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NEWS IN BRIEF

Poet's pink pants are exhibited

AN exhibition of items that belonged to the late, great poet Philip Larkin are causing quite a stir.

Part of Hull's UK City of Culture celebrations, Larkin's belongings are on display at the University of Hull.

Along with a selection of his often very colourful ties, there are ceramic Beatrix Potter figures, alongside a ceramic figure of Adolf Hitler, which his father gave him.

His lawnmower also features, as does a pair of pink pants with the words Do Not Spank on them!

