

# Press release

Below are the press releases for events that are taking place at Colchester and Ipswich Museums in January 2012.

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## **Portraits and Panels Tour and The Cobbold Connection Tour**

### **Christchurch Mansion**

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> January

Take one of these fascinating guided tours around the Mansion to take a closer look at some of the earliest paintings and the Cobbold's family association with the Mansion.

[Click here for the full press release](#)

## **Buried Talk: The Investigation, Preservation and Presentation of Once-Concealed Garments**

### **Colchester Castle**

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> January

Join two conservators from the Textile Conservation Centre and discover more about conservation of garments and further research across the UK.

[Click here for the full press release](#)

## **Two Plays – One Evening of Drama**

### **Colchester Castle**

Two 45 minutes plays based on the witch craze of the 1640s. The plays will be presented by Creative Performance degree students from Colchester Institute, and will ensure an enjoyable and unsettling evening.

[Click here for the full press release](#)

## Poetry at the Castle

### Colchester Castle

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January and Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March

For the first time, you have the opportunity to use the Colchester museum's collections to create and workshop your own pieces of poetry. This is an exciting new way of discovering the museums' collections.

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