



Manx National Heritage
Eiraght Ashoonagh Vannin

Labyrinth: The Chronicles of Mann

Manx National Heritage Event Information Guide

Saturday 10 July 2021, 11am, 1pm, 3pm, 5pm

Sunday 11 July, 11am, 1pm, 3pm, 5pm

To help you enjoy this promenade theatre event we have prepared more detailed information about Labyrinth: The Chronicles of Mann.

What to expect from Labyrinth: The Chronicles of Mann

Labyrinth: The Chronicles of Mann is a new promenade theatre performance taking place in the grounds of Rushen Abbey. It has been devised and performed by Manx National Heritage and their volunteer theatre group 'Labyrinth: History in Action'. Each timed theatre tour has a maximum of 35 people in the audience, and they will be led around the site by a Guide. The Guide will lead the tour to each scene, where they will encounter actors sharing stories about the history of the site.

Labyrinth: The Chronicles of Mann is a piece of immersive theatre – which means that the actors may interact with you and chat to you. You may be encouraged to join in – but you do not have to. The tour is active, fast-paced and somewhat quirky in style. There will be laughter, music and even a dancing grand finale!

The tour will go inside the visitor centre, but it will mostly be in the grounds of Rushen Abbey. The tours will take place whatever the weather – although we may choose to use more of the inside spaces in the event of very heavy rain.

The tour lasts between 60-90 minutes.

Labyrinth: The Chronicles of Mann is a walking performance, with limited options to sit along the way. You are welcome to bring a sitting stool.

Who is it aimed at?

The event is aimed at anyone who enjoys history and theatre. It is not suitable for children under 7, as some of the themes are a little darker and there are some adult storylines. In addition we find young children tend to fidget during

some of the scenes/or walk off, which can be off-putting for our actors who are working with the audience.

What should I bring with me?

Please dress appropriately for the weather on the day. There is little protection from the sun, rain or wind. You are welcome to bring an umbrella.

Tickets

Tickets are priced at £12 per person.

Refreshments

Hot drinks and snack are available in the Rushen Abbey Gift Shop.

Toilets

There are plenty of toilets at Rushen Abbey. It also has an accessible toilet.

Parking

Rushen Abbey has a car park.

Accessibility

Labyrinth: The Chronicles of Mann takes place in the visitor centre and grounds of Rushen Abbey. The visitor centre and grounds are flat and there is a gravel path leading through the garden.

The grounds are wheelchair accessible although assistance may be required on the gravel paths/grass.

If you would like to attend the sessions and would like to discuss your access needs in advance please contact Katie on 01624 648035 or email Katie.king@mnh.im.

Full Access Guide to Rushen Abbey

<https://manxnationalheritage.im/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/Rushen-Abbey-Access-Guide-2021v.1.pdf>