

Holocaust Memorial Day

Exeter 2019

Theme: Stand Together



Schools work in Exeter

Will take place on Mon 27th Jan 2020

Memorial Flames

Holocaust Memorial Day (HMD) 2020 will mark the 75th anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau. In commemoration of this landmark anniversary, Holocaust Memorial Day Trust (HMDT) is launching an exciting new project for organisations, community groups and schools around the country to take part in.



<https://www.hmd.org.uk/take-part-in-holocaust-memorial-day/holocaust-memorial-day-2020/75-memorial-flames/>

Item 11: Holocaust Memorial Day events 2020

Monday 27th January 2020

Place	Times	Details	Age
Cathedral	10.00 - 10.35am	Opening ceremony: Lord Mayor of Exeter, Chairman of DCC, Deputy Lord Lieutenant, Dean of Exeter Cathedral, Student Ambassadors, Primary school choirs	Any
Guildhall	10.00am - 3.30pm	Free Exhibition on the Holocaust and other genocides	Y5+
Synagogue	10.00am-12.00	Synagogue tour: 30 minute guided visits (Stewart Raine)	Y8+
Southernhay URC	10.45-11.35am	Talk: stories from the liberation of Bergen-Belsen Concentration camp (Cathie Bowness)	Y5+
	11.45-12.30pm	Film and talk: Showings of 'Porajmos', the Nazi genocide of the Gypsy, Roma and Sinti peoples (Liz Small)	Y8+
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Talk: a Kindertransport Child, the story of Otto Deutsch (Stewart Raine)	Y8+
	1.45-2.30pm	Talk: Russia and the Holocaust (Issy Sawkins)	Y8+
	1.45-2.30pm	Talk and activity: Whoever saves a single life, the story of an Albanian (Muslim) family rescuing Jews (Jeremy Roberts /Ed Pawson)	Y5+
		Human rights trail: a guided, reflective walk in central Exeter	Y5+
Guildhall	3.30 - 3.45pm	Closing ceremony, Moments of Reflection & Candle Lighting led by the Jewish Community	Y5+

Wednesday 29th January 2020

Southernhay URC	7.30-8.45pm	Speaking across the divide: 'The Nazis tried to kill kindness. We fight against that'. Noemie Lopian (the daughter of Holocaust survivors) and Derek Neimann (the grandson of an SS Officer)
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Speaking across the divide

***“The Nazis tried to kill kindness.
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Dr Noemie Lopian, the daughter of Holocaust survivors, has teamed up with Derek Niemann, the grandson of an SS officer.



In a highly unusual and indeed possibly unique partnership, Noemie and Derek are sharing their stories as a warning of the perils of extremism and to inspire greater understanding. They are particularly keen to talk to young people, and in 2019 they began touring British universities, to coincide with Holocaust Memorial Day.