



FLAME

THE GASWORKS MUSEUM OF IRELAND



Carrickfergus boasts Ireland's sole surviving coal gasworks and is one of only three left in the British Isles. It opened in 1855 and supplied the town with gas for over 100 years. It stopped making gas in 1967 and finally closed in 1987. It is now fully restored and open to the public.

See how gas was made from coal in Europe's largest surviving set of horizontal retorts. You'll also get a great view of the town from the top of the gasholder! Marvel at how gas was used for light, heat and power.

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ADMISSION**

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Besides the gasworks, **FLAME** also has an extensive collection of gas appliances and a library on the gas industry. Groups and schools are especially welcome.



FLAME is open all year round as follows:

May to Aug inc: Daily (except Saturdays) 2.00 - 5.00 pm
September: Monday to Friday 2.00 - 5.00 pm
Last tour 4.00 pm

*To visit at other times and for groups,
please book in advance by telephone or email*

FLAME is managed by the Carrickfergus Gasworks Preservation Society Ltd, a registered charity.
Why not become a member and support our efforts?
Donations will also be gratefully received.

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