



## **What is The Towcester Museum Project?**

The Towcester Museum Trust is a registered charity founded in 2003 and dedicated to providing a quality museum & visitor centre for Towcester. Located in the courtyard of a former Georgian coaching inn in the heart of historic Towcester, the museum will provide a centre for tourism and historical information for the district and a much needed focal point for the exhibition, display and interpretation of the history of the Towcester district.

This heritage project will comprise:

- A series of modern museum galleries
- A tourist information and visitor centre
- A venue for temporary exhibitions
- A museum shop
- An educational & research facility
- A facility for preserving local historic archives & artefacts

Once complete the Towcester Museum Project will provide an important amenity and heritage asset that will greatly enhance commercial and community activity within the town.

## **Why Do We Need Your Support?**

The Towcester Museum Trust receives no local or national government subsidy and has no external sources of funding. Your support is therefore vital to enable the museum project to develop and flourish. Although the Trust have secured significant funds, much more is required to complete the refurbishment of the building and the fit out of the museum galleries. Your generous assistance will help deliver one of the finest and most prestigious heritage attractions in Northamptonshire.



## **Join the 'Towcester 100 Club'!**

As an important part of our efforts to raise funds for the completion of this project the Museum Trust has decided to found the 'Towcester 100 Club'.

The aim of the 'Towcester 100 Club' is to raise £10,000 for towards the fit out, displays and interpretive scheme for the museum by asking one hundred sponsors to each donate £100 (over the course of a year) towards the cost of this historic venture.

## **'Towcester 100 Club' Benefits**

By becoming a member of the 'Towcester 100 Club' you will join a unique group of sponsors who will become eligible for a range of special privileges and benefits. These will include:

- Life long free membership of the museum
- Invitations and concessions to 'special events' hosted by the museum
- Receiving a special 'limited edition' commemorative certificate
- Having your donation permanently recorded on a 'Towcester 100 Club' plaque to be located at the entrance to the museum.
- Receiving free newsletters on important museum & heritage events

## **How do I join the Towcester 100 Club?**

You simply sign and return a standing order form provided by the museum trust for £8 per month and maintain twelve consecutive monthly payments. Upon completion of the final payment you will be confirmed as a 'Towcester 100 Club' member. These forms can be obtained by ringing our telephone line on 01237 350899, or e-mailing us on e-mail: [jim.lynch@live.co.uk](mailto:jim.lynch@live.co.uk), or by writing to 'Jim Lynch, 14 Park Street, Towcester, Northants NN126LQ'. Alternatively you could just make a single cheque payment for £100 made payable to Towcester Museum and send it to the above address.



## Standing Order Mandate

To.....Bank  
 Address.....  
 .....  
 Postcode.....Sort Code...../...../.....

Please pay to: CAF Bank Ltd, 25 Kings Hill Avenue, Kings Hill, West Malling, Kent ME19 4JQ  
 (Sort Code 40-52-40)

For the credit of: The Towcester Museum

Account Number: 00015837

The Sum of £8.33(Eight Pounds & Thirty Three pence)

On.....(Date) and monthly on the same date for twelve consecutive months until.....(Date)

Quoting the reference.....(your name & initials)

And debit my/our account number.....accordingly

Signature(s).....

Full name.....

Address.....

Date.....

N.B If you wish your donation to be 'gift aided' please complete the attached form. This will enhance the value of your gift to the museum without increasing the size of your overall donation.



## GIFT AID DECLARATION

Please treat the donation I am making today as a Gift Aid donation to support the work of the  
**Towcester Museum**

**Please print**

Title

First name(s)

Surname

Address

Postcode

Amount Donated £

Date

Signature

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### **Gift Aid - Notes for donors**

Your payment to this Registered Charity can be treated as a Gift Aid donation. If you are a UK taxpayer, we can reclaim the tax paid on your donation at no extra cost to you,- This means that a further 25p in every £1 can be reclaimed by the Charity and put to good use by the Museum. You must pay an amount of income tax or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax the charity reclaims on your donations in the last or current tax year. (The tax reclaimed is currently 25p for each £1 you give).

If you pay tax at the higher rate, you can claim further tax relief in your Self Assessment tax return. Simply retain your ticket as proof of your donation. The information you give us will remain confidential and will not be passed to any organisation other than Inland Revenue.

***Thank you for your help***

***Towcester Museum***