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NATIONAL MUSEUM DAY

FEATURING MUSEUMS IN PERTH

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PERTH ART GALLERY

In a Parthenon-inspired building hosting collections including natural history, arts and photography.

Perth Art Gallery is now open from Thursday to Monday with two new permanent displays:

Modern Scots features the story and influence of 20th and 21st-century Scottish artists.

A new perspective is displayed in the sculpture court showcasing artworks from the 16th and 17th century in Europe.

The gallery also has a shop and coffee bar where you can unwind after an inspiring stroll through the gallery.

Later this year, Perth Art Gallery will also become home to the **Fergusson Collection**.



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PERTH MUSEUM

The new museum will open its doors in 2024 - something to stay excited about! It will highlight some of Scotland's and the UK's most significant historical artifacts, such as the Stone of Destiny.

The museum will be in the Edwardian building - an historic venue itself that has been transformed by award-winning architects Mecanoo.

The Stone of Destiny

"The Stone of Destiny is an ancient symbol of Scotland. A stone that helped to make kings and queens, it was used in the inauguration of Scottish monarchs at Scone, just upriver from Perth. The Stone's story stretches back through the ages and is still used to crown kings and queens of the United Kingdom today, including the coronation of King Charles III in 2023."

FERGUSSON GALLERY

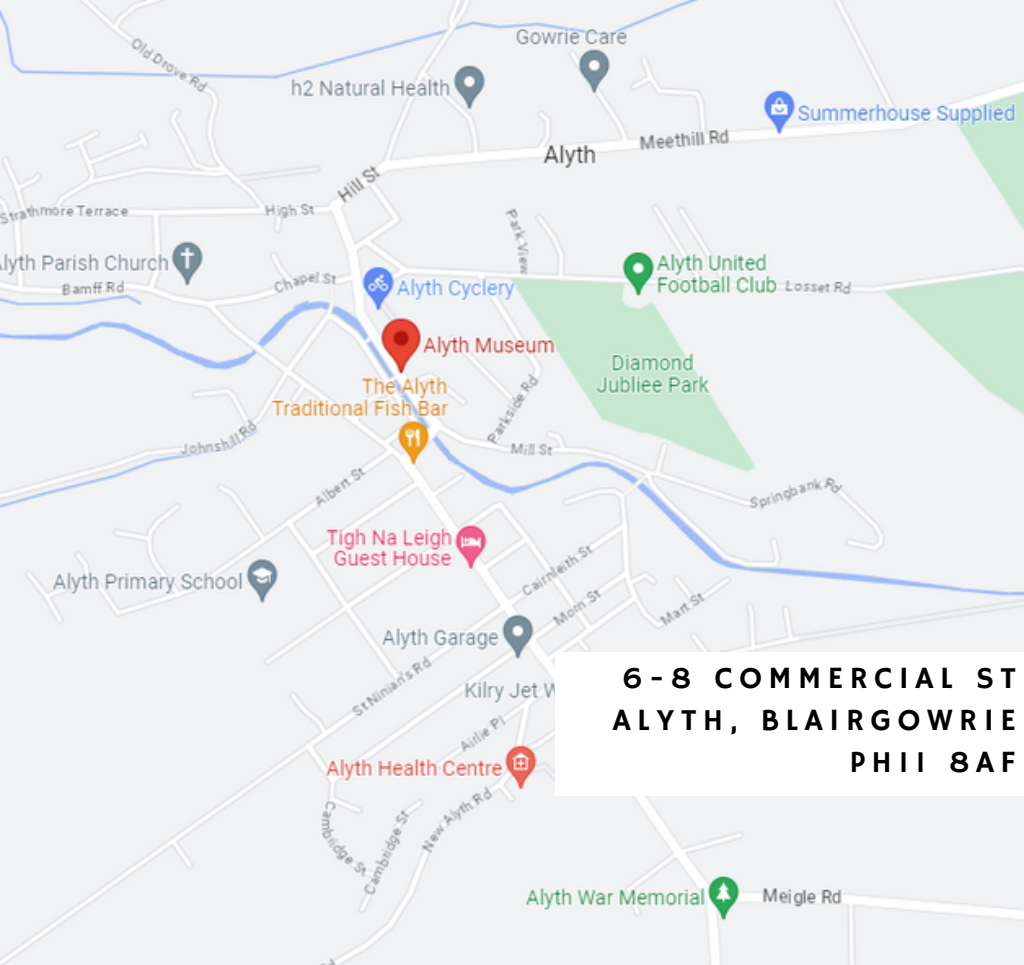
J D Fergusson was one of the most important and influential artists in Britain in the first half of the 20th century. Born in Edinburgh, with ancestral links to Perthshire, he spent much of his career in France and is now most associated with the Scottish Colourist group.

The Fergusson Gallery holds his vast collection of artwork and associated archives, along with the archive of his lifelong companion, the pioneer of modern dance, Margaret Morris.

Source: www.culturepk.org.uk/museums-and-galleries/the-fergusson-gallery



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ALYTH MUSEUM

Alyth museum has now re-opened for the Summer season.

"How do stories get passed on by generations and shape who we are, and how can we create new stories for our future?"

The museum looks at the importance of storytelling across generations and also in between cultures.

When visiting the museum you will be able to listen to the myths, folktales and legends and watch films before being invited to share your own stories in the exhibition's Imaginarium.