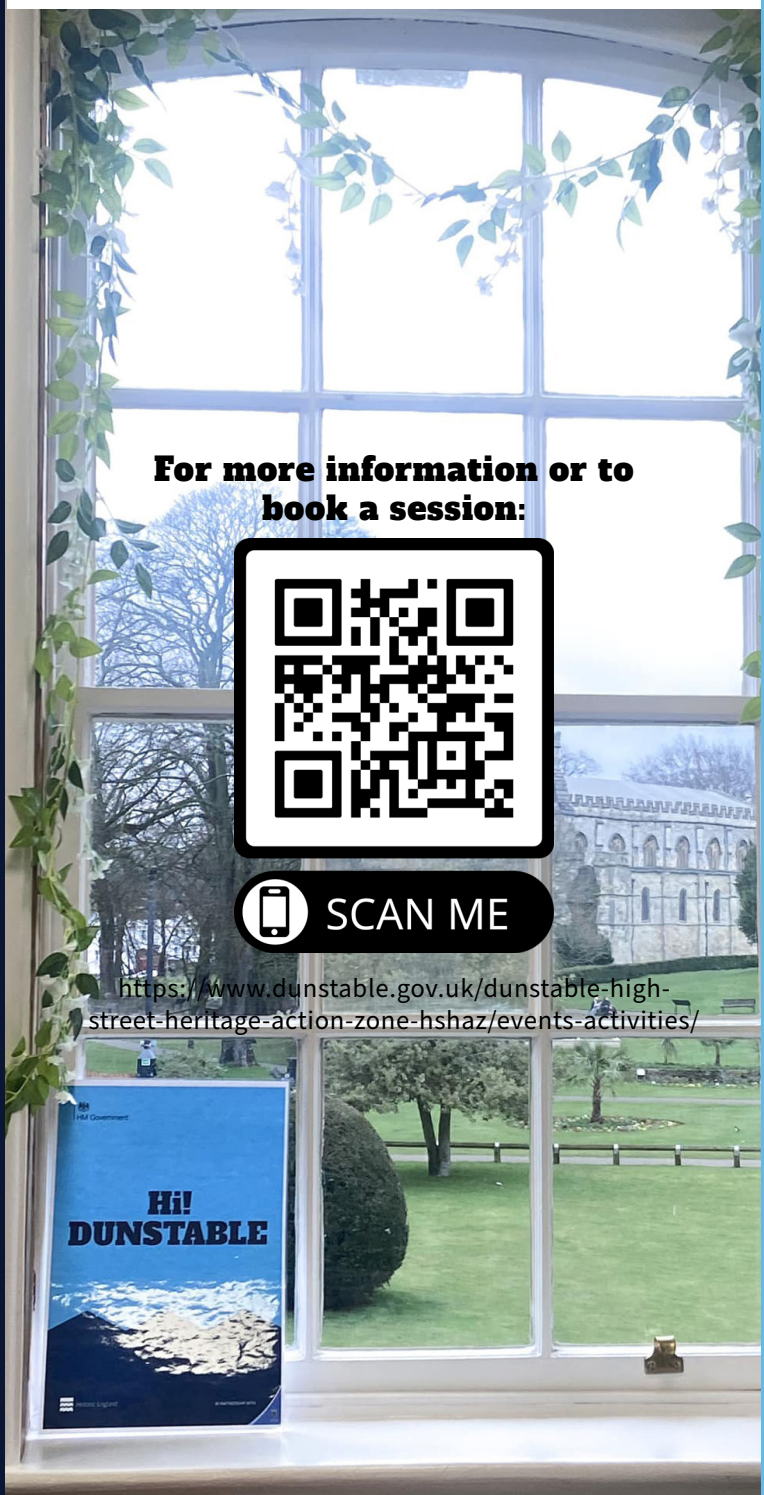




**Join us on Saturday 30 April  
from 9.30 am.**

Activities running between 9.30 am and 5.30 pm, including drop-in events, timed sessions and an afternoon of talks!

For timed sessions and sessions with restricted numbers, including afternoon talks, there will be a first come, first served system in place.

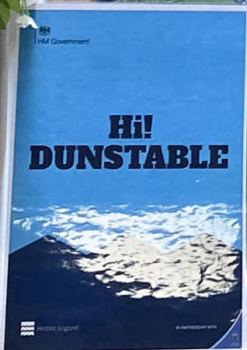


**For more information or to  
book a session:**



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Priory Church, LU5 4NA and Priory House, LU6 3RZ

**FREE EVENT**  
**PRIORY ROCKS**



**The Hidden History  
Behind Priory House  
and Priory Church**

A free event organised by buildings archaeologist Dr Jackie Hall and heritage specialist Jan Summerfield in partnership with the Dunstable High Street Heritage Action Zone, Historic England and Dunstable Town Council.

**Saturday 30 April**  
**9.30 am to 5.30 pm.**

Free activities and events in Priory House and Gardens and Priory Church.

Sessions with restricted numbers, including afternoon talks, will operate on a first come, first served basis.

**Tours require sign-up on the day and one session in Priory House requires booking in advance, see timetable for details.**

Tea, coffee and cake available in Priory Church from 1.15 pm to 5.00 pm.



## In Priory Church...

**1.15 pm**

Arrival

**1.45 pm**

Welcome - Rev Rachel Phillips (the Rector)

**1.55 pm**

Introduction to Dunstable, from the Foundation of the Priory to the 16th century - Jean Yates (local Historian and author)

**2.25 pm**

Work on Priory House - Sarah Tattersall (engineer, The Morton Partnership)

**2.45 pm**

New research into building stone - Dr Jackie Hall (building archeologist and consultant)

**2.55 pm**

Romanesque Sculpture at Dunstable Priory - Hazel Gardiner and Ron Baxter (The Corpus of Romanesque Sculpture in Britain and Ireland)

**3.10 pm**

A hybrid order of clerical monks, the Augustinian order in England - Matt Bristow (Historic England)

**3.40 pm**

The recent investigations: adding to the story of Dunstable Priory - Dr Neil Linford and Sarah Newsome (Historic England)

**4.25 pm**

Summary of questions with answers and discussion between panellists, chaired by Jackie Hall

## In Priory House...

**9.30 am to 11.30 am - Jacobean Room**

Introduction to local building stones. This session requires ADVANCE BOOKING via <https://www.dunstable.gov.uk/dunstable-high-street-heritage-action-zone-hshaz/events-activities/>

**10.00 am to 12 noon - Exhibition Space**

Corpus of Romanesque Sculpture in Britain and Ireland (drop-in)

## In Priory Gardens...

**10.00 am to 12 noon**

Arch building (drop-in outdoors, weather permitting)

**10.00 am to 12 noon**

Meeting at the Gazebo, short tours for families by Historic England, every 20 minutes. Sign up on the day

**5.00 pm to 5.30 pm**

**For discussion attendees only**

Tour with hand-out showing old and new geophysical surveys - Sarah Newsome and Neil Linford from Historic England on hand to answer questions

