

## Enjoy roarsome family fun at Derbion this Easter



**Offering a fun-filled day out for families, Derbion has announced that a brand-new dinosaur-themed activity is set to arrive at the centre for the Easter holidays.**

New for Easter 2023, Derbion is inviting families to discover a roarsome Dinosaur experience from Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March - Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> April, as it hosts 12 huge realistic animatronic dinosaurs.

Visitors are invited to explore Derbion in search of giant dinosaurs, which are complete with fascinating movements and sounds. Throughout the trail, guests can discover more about their favourite dinosaurs including a Tyrannosaurus Rex, Velociraptor, Triceratops and much more. Families will be able to get up close and personal and strike a pose with a variety of dinosaur species as well as a free of charge photo opportunity inside a dinosaur egg.

For the ultimate experience, Derbion is inviting families to get immersed into the world of dinosaurs with an all-new palaeontologist workshop, priced at just £4 per child. During the 20-minute session, dino-lovers can explore palaeontology and excavate clay blocks, using specialist tools to uncover the fossils inside, as well as excavating and re-constructing a T-REX fossil. Tickets for the interactive workshops can be purchased online via the Derbion website now.

Beth McDonald, managing director of Derbion, commented: "We know that dinosaurs fascinate people of all ages, so we're thrilled to be bringing an unforgettable experience to Derbion for children to enjoy throughout the Easter holidays. Our all-new event will mean that big and little dino-fans alike can enjoy a fun-filled, hands-on activity with a roarsome twist this Easter!"

For more information on Derbion and to book tickets to Dino Live, visit [www.derbion.com](http://www.derbion.com).

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### **NOTES TO EDITORS**

#### About Dino Live

Derbion's Dino Live experience will run from 31/03/23 – 16/04/23, with workshops taking place from 10.30am to 3.30pm on selected dates from 03/04/23 to 14/04/23.

Workshops will be located in Darwin Square and are priced at £4 per session, 20-minute slots can be booked online via the Derbion website: <https://www.derbion.com/beware-dinosaurs-are-coming/>.

Entry to the Dino Trail throughout the centre is free for all.

#### About Derbion

Derbion is the East Midlands' premier retail and leisure destination, offering a full family day out within a contemporary and safe environment.

The centre has an attractive line-up of famous brands with over 200 household names, including; Next, Zara, Mango, M&S, Hobbs, Hugo Boss, Whistles, Lush and JD Sports with new additions in the last 12 months including Jack Wills, H&M Home, Søstrene Grene and we're proud to have recently opened a brand new 127,000 sq. ft department store for Frasers, Sports Direct, USC and GAME.

With Showcase Cinema de Lux, Paradise Island Adventure Golf, Hollywood Bowl and the 640 seat Derby Theatre, Derbion has an extensive leisure offer for visitors to enjoy. The venue's Food Terrace offers a wide variety of grab and go options for visitors to choose from, with eight further standalone restaurants and many more cafes and eateries throughout the centre.

The scheme is supported by an integrated, secure car park facility, offering 3,600 spaces in the heart of Derby city centre.

Find out more at <http://www.derbion.com>.