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To: all who have so far registered we look forward to seeing you at the

## Trade and Industry Seminar

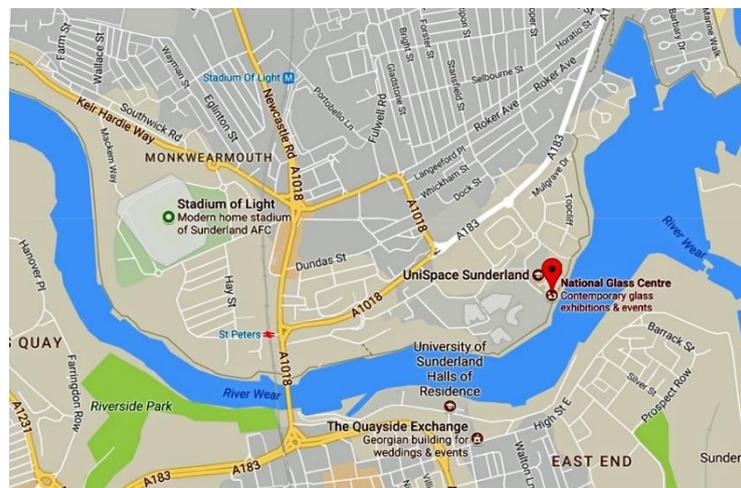
to be held on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2018 at the National Glass Centre, Liberty Way, Monkwearmouth, Sunderland, Tyne and Wear SR6 0GL at 9.30am for 10.00am.

Below are some additional details in advance of the seminar.

### A. VENUE - National Glass Centre

National Glass Centre < <http://www.nationalglasscentre.com/> > is located on the banks of the River Wear at Monkwearmouth in Sunderland and is fully accessible. The centre is open until 5.00pm and admission is free.

Sunderland is a welcoming, bustling city set right on the coast and at the mouth of the River Wear and boasts wide sandy beaches and acres of green spaces. For full details of attractions to visit please go to < <https://www.seeitdoitsunderland.co.uk/> >



### B. HOW TO GET THERE

Sunderland is easily reached from the A1(M), from the south on the A690 through Houghton le Spring to the A19 or from the north on the A1231 through Washington to the A19.

#### a. By Road [updated]

The SatNav postcode is SR6 0GL.

- i. From the A1 southbound, where it joins the A194(M) and becomes the A1(M), take the A1231 (Sunderland) to the A19. Stay on the A1231 along the north bank of the River Wear following signs to the City Centre until you start picking up the brown tourist signs for the “National Glass Centre”.

- ii. From the A19 southbound (or A19 northbound if you have stayed on it for “Sunderland North”) take the A1231 (Sunderland and Gateshead) exit at North Hylton then follow the A1231 (Sunderland) along the north bank of the River Wear following signs to the City Centre until you start picking up the brown tourist signs for the “National Glass Centre”.
- iii. From the A1(M) northbound exit junction 62 and take the A690 (Sunderland) to the A19. Go north on the A19 (Sunderland North) then take the take the A1231 (Sunderland and Gateshead) exit at North Hylton and follow the A1231 (Sunderland) directions as above [ii].
- iv. From the northbound A19
  - a. [best route] follow “Sunderland North” and exit onto the A1231 (Sunderland) and follow the directions as above [ii]
  - b. take the A690 (Durham, Sunderland) exit then follow the A690 (Sunderland) and signs to the City Centre. At Priestman junction follow signs to (A1018) South Shields, cross (northbound) the River Wear and after passing St Peter’s Metro station on your left you will start picking up the brown tourist signs for the “National Glass Centre”
  - c. take the A183 (Chester-le-Street and Sunderland) exit then follow the A183 (Sunderland) and signs to the City Centre. At Minster junction follow signs to (A1018) South Shields, cross (northbound) the River Wear and after passing St Peter’s Metro station on your left you will start picking up the brown tourist signs for the “National Glass Centre”

### b. By Train or Metro

Regular Metros and Trains operate between Sunderland and Newcastle. There is a direct rail link to Sunderland from Middlesbrough every hour.

The journey time from Newcastle to St Peter’s Station is 25 minutes and the National Glass Centre is a 15 minute walk from St Peter’s Metro Station; the easiest route is to walk along Dame Dorothy Street towards the coast and turn right at the roundabout with all of the National Glass Centre flags on it.

Station Taxis provide accessible taxis and can be contacted on 0191 555 5555.



### **c. By Bus**

The E1 takes you from Sunderland City Centre to Roker Avenue which is only a few hundred metres distance from the main entrance.

The 700 Sunderland Connect bus is also available to take from park Lane Campus and City Campus.

### **d. By Push Bike**

National Glass Centre is part of the Coast to Coast (C2C) cycle route from Cumbria to Sunderland.

### **e. By Air**

Newcastle Airport, Teesside Airport and Durham Tees Valley Airport are all about 45 minutes from Sunderland.

### **f. Parking**

There are 8 parking spaces for blue badge holders and a further 80 spaces, all of which are free of charge.

## **C. ARRIVAL**

The seminar registration desk will be staffed from 9.00am in case of early arrivals.

## **D. PROGRAMME**

The finalised programme (at the time of writing) is as follows:

09:30 - 10:00	Arrival: Registration and Coffee
10:00 - 10:10	<b>Welcome to the Seminar</b> - Rod Clayburn
10:10 - 11:10	<b>Mining Durham's Hidden Depths: update on the collection since 2015</b> - Gill Parkes, Durham County Records Office
11:10 - 11:20	Comfort Break
11:20 - 12:20	<b>Shipbuilding collections at Tyne and Wear Archives</b> - Carolyn Ball (Tyne and Wear Archives)
12:20- 13.15	Lunch Break
13:15 - 14.15	<b>Glassmaking in Sunderland: a short history and a glassman's tale</b> - Peter Wood (a glass family descendant)
14:15 - 14:25	Comfort Break
14:25 - 15:25	<b>What's in a name? Street names of Sunderland</b> - Stuart Miller, Street Names in Sunderland project manager
15:25 - 15:55	Tea Break
15:55 - 16:55	<b>Industry on Film: the records of the North East Film Archive</b> - Graham Relton, archive manager Yorkshire Film Archive and North East Film Archive and Julie Ballands, delivery manager, "North East on Film" Heritage Lottery Fund project
16.55 - 17.00	Close of Seminar

## E. SEATING

The meeting room has good quality padded chairs however, as always, we suggest bringing a cushion if you find it uncomfortable to sit for any length of time.



## F. REFRESHMENTS

Tea/coffee and biscuits will be available on arrival from 09:30 and at 15:25; there will be cold drinks available with lunch and the on-site café is open.

A light finger buffet lunch and refreshments are included in the cost of this seminar. If you have not already done so, please advise us as soon as possible at < [seminar-booking@one-name.org](mailto:seminar-booking@one-name.org) > if you have any dietary requirements.

## G. POSTERS and DISPLAYS

To make the day more interactive we encourage delegates to bring along details of their studies for display and sharing. Pin boards will be available for your use.

Please contact < [seminar-booking@one-name.org](mailto:seminar-booking@one-name.org) > to “book” a pin board or table top.

## H. GUILD SALES and DNA TEST KITS

Guild merchandise and home-made marmalade will be for sale.

Unfortunately we will not have DNA kits for sale at the seminar but more information on DNA kits is available on the Guild website < <http://one-name.org/help/guild-wiki/dna-kits-available-from-the-guild/> >

## I. ACCOMMODATION

There are a number of budget and other hotels in and around Sunderland and we have detailed some options in an accommodation listing < <http://one-name.org/wp/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/Sunderland-Accommodation-Listing.pdf> > A number of the seminar organising committee and other delegates are staying at the Premier Inn Sunderland City Centre on Friday night.

For further options within Sunderland please visit < <https://www.seeitdoitsunderland.co.uk/where-to-stay> >

If you need any further advice on accommodation please email < [seminar-booking@one-name.org](mailto:seminar-booking@one-name.org) >

## J. FRIDAY EVENING MEAL

For those staying at the Premier Inn Sunderland City Centre we will meet for dinner in the on-site Thyme restaurant, with tables booked for 6 people at 7.00pm and 4 people each at 7.30pm and 8.00pm; just turn up and join one of the tables. Please email < [seminar-booking@one-name.org](mailto:seminar-booking@one-name.org) > as soon as possible if you would like to join us.

(Please note that whilst we organise this Friday evening meet up for the benefit and enjoyment of those delegates staying overnight, any complaints about the arrangements should be directed to the restaurant itself and not the seminar organisers!)

Thank you for booking for this seminar, we hope you will have a very interesting and enjoyable day.

Kind regards,

*Rod Clayburn*

Rod Clayburn (Seminar Organiser)

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