



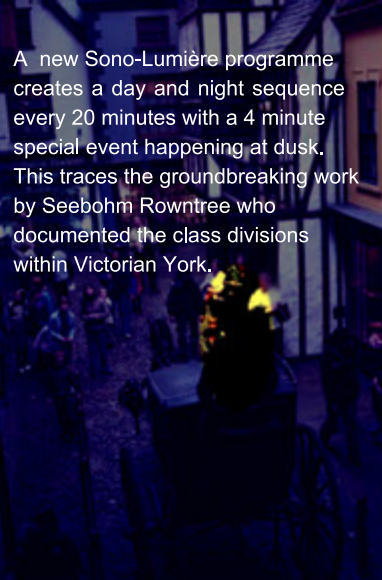
Kirkgate - Castle Museum York.

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- An Exhibition Plus project
- HLF lottery funded
- A design and build contract £240k

York Museums Trust, have updated York Castle Museum's most famous display – Kirkgate - the recreated Victorian street at the heart of the museum which is fondly remembered by thousands of people who visit every year. Visitors are able to step back in time and experience the sights, sounds and smells of Victorian Britain and meet the characters behind the shop doors and discover what life was like in a time that changed the world.



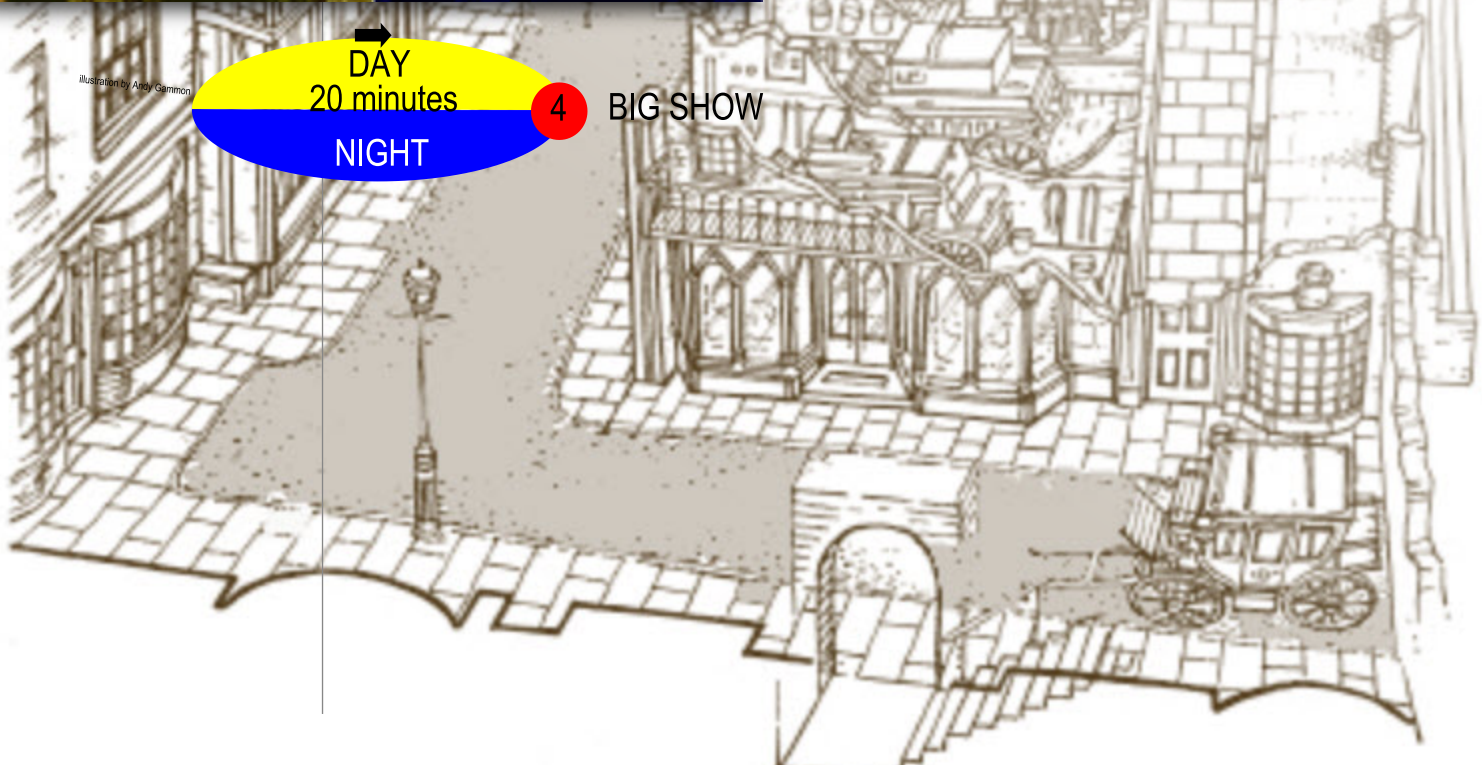
A new Sono-Lumière programme creates a day and night sequence every 20 minutes with a 4 minute special event happening at dusk. This traces the groundbreaking work by Seebohm Rowntree who documented the class divisions within Victorian York.

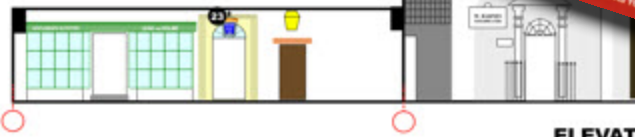


All the Victorian shops contained unique artefacts, now under vastly improved environmental control.



Illustration by Andy Gammon





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Live actors and educationalists mingle with the Sono-Lumière programme to give the feel of a real Victorian Street.

