

## Heritage Skills Training Courses



A new programme of bespoke heritage training courses aimed at local history volunteers and community groups led by experienced professional specialists. These course are available for FREE through our Headlands to Headspace HLF Landscape Partnership Scheme. Pre-booking required.

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## Caring for Historic Objects

**Saturday 20 May, Arnside Institute  
10:00 - 15:30**

If you have old photographs or paintings, a collection of old maps, fabulous old postcards or a library of antique books, learn how to care for them from conservators from Lancashire Conservation Studios so they survive for the next generation.

## LIDAR, Aerial Surveying and Using Drones

**Sunday 25 June, Warton Village Hall  
11:00 - 16:30**

Come and learn the essentials of interpreting and using aerial photographs and LIDAR. Also find out more about how drones can be used for surveys. Led by Historic England's Aerial Investigation Team .

## Working safely at Heritage Sites around Morecambe Bay

**June/July (tbc)  
Bay Search and Rescue**

Refresh your knowledge about the dangers of the Bay from Bay Search & Rescue and understand the risks to ensure you and your fellow volunteers stay safe. Learn about tides and local phenomena, wind effect, channel movement, quicksand and extraction. An outdoor practical session will be followed by a trip out on the Coastal Adventures Machine.

## Leading a Good Guided Tour

**Saturday 16 September, Overton Memorial Hall, 10.30-15.30**

Refresh your skills for giving a good tour. Presentation tips, managing groups around a site, sensible route planning and learn how to do risk assessments. This training will be led by Minerva Heritage who specialise in Heritage Interpretation

## Learning to Record Oral History

**Sunday 8 October, Ford Park, Ulverston,  
10.30-15.30**

Top tips for groups or individuals thinking of undertaking oral history projects. Learn about best practice, try out the technology and discover how to archive and process recordings properly so the memories are treasured and available in the long term. Led by oral historian Jenn Mattinson

## Effective Displays and Exhibitions

**Saturday 18 November, City Museum, Lancaster, 10.30-16.00**

If you enjoy preparing community displays or delivering local history projects around the Bay, join us and learn some professional but easy to achieve top tips to make your local history displays shine. Led by Minerva Heritage.

All courses are free. Pre-booking is required and places are limited.

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