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Location: The museum is situated in the village of Tuxford one minute off the A1 in North Nottinghamshire. It is housed in an old coaching inn, The Newcastle Arms, the large white building on the corner of the main road and Newcastle Street.

Parking: is easy. It has its own large car park behind the museum accessed off Newcastle Street.

Catering: There is a coffee shop on the premises serving light lunches and home made cakes.

Disabled Access: There are disabled facilities downstairs in the art gallery but sadly until we can raise funds we have no disabled access to the museum. However all items can be seen on a screen downstairs.

Tickets: We are privately funded so have to make a small charge towards overheads.

Adults £4. Children and OAP's £2. Children under 6 free. Special rates available for group visits and lecture tours can be organised.

Please ask for details.

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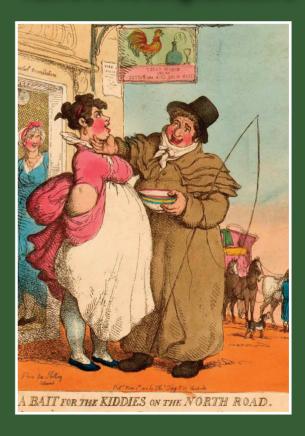
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Welcome to the Museum of the Horse. What will you see if you visit us?

The story of travel, from coaches and highwaymen to how the horse influenced our cars and trains of today.

Amazing veterinary devices that make your toes curl!

The story of the pit ponies and the lives they lived.

The American Cowboy and the Native Americans are both well represented as are the cowboys from South America.

There is racing, competition and horse show memorabilia.

Artifacts from WW1 are just part of the extensive military section which includes a horse gas mask and other equipment.

Learn where so many of our sayings today come from. 'Passing the time of day' 'Hobson's Choice', 'Crestfallen' and how the horse was responsible for standardising time throughout the country.

For the serious horse person there are over 400 bits, some over 2000 years old, 170 stirrups, 100 spurs and over 60 saddles.

There is also a coffee shop on the premises and an art gallery and gift shop.



18thC Horse Belfry



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Children

There is a quiz available for children to help them observe and understand and maybe develop a little more interest in history and geography. Please ask if you would like a copy.

Items are grouped to tell various stories about the history and development of the horse and society.

There is a clothing department with hats and coats that can be tried on.



A corner of the clothing department

