in our sewing machine lab

Sew Revolutionary Exhibition

Friday 4th May 10am-4.30pm Saturday 5th May 10am-4.30pm Clydebank Museum & Art Gallery Free, no booking required All ages Exhibition continues until 25th August

An exhibition examining the role of women in Clydebank's Singer factory from the 1911 strike through the two world wars and beyond



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