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November/December 2016

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Peabody Essex Museum

SHOES: PLEASURE AND PAIN OPENS NOVEMBER 19

EXHIBITION ORGANIZED BY THE VICTORIA AND ALBERT MUSEUM, LONDON

V&A

SHOES

Pleasure and Pain

November 19, 2016–March 12, 2017

Explore a show-stopping collection of more than 300 pairs of shoes, ranging from elaborate vintage designs to the latest from Manolo Blahnik, Christian Louboutin and Prada. Examples from collectors are shown alongside shoes worn by high-profile figures such as David Beckham, Kylie Minogue and Sir Elton John.



Join us Opening Day!
Saturday, November 19
10 am–5 pm
Included with admission

Celebrate our new exhibition with provocative discussions, art making and a little bit of dancing, too, all in honor of the shoe.

STEP UP FOR A WORTHY CAUSE
Wednesday, November 16–Sunday, November 27

PEM is partnering with **Dress for Success Boston** for a shoe drive at the museum. The nonprofit organization empowers women to be economically independent, by providing a network of support, professional attire and the development tools to help them thrive in work and in life. Donated shoes should be appropriate for clients' job interviews, ideally solid colors. Visit pem.org/shoedrive for more details.



Samuel F. B. Morse's Gallery of the Louvre and the Art of Invention

On view through January 8, 2017

Before Samuel Morse was a famous inventor, he was an artist. *Gallery of the Louvre* is one of the last paintings Morse created before he turned his attention to the telegraph and his namesake code. The painting is accompanied by an installation of some 60 photographs from the PEM collection.

LUNAR ATTRACTION

On view through September 4, 2017

In The Dotty Brown Art & Nature Center Discover the many ways artists across time and cultures have mined the moon for material.

ONGOING STICKWORK: Patrick Dougherty

Explore PEM's first commissioned outdoor sculpture, on the lawn of the Crowninshield-Bentley House across from the Hawthorne Hotel.

AUTHOR TALK

Shipwrecked in Paradise: Cleopatra's Barge in Hawai'i

Thursday, November 3
Noon–1 pm | Included with admission

Join renowned archaeologist, author and maritime historian Paul Johnston as he discusses his excavation of the ship *Cleopatra's Barge* and his 2014 book that chronicles the experience. A book signing follows. *Dr. Paul F. Johnston is Curator of Maritime History at the Smithsonian's National Museum of American History.*

FREE COMMUNITY EVENT

National Novel Writing Month Come Write In!

Wednesdays, November 2, 9 and 16
6–8:30 pm
Sunday, November 13, 1–4 pm
Wednesday, November 30, 6 pm–midnight
Meet at 135 Essex St., PEM building outside main entrance
No registration required

This year PEM joins the thriving NaNoWriMo community to help everyone find the inspiration needed to write a novel in one month. Tables, chairs, Wi-Fi, coffee, tea and snacks provided. More details at pem.org/calendar.

CHRISTMAS IN SALEM: Carol on the Common

Friday, December 2–Sunday, December 4

Join us in the Salem Common neighborhood as many historic houses, including PEM's Andrew-Safford House, are filled with holiday cheer. Organized by Historic Salem Inc. Tickets \$35 at christmasinsalem.org.

The Museum Shop is open seven days a week in November and December for all your holiday shopping needs!

Register for programs at 978-542-1511 or pem.org/calendar.

Find out what's happening today at pem.org/today.

ADMISSION ALWAYS FREE FOR SALEM RESIDENTS!

STORY TRAILS

Tickets available day of program

The Moon Rocks!

Sunday, November 6
2–3 pm

Take a journey to the moon as we read *Tanner Turbeyfill and the Moon Rocks* by Anna Browning. View a real moon rock and then join others to make your own moon rock through clay marbling.

Tracking Detectives

Sunday, December 4
2–3 pm

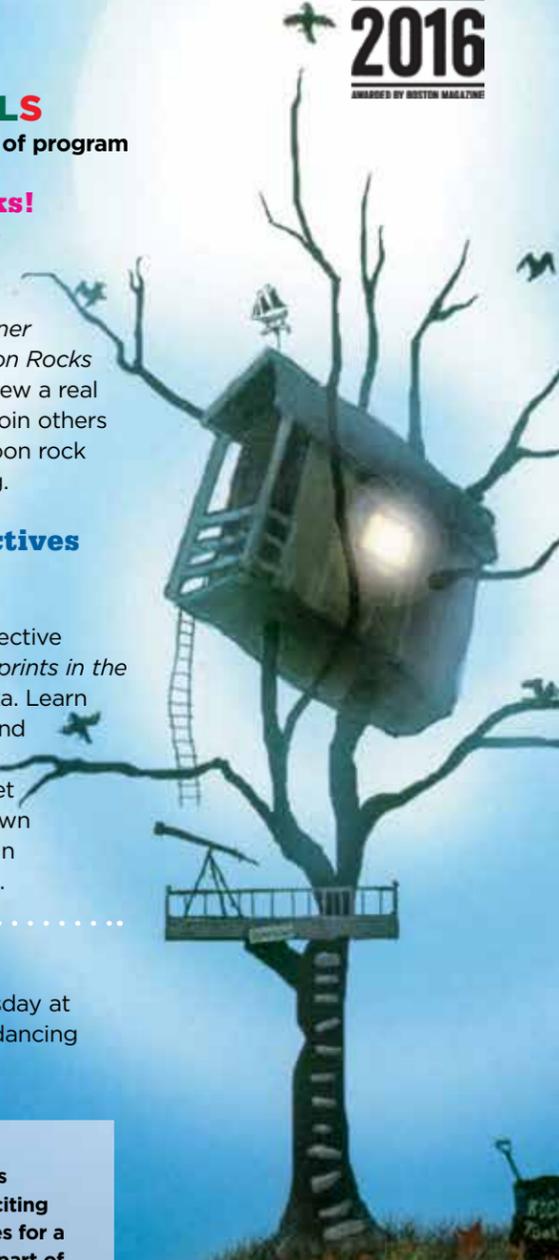
Hone your nature detective skills as we read *Footprints in the Snow* by Mei Matsuoka. Learn about animal tracks and tracking in the wild, then create animal foot shoes to make your own critter tracks outside in the snow, sand or dirt.

PEM PALS

Join us every Wednesday at 10:30 am for stories, dancing and art making.

NOTE: The museum is undergoing some exciting changes as it prepares for a major expansion. As part of this process, the Art & Nature Center Permanent Displays are closed until December 2.

BEST FAMILY-FRIENDLY MUSEUM
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PEM curators are on Instagram! Please check out pem.org/about/curators to discover more.

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FAMILY PROGRAMS



During the run of *Shoes: Pleasure and Pain*, the Museum Shop transforms into a shoe emporium, featuring more than 80 designs for men and women.

HEEL THYSELF

Women's Black Leather Boots

\$450 | Sizes 6-11 (European sizes 36-42)

PHOTO BY BOB PACKERT/PEM.

COCKTAILS / MUSIC / UNEXPECTED | 3RD THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH

2016

PEM AFTER-HOURS PARTIES

6-9 pm

FREE for Salem residents (with ID), college students and members

Everyone else \$12 at the door

Cash bar | Special small plates menu from the Hawthorne Hotel

ENTIRE MUSEUM IS OPEN!

SIGNALS | Thursday, November 17

Celebrate artist/inventor Samuel F. B. Morse, the man behind the painting *Gallery of the Louvre*, now on view at PEM. Design Morse code jewelry, pose for your own portrait, create a mini-camera obscura and decode telegrams. Enjoy custom drinks and music by DJ Brent Still-Life and the Boston Typewriter Orchestra.

SHOE-VOLUTION | Thursday, December 15

Put one foot in front of the other as you make your way to the museum for a celebration of our exhibition *Shoes: Pleasure and Pain*. Hack your shoes with our design station, take a shoe selfie, sip on delicious shoe-themed cocktails, enjoy foot massages and music by Big Ol' Dirty Bucket.

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COVER Prada, *Tail Light*. Courtesy of Prada. © Kylie Minogue OBE. INSIDE Roger Vivier, for Christian Dior, evening shoes, 1958-60. Silk, beads, gilded thread and rhinestones. Victoria and Albert Museum, gift of Mrs. Gloria Loel Guinness, T.149&A-1974. © Victoria and Albert Museum, London. Image detail from *Tanner Turbeyfill and the Moon Rocks* by Anna Browning. Illustrated by Josh Crawford. © 2013 Diamond DMT Publishing.

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Closed Mondays (except holidays) and Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day

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