

## Museum Funding

We do not get any direct funding from local government apart from our own Town Council. However we have been very fortunate to have had support for specific projects from The National Lottery, the Arts Council, the Scarff Charity, Wissett Community Council, Halesworth Lions, University Campus Suffolk and many individuals. A large part of our working income comes from donations in the Museum.

## Cabinet Funding.

We are grateful to SHARE Museums East for a development grant to buy the cabinets.

**The Halesworth and District Museum** is a volunteer-run museum with something to interest everyone, whether they be a visitor to the area or a resident. The Museum is housed in the town's Victorian Railway Station. For more than twenty years volunteers have been collecting and researching the history and archaeology of this fascinating corner of Suffolk. Spend some time with the displays which will take you across 10,000 years, from the earliest settlers in the Blyth Valley to the busy hub of malting, brewing and agricultural land which was the town in Victorian times.

Being in the Station, there is a special emphasis on the railway, with its unique moveable platforms. Come and see how they worked and learn about the history of Halesworth's two historic railway lines.

There is a computer, with internet access, for our visitors to use.

The Museum collection extends to:

Halesworth as the market town; the villages and hamlets being Spexhall, Wissett, Rumburgh, Chediston, Linstead Magna, Linstead Parva, Huntingfield, Cookley, Walpole, Bramfield, Thorington, Blythburgh, Henham, Bulcamp, Sotherton, Westhall, Holton, Blyford and Wenhaston.



# Community Cabinets

**For the use of local Organisations,  
Companies and Individuals to co-curate  
Exhibitions**

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Halesworth and District Museum has purchased two portable display cases for local organisations, companies and individuals to borrow so that they can create their own temporary exhibitions.

We are happy for these cabinets to be borrowed free of charge; donations are welcome.

### Terms and conditions

Type of exhibitions must be specified beforehand and must not be for political, commercial, illegal or discriminatory purposes.

### How to book

Current availability can be seen on our web site. Download an application form from our web site, or collect a copy from the Museum. The form should be submitted at least one month before your exhibition.

### Borrowers must:

Supply their own transport

Insure the cabinet(s); a letter from your insurer accepting liability will be required before the loan. Value of cases for insurance purposes: Case 1 £230, Case 2 £920.

Collect and return at the agreed times

Use the pop-up banner if supplied with the display case(s)

Acknowledge the Museum loan of the display case

Discuss any assistance needed from the Museum before borrowing

Specify the type of exhibitions beforehand which must not be for political, commercial, illegal or discriminatory purposes.



*Display Case 2 in its Transport Case*



### Display Case 1: A Portable Folding Exhibition Display Cabinet - 1070mm high

This collapsible display case is a brilliant way of displaying products and other items to visitors at an exhibition. The portable display cabinet is easy to move around as it is supplied with a carry case.

The three tiered exhibition display cabinet is spacious with two white shelves and a solid beech counter top that can support a number of products. Items are easy to access due to the wide openings available on each tier.

Made out of a strong steel frame, locking springs and acetate panels, this portable display cabinet makes for an excellent exhibition display. This display cabinets is easy to assemble, simply pull the cabinet upright and then lock the uprights on the display case into place. The locking springs securely hold the display cabinet upright.

Value of case for insurance purposes £230.

### Display Case 2: Folding Display Cabinet

This folding display cabinet is put together in minutes, and can easily be dismantled and transported in the professionally built, heavy duty transport case supplied.

- Eight adjustable halogen lights
- Easily transported in the case with castors
- Easily assembled in minutes
- Heavy duty transport case
- Made with tempered glass panels
- Built to EU specification
- Four adjustable tempered glass shelves
- Two lockable tempered glass door
- Size 800mm(w) x 400mm(d) x 1980mm(h)

At least two people are required to transport and erect this case.

Value of case for insurance purposes £920.

