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## Valentine's Day 'Magic of the Rose' Special at Auckland Museum

Auckland Museum is offering romantics a special deal on Valentine's Day (Sunday, 14 February). Purchase one ticket to the exhibition *Wonderland: The Magic of the Rose*, and you'll receive a second ticket absolutely free.

Nothing embodies the spirit of Valentine's Day more than the rose. Throughout the ages the rose has evoked love and lovelorn longing. Be it the first flush of passion or an adoring crush, the heavenly fragrance, petals and thorns of the rose all lend themselves to expressions of romance.

So why not treat your loved one to a very special Valentine's Day with a visit to *Wonderland: The Magic of the Rose*.

In *Wonderland* listen to rose-infused romantic poems by Emily Bronte, George Elliot and Robbie Burns. Through art, artefacts, jewellery and treasured objects, explore the romantic significance of roses. Discover stories and legends of the flower, from the Greek goddess Aphrodite, to the tale of Mark Antony and Cleopatra. And there's so much more!

This Valentine's Day, make *Wonderland: The Magic of the Rose* the perfect escape before a romantic picnic or dinner.

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