Aims of Hertford Museum: 2018-2021



1. To preserve, interpret and display the history of the local area

- Maintain the quality of collections and improve storage and conservation arrangements
- Present a minimum of four exhibitions per annum
- Seek funding to enhance acquisitions and collections
- Develop relationships with surrounding parishes

2. To provide a quality service that engages with a full cross-section of the local and wider community

- Deliver learning programme that responds to the needs of different ages and learning styles
- Engage with under-represented and diverse audiences
- Invest in publicity, consultations and effective use of social media in order to reach across the community
- Find new ways to engage volunteer support

3. To be fully involved in the on-going development of Hertford and in its growth as a cultural centre

- Seek ways to ensure the Museum benefits from Town Centre development
- Attend local meetings that promote Hertford's cultural life
- Work with external partners to deliver community events that promote Hertford's cultural life

4. To ensure governance is of the highest standard and reflects the interests of all stakeholders

- Identify and recruit trustees according to the future needs of the board
- Establish clear policies and documentation that support effective management
- Maintain Arts Council accredited status

5. To work towards greater financial sustainability

- Develop and implement a fundraising strategy
- Demonstrate value for money to all stakeholders
- Manage property and maintenance issues in a planned and pro-active way