J M Barrie, author, playwright and creator of the much loved character Peter Pan, was born in this house on 9 May 1860. It was here that he spent his early years, growing up immersed in the traditions of the small weaving community, and finding inspiration in everything around him.

The house is now a museum dedicated to telling the story of J M Barrie. The exhibition rooms explore Barrie’s life, the inspirations of his childhood and adult life, his route to success, literary and stage works, and his enduring connection with Kirriemuir.

Furniture and personal items that belonged to Barrie help to tell the story.