

Arts Office Newsletter

Newsletter Date

15th July 2022

OPPORTUNITIES

Per Cent for Art Commission, Cahir Road Roundabout Clonmel

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Tipperary County Council

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Per Cent for Art Commission

Cahir Road Roundabout, Clonmel

Briefing Document for Artists

Special points of interest:

- Public Art Commission
- Festival Support Services
- LLPPS 4
- STAC Coffee Morning



Tipperary County Council (TCC) invites Artists to make submissions for the creation of a permanent gateway public artwork at the N24 Cahir Road Roundabout, Ballingarrane, Clonmel Co. Tipperary.

This is a two-stage procurement process.

Budget €45,000

Deadline stage 1: 12 noon 9 September 2022

Project Timeframe: 30th November 2023 latest date for installation.

Visit <https://www.tipperarycoco.ie/public-art-commission-cahir-road-roundabout-clonmel> for further information.

Request for Quotations for Festival Support Services with Tipperary County Council

Tipperary Arts Office are inviting Quotations for the Provision of Festival Support Services. For full information and how to apply please view the documents attached in the link below.

1A Request for Quotation Festival Support Services

1B Quotation Response document

Deadline: 12 noon on Friday 22nd July 2022.

<https://www.tipperarycoco.ie/request-quotations-festival-support-services-20222023>

Cashel Arts Festival 2021 Denis Vahey Photography



LOCAL LIVE PERFORMANCE PROGRAMMING SCHEME: PHASE 4

Tipperary County Council invites quotations from producers/ promoters /venues /event management /professional production companies for the programming and delivery of services in relation to live performances to take place throughout Tipperary, in each of the five Municipal District (MD) areas, between August and 31 October 2022.

The aim of this scheme is to assist producers, promoters, production companies and venues to provide support for people in the industry to facilitate programming of live performances, animating towns and town centres for local communities from August to October 2022, in line with public health guidance. Performances can be recorded or streamed if health restrictions prevent live events or as local authorities deem appropriate.

Deadline for submissions is 12 noon on Friday 22nd July 2022 by email to artsoffice@tipperarycoco.ie.

Further details and how to apply are available here:

<https://www.tipperarycoco.ie/content/local-live-performance-programming-scheme-phase-4>

Seminar on Ageing and Creativity

Damer House Gallery invites you to a seminar on Ageing & Creativity in The Black Mills Roscrea on July 16, 2022. The Keynote Speaker is [Prof. Colin Doherty](#), Consultant Neurologist in St.James's Hospital, Consultant, Clinical Medicine, TCD, & The [Na Cailleacha](#) Collective. Places are limited & booking is essential. Admission €15 incl booking fee Further details and to reserve a place click on link below.

<https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/seminar-on-ageing-and-creativity-tickets-370535681197>



Artist Coffee Mornings at South Tipperary Arts Centre

Are you an artist (working in any discipline) interested in chatting to other creatives based locally? Then we invite you to pop in for a cuppa!

As part of our commitment to encourage and support artists in the region, STAC will be hosting a monthly Artist Coffee Morning on the last Monday of every month. These events will give artists the opportunity to meet and chat with other like-minded creatives in a relaxed setting. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided.

No booking required, just turn up!

Time: 11am -1pm

Location: Upstairs space at South Tipperary Arts Centre

Dates

25th July

29th August

26th September

24th October

28th November

Irish Language events for Culture Night 2022

An tOireachtas are seeking in conjunction with Oíche Cultúr are calling for submissions of Irish Language events

Please see the application form below ,

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeCJ7dh6G16XQ6PNvXe6LJac2NBzgNUGZOIQFf4E8k7aYnQJA/viewform>

Closing date 22nd July.

EVENTS



STARTS
25TH JUNE
2022

AT ONE WITH NATURE.

ART EXHIBITION
birds and bees

Birdhill Pollagh Trail
free entry

BIRDHILL
ART HUB.

Clár Éire Idirnách
Creative Ireland
Programme
2017-2022



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Tipperary County Council



Birdhill Art Hub presents 'At One with Nature – Birds & Bees' Open air Art exhibition this summer. This unique outdoor event with original works stretches over a 2.5km scenic Pollagh trail in Birdhill, along the banks of the River Shannon in County Tipperary.

This exhibition hosted by Birdhill art Hub/ Birdhill Tidy Village will be a fun, FREE distinctive Art trail for everyone to enjoy across all ages.

MELISSA RYAN creator of Birdhill art Hub: 'Currently a tutor with the Tipperary ETB community education and creator of 'Coosane Creations' teaches 'Art & crafts' in North Tipperary. I wanted to create a platform for my learners and fellow Artists to exhibit together, we achieved this by creating a theme for everyone to create from.

We have a NEW theme this year **BIRDS & BEES** we have invited over 50 Artists both professional, emerging and the youth to join us to present their original works along the trail, painted on pine boarding using acrylic water-based paints.

You will see fabulous works of tropical Birds from all around the world in splashes of vibrant colours also works of Bee's and flora along this spectacular Pollagh trail in Birdhill. It is a flat an easy walking trail, perfect in all types of weather.

Birdhill Art Hub <https://www.facebook.com/birdhillarthub>
Birdhill Art Hub <https://www.instagram.com/birdhillarthub/?hl=en>
Birdhill Art Hub <https://twitter.com/artbirdhill>

On display until the end of July

CONVERGENCE FESTIVAL

[Live Art Ireland](#) formed two years ago, when artists DeeJ Fabyc and MJ Newell purchased a crumbling Georgian estate to establish a performance art residency and research centre. And between July 14th and 16th, in collaboration with Irish art organisation [BBeyond](#), are hosting [CONVERGENCE](#) a three-day art festival held across North Tipperary.

On Friday 15th, seven commissioned art performances curated by DeeJ Fabyc & Sandra Corrigan Breathnach are to be held at Milford House, performed by Analia Beltrani Janes, Beatrice Didier, Helana Walsh, Kane Stonestreet, Kelvin Atmadibrata, Olivia Hassett, and Veronica Pena. Pena is a Spanish artist, whose interdisciplinary practice explores migration policies and cross-cultural dialogue. Irish artist, academic, and activist Helena Walsh utilises her body in her live art practice to unravel histories of colonisation in relation to issues of gender and labour.

And on Saturday 16th, Bbeyond members hold a group performance on the village green in CloghJordan. Bbeyond have been at the forefront of performance art in Ireland for twenty years curating thousands of performances in their monthly meetings in car parks and other public places. Enacting the groups' philosophy of 'Art in life, Life in Art'. Bbeyond encourage newcomers to performance art that is improvisational with an emphasis on play and material to highlight the art in everyday life.

Most of the restoration work to Milford House has been done by DeeJ Fabyc and MJ Newell, and despite the dust and rubble, they have accommodated 12 artist residencies and curated two online video art festivals. DeeJ Fabyc says "We want to repurpose this space to enable artists to reflect on their practice and to make great art work. I have great memories of artist residencies earlier in my career and I want to provide that architecture for other artists who are struggling to find space". MJ Newell says "It's the worst business idea of my generation - how to make performance art pay for a Big House restoration. We are not after trip advisor reviews, but we are fascinated how artists take on or transcend such a coherent symbol of colonialism". In their recent residency Irish artist Day Magee revolved a video artwork around a portrait of Countess Markovitz. Magee summoned their forefathers who fought in the Irish war of independence, asking if they embody the freedom he fought for.

For Live Art Ireland, the [CONVERGENCE](#) performance art festival brings together all their objectives. Collaborating with other art organisations and community stakeholders. To commission established and emerging artists, from both Ireland and abroad. And to bring a socially engaged art practice to community groups - and in particular to the public of rural Ireland.

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL: please book for the workshop at convergence@mail.com

And for the IRL Performances at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/convergence-live-art-ireland-bbeyond-2022-tickets-376813538437-> no admittance without a ticket

And to watch online at <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/convergence-live-art-ireland-bbeyond-2022-tickets-379316615207>

Any queries please get in touch with DeeJ Fabyc & MJ Newell at live.art.ireland@gmail.com



BIRR VINTAGE WEEK AND ARTS FESTIVAL

29th July—7th August

<https://www.birrvintageweek.com/programme>



Migration, Collage Workshop

Monday 1st & Wednesday 3rd August 2pm- 4pm
To accompany our International Collage exhibition, in collaboration with Dom Kultury Praga, Warsaw, curator, Marta Janik with Anthony D Kelly will hold 2 masterclasses to create collages on the theme of Migration. You can attend one or both days, Courthouse Yard, €10/session
<https://forms.gle/GcjY9EUPi3IudQm86>

THE ART WALL

Monday 1st, Tuesday 2nd, 11am-1pm, Thursday 4th 2pm-4pm
Join visiting Collage Artists from Ukraine, Poland and Ireland to make a large scale paste-up collage on the Courthouse Yard hoarding. Large format pieces are provided
€5/session
<https://forms.gle/S7k3GM4V6twjEeao6>

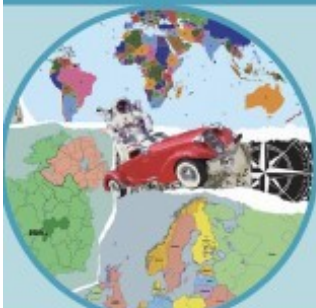


PLEIN AIR PAINTING

Wed 3rd, Thursday 4th August 9.30-4pm
Take time out for yourself in the beautiful surroundings of Birr Castle Demesne for 2 days of Plein air painting under the guidance of Jock Nichol. All levels welcome. Shelter is available if the weather doesn't cooperate
€25/day or €40 for both day
birrvintageweekarts@gmail.com

BARGELLO WORKSHOP

Tuesday 2nd August 2pm- 4pm
Join Laura Angell, exhibiting artist and joint author of Bargello Stitch, A pattern directory for dramatic needlepoint to learn about this simple use of stitching that creates vibrant, wavelike designs. Masonic Hall, €10
<https://forms.gle/2PSGFbrVyRkj6C68>



DROP IN ACTIVITIES AT THE COURTHOUSE YARD

Drop into the Courthouse Yard any afternoon and relax with our free art packs for adults and children. Add stickers to the artwall or create your own mini master piece.

0894735055 birrvintageweekarts@gmail.com

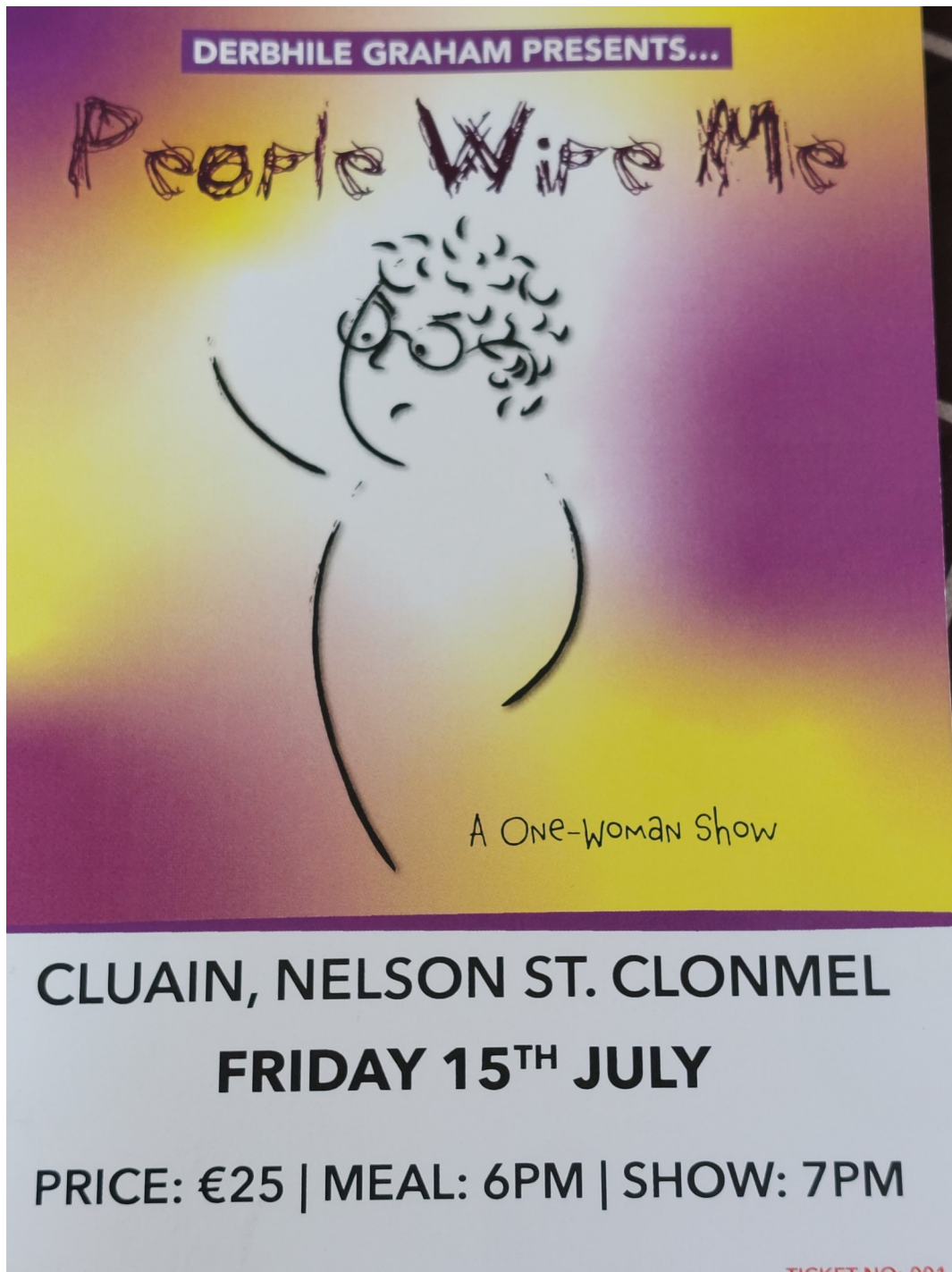
BIRRVINTAGEWEEK.COM



One-Woman Show Debut in Clonmel.

Clonmel-born writer Derbhile Dromey makes her theatre debut with a performance of her one-woman show, *People Wipe Me*, in Clonmel, Co. Tipperary. The performance is happening at Cluain Coffee Shop, Nelson Street, Clonmel on 15 July at 6pm. The show is 60 minutes long and it's a mix of comedy, spoken word and theatre. It's about seafood chowder and woolly jumpers – and the price we pay for being ourselves. Tickets are €25 and include a meal: meal at 6pm, play at 7pm. You can buy the tickets at Cluain or call 083-0880477, to reserve the tickets.

If you want more information about the play or how to book, contact Derbhile Dromey on derbhile@writewordseditorial.ie or call 0876959799.



Clough Jordan Circus Club

Summer Camp

Where: St Kierans Hall Clough Jordan

When: Mon 18th - Fri 22nd July

Times: 10am - 12:30pm Juniors age 8yrs - 12yrs; 1:30pm - 4pm, Teens

Cost: €50; bursaries available

Sign up for a fun week of circus, lots of games, new skills and guest tutors including Paul Quate from Belfast Circus School. This is a great opportunity to expand your skills and try out new skills. We will also cater for beginners so please spread the word or invite a friend.

We recommend booking soon to secure places.

Taster Workshop Programme for Youth Groups

Where: We come to your group

When: Mon 24 July - Fri 28 July

Times: 1.5 hour workshop book a slot morning, afternoon or evening

Cost: €50 per group

Funded by Creative Ireland and Arts Council we have a number of opportunities to bring a taster circus workshop to your group or summer programme.

Up to 3 Circus Tutors will lead a 1.5 hour workshop with a wide ranging introduction to circus including lots of fun games, a wide range of skills including Juggling, Rola bola, Unicycle, Tightwire, Hat Manipulation, Skipping, Hula Hoop to name a few. We'll discuss your groups needs with you and tailor the workshop for your group.

If you wish to contact us please email info@cloughjordancircusclub.ie

Or phone us: Suzanne: 086 810 5319 Jo: 0863735232



Art D Studio July Exhibition

ArtD Gallery presents

SPELLBOUND

A series of paintings by Irish artist Chiara Trench capturing the beauty and colours of the Irish Landscape

From 03.07.22 to 30.07.22

www.artdgalleryandstudio.com



Website <https://www.artdgalleryandstudio.com/>

Nenagh Arts Centre events:

Emma Langford & Friends – Saturday 23rd July, 8pm, Tickets: €15.00

Running Time: 90mins including an interval

Emma Langford and friends bring the Birdsong Tour to Nenagh Arts Centre. Following the release of her acclaimed second album 'Sowing Acorns' in 2020, Emma Langford makes her highly anticipated return to live stages.

Music lovers will be no stranger to Langford's epic acapella folk anthem Birdsong, her gentle lament The Winding Way Down to Kells Bay, and soulful ballad Mariana, all of which received regular airtime on national TV and radio throughout the pandemic. You can expect to hear all these songs that got you through those lonely housebound days and lots more besides from Emma and friends.

Booking: <https://www.nenagharts.com/event/emma-langford-friends-2/>

Patchwork Piecing by hand – Tuesday 26th July, 11am – 1pm – Tickets: FREE but Booking is Required

During July we will be exhibiting the work of textile artist, Loretta O'Brien, in her latest exhibition of patchwork quilts, Kandinsky, Triangles and Thread.

This workshop will be led by Loretta, a self-confessed "patchwork addict" and community educator who has been quilting for 40 years and has a mission to share her love of sewing with others.

In this workshop Loretta will teach some of the more unusual piecing techniques for patchwork, such as Tanuki, which involves diamond and square patterns. This workshop will provide you with inspiration and skills that you will be able to use in your textile creations in the future.

The workshop will involve simple hand sewing. No experience is necessary and all over 16s are welcome.

Generously supported by the Arts Council, so FREE of charge to you.

Places are limited so book yours below now.

<https://www.nenagharts.com/event/patchwork-piecing-by-hand/>

Make and Chat: Meet Van, the Crochet Expert – Thursday 28th July, 11am – 1pm – FREE DROP-IN SESSION – No Booking Required

Have you always wanted to try crochet? Or maybe you would like to meet more creative people. Whether you're an expert or a beginner, everyone is welcome at our regular Meet and Chat session. This session will involve Van Geraghty, crochet expert, who can help you learn new techniques or brush up old ones.

Knitting and stitching expertise will also be on hand if you are a beginner, with basic materials to start you off provided. Bring along your latest creation or whatever you're working on and join us for a cuppa and some communal craft time.

Generously supported by the Arts Council, so FREE of charge to you.

No need to book, just turn up, DROP-IN SESSION.

More Info: <https://www.nenagharts.com/event/make-and-chat-meet-van/>

Nenagh Arts Drama & Summer Camp with Altitude Arts & Class Act Acting – Tuesday 2nd – Saturday 6th August, 11.30am – 3.30pm Tickets: €99.00

Ages 7-12 years

Let your child unleash their creativity! Join us for some fun with drama, games, mask making, puppetry, clowning, photography and lots more!

Booking: <https://www.nenagharts.com/event/nenagh-arts-drama-summer-camp/>

Well by Pat Shortt & Faye Shortt – Saturday 24th September, 8pm, Tickets: €30.00

Running Time: 110mins including an interval

Since collaborating, this comic Father and Daughter duo have written and performed two hilarious online shows 'The Wellness hour with Paaah and Sile' and 'Pat Shortt's Comedy Heads'. Now the pair bring their madcap characters to the stage in 'Well'. The show follows the unfortunate demise of Dad and Daughter Country and Irish music duo as they attempt to ascend the heights of their local music scene by playing a gig in the town's hotel. 'Well' showcases the extraordinary comedy talents of this funny pairing and their exceptional ability to bring humour to the most everyday situation with an array of superbly funny characters.

Booking: <https://www.nenagharts.com/event/well-by-pat-shortt-faye-shortt/>



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Do you have information to include?

The aim of our newsletter is to highlight the work of Tipperary County Council Arts Office, work by Tipperary artists / groups throughout the County and opportunities / events of interest to our subscribers. To submit information for inclusion in our Newsletters:

Please send us your information to artsoffice@tipperarycoco.ie with the text 'next arts bulletin' in the subject line. Submit your text only information under the following headings:

Title entry: (10 words or less) Short title to grab people's attention

Main entry: (500 words max.) The main content of your submission, make sure to include dates, location, cost (if any)

Contact info: (100 words max.) A contact name, phone number, email are essential. Please send your information as text only, no PDF's etc as these items can't be included.



www.whatsonintipp.ie

Is an online festival calendar to highlight and promote Festivals and Events across Tipperary which has been developed by Tipperary County Council.

In addition to being a promotional tool for events taking place throughout Tipperary, this online festival calendar will also facilitate organisers in planning event dates by providing an accessible reference point for as many of the County's Cultural, Community and Sporting events as possible, acting as a "clash" calendar for organisers when setting dates for festivals and events.

The calendar is easy to use and organisers can register their events on the website. Cultural, Community and Sporting events are categorised under a range of headings and users may search by date or type of event. Categories include: Arts; Children's; Family; Comedy; Exhibitions; Fairs; Shows; Markets; Festival; Film; Heritage; Historical; Lectures; Readings; Music; Theatre, Sports & Outdoors.