

October 2010

GOTHIC NIGHT II

This Halloween as part of the Archive Awareness Campaign

www.archiveawareness.com, Chris Fowler author of the *Bryant and May Mysteries* including *The Water Room* and *Off The Rails*, will be hosting an evening of strangeness and mystery at the London Metropolitan Archives (LMA).

The evening will include readings from Chris' books, an introduction to some fascinating materials from LMA's collections, plus behind the scene look at the archives. There will also be plenty of captivating activities for visitors to join in with.

Author

Chris lives and works in London where he is best known for his dark urban fiction. His books are usually set in London and in some Chris has plunged the depths of the archives, delving deep into the city's sewers, drains and tunnels for the narrative. They also contain elements of black comedy, anxiety and social satire. As well as novels, Chris writes short stories, scripts, press articles and reviews. He has written several new tales involving London, including a foreword to *Subterranean London* and a new short story *Down*. To find out more go to www.christopherfowler.co.uk

Entertainment

Visitors will be able to take part in a number of *Discovery* activities including role play, sideshow acts and games.

See the web page

http://www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/Corporation/LGNL_Services/Leisure_and_culture/Records_and_archives/Events/Events+-+October+2010.htm for more details.

To Book tickets £8 / £6.50 concessions, call 7 332 3851

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Venue: London Metropolitan Archives, 40 Northampton Road, London EC1R 0HB

Nearest tube: Farringdon or Angel