## **1X4**



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EVERY STORY IS THE TRUTH, YET THEY ARE ALL DIFFERENT







**CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE** 



26 November 2021 – 13 March 2022 La Perouse Museum

Developed by







Randwick City Council and the La Perouse Museum acknowledge the Bidjigal and the Gadigal people who occupied the Sydney Coast, as the Traditional Custodians of the area on which the Museum stands and serves. We acknowledge and pay our respects to the Elders past, present, and emerging.

Every object in the La Perouse Museum collection reveals many stories. We see this every day we open our doors to our visitors. That's why the La Perouse Museum is delighted to host this award-winning and innovative exhibition, 1X4, A travelling exhibition developed by Newcastle Museum.

## 'Museums use objects to tell stories. It sounds simple but it's complicated.

Objects can tell multiple stories from many points of view. So, who chooses the story? Which story is the truth? In museums, curators choose an interpretation but 1X4 turns this upside down.

Each object in this exhibition tells four distinct stories. You can listen to or read each of the four stories... or some... or none and just enjoy the beauty of the objects. Every story is the truth about the object and is a valid way to view the object, but they are all different.

Match the picture next to the object with the picture on the website to hear or read that object's stories.

No 1X4 story is complete and we encourage you to use this exhibition as the beginning of your learning, not the end.'

The La Perouse Museum will include a surprise object from our own collection with its particular set of stories. This time your phone is welcome! The exhibition is in the palm of your hand, making it a very accessible show. You can experience the stories through sound as well as visually.



## LOOK AT HISTORY — THROUGH — DIFFERENT EYES

Join us at these special programs on the following dates:

Newcastle Museum's Curator Tour of 1X4 – 27 November 2021, 11am – 12pm

1X4 Holiday Workshops 19 January 2022, 10 – 11.30am (ages 5 – 8)

19 January 2022, 1 – 2.30pm (ages 9 – 12)

Cost: \$20 per person, bookings essential at randwick.nsw.gov.au

See this exhibition and its stories at 1x4.com.au

