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Welcome to the 2018 Cashel Arts Festival!

The theme for the festival this year is 'Reflections'. The arts are a personal reflection of ourselves – what we put into them influences what we take out of them.

A painting, play or song can have different and equally valid meanings which change, evolve and grow in response to mood, time, place or whim.

Our programme this year provides a palette of colour and creativity with representatives from the various branches of the arts and which the committee hopes will suggest, shape and cement a set of positive reflections to carry us through the long winter months. The festival promises, as always, to provide a rich weekend of culture and fun and we look forward to seeing you there.

Anne Marie O'Donnell *Chairperson*



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DOWN AND OUT IN PARIS AND LONDON

A man drifting through life, in 1920's Paris, scraping by in dead end jobs and generally soaking up the rich underbelly of Parisian life, finds himself falling helplessly short and discovering a very different view of life, looking up from below. With a keen understanding of social inequality and a wry sense of humour, he vividly recounts his experiences while down and out. This powerful performance from Phelim Drew brings Orwell's classic to the stage with humour, empathy and wit.

Date: Thursday, 20th September

Time: 8.15pm

Venue: Brú Ború Theatre

Cost: €15 (plus €1 online booking fee) Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com or Brú Ború: (062) 61122 /www.bruboru.ie



'Drew dominates the stage' Emer O'Kelly, SUNDAY INDEPENDENT 'Captivating performance' IN DUBLIN

OLD HANNAH

Old Hannah is a band from the west of Ireland who have taken a deep-rooted love of all things folk, country and traditional and have spun those influences into a unique and sophisticated sound that is both contemporary and timeless. Their influences traverse pop, roots and progressive rock. Pink Floyd, Fleetwood Mac, and Leonard Cohen come to mind throughout, as four deeply affecting vocalists explore themes of love and loss, light and darkness, progress and stagnation, anxiety and calm. It's accomplished, rare, and eminently listenable.

Date: Saturday, 22nd September

Time: 9pm

Venue: St. John the Baptist Cathedral,

John St.

Cost: €12 (plus €2 online booking fee) Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com or at The Heritage Centre tel: (062) 61333



BOLTON LECTURE - CHRIS MULLIN

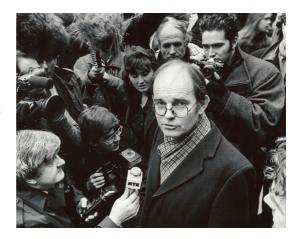
Date: Saturday, 22nd September

Time: 6.15 – 7.45pm Venue: St. John the Baptist

Cathedral, John St. Cost: €15 (+ €1 online booking fee)

Age Suitability: Adult

Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com or at The Heritage Centre tel: (062) 61333



In the 1980s, Chris Mullin led a campaign that resulted in the release of the Birmingham Six, victims of a miscarriage of justice. This lead to the Sun newspaper dubbing him the 'most odious man in Britain'.

Cashel Arts Festival is delighted to welcome Chris Mullin as speaker to our second Bolton Lecture. Chris Mullin is a former British Labour politician and diarist who was a Member of Parliament for Sunderland South from 1987 to 2010, serving as a Minister for three different departments. He is also the author of three novels including *A Very British Coup* which was later adapted for an award winning television series.

By the time he entered parliament he had reported from the wars in Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia and tracked down the survivors of the CIA operation in Tibet. In parliament he quickly established himself as fearless inquisitor, going on to become chairman of the Home Affairs Select Committee.

He is the author of three widely acclaimed volumes of diaries. *Hinterland*, which forms the basis for this lecture, is his autobiography, published in 2016 to critical acclaim.

There will be an opportunity for questions after the lecture.

FESTIVAL OPENING WITH JULIAN GOUGH

FREE

We are delighted to welcome author Julian Gough to open the 16th annual Cashel Arts Festival. A prolific author of both adult and children's books and short stories, economic satirist, sometime poet, former singer and main lyric writer with the band, Toasted Heretics. Julian won the prestigious BBC Short Story Award in 2007 - the world's biggest prize for a single short story.

Julian will also open Pádraig Grant's photographic exhibition and is involved in a range of events over the weekend for all ages. *New Inn Voices* will perform on the night.

Date: Thursday, 20th September

Time: 7pm

Venue: Teach Ceoil, Brú Ború Theatre

Cost: Free



THEATRE / DRÁMAÍOCHT

LUNCH-TIME THEATRE @ THE BRIAN BORÚ BAR

MADAM NONIE'S MONSTROUS PROPOSAL



Dates: Friday, 21st, Saturday, 22nd and Sunday, 23rd September Time: 2pm. Show lasts 50 mins. Venue: Brian Ború Bar. Lunch will be served at the start of the show. Cost: €15 adult /€7.50 child (incl. light lunch). Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com or The Heritage Centre: (062) 61333 Age Suitability: 9+ year olds

IRELAND 1988. Fifty seven years ago Nonie Madden left this town for America a pauper child; now she returns one of the wealthiest women in America. She offers the huge sum of 2 million pounds towards town development projects, but there is one terrible condition... which gives the townspeople an awful dilemma.

Cast includes Liam Ó Maoldomhnaigh, Karen O'Connor, John Hally, Ruth Barry and Seán Murphy. Written & directed by Paul Maher. Kindly supported by Tipperary County Council Arts Office.



CONTEMPO QUARTET

The Contempo Quartet is currently Ireland's National Television & Radio Broadcasters Quartet in Residence and is also the resident quartet on the West Coast of Ireland in the Galway Music Residency. Praised as a "fabulous foursome" (Irish Independent) and noted for performances which are "exceptional" (The Strad) and "full of imaginative daring" (The Irish Times), RTÉ ConTempo Quartet has forged a unique place in Irish musical life. This is a fantastic opportunity to hear the best of classical string quartet repertoire in the atmospheric setting of The Rock of Cashel.



Date: Sunday, 23rd September

Time: 8pm

Venue: The Rock of Cashel Cost: €15 (+ €1 online booking fee) Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com or The Heritage Centre: (062) 61333

CEDARTOWNS

FREE!

The Cedartowns are a roots/Americana infused sextet from Tipperary. Despite only having formed four years ago, the experience that each band member brings to the table is evident in their flawless playing. Vocals and instrumentals blend seamlessly with the blood harmonies of the Nugent sisters, Mary and Michele, giving a rich tone to their sound. Fresh off the launch of their debut EP 'Shelter', the band are set to play up a storm this Autumn with their shows always promising to be an engaging journey of nostalgia, humour, passion and energy. When you listen to the The Cedartowns unique blend of folk, trad and blues music you will finally realise what you have been missing!



Date: Sunday, 23rd September Time: 3.30-5.30pm Venue: Mikey Ryan's Garden Cost: Free but entrance strictly by ticket only; book your free ticket on www.cashelartsfest.com Age Suitability: All ages

RTÉ CONTEMPO QUARTET - FAMILY CONCERT

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Join the RTÉ ConTempo Quartet for a musical journey around the world. Everything from Bach to Bono including an exciting new piece for quartet and live DJ, Dave Kerr! St. John the Baptist Girls' National School choir, young soloist Bronwyn Stevens and pianist Ciarán Healy will also perform during what promises to be a highly enjoyable concert for all the family.

Dave Kerr: Producer/live electronics

Date: Sunday, 23rd September

Time: 2.00-3.15pm / Venue: St. John the Baptist Cathedral, John St. / Cost: Adult €10 / Child €6

Age Suitability: All ages. Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com

or at The Heritage Centre: (062) 61333





FARHAVEN



FREE!



FarHaven is the newest up and coming pop/folk duo on the live music circuit in Ireland. Their debut single 'Where The Heart is' reached the Top 40 in the Irish iTunes Chart. Conor and Eddie's live set of original material and popular covers has seen them play gigs and events nationwide.

Date: Saturday, 22nd September /Time: 12.15-1.15pm & 2.15-3pm / Venue: The Plaza

REFLECTIONS: PREMIERE PERFORMANCE OF TRADITIONAL MUSIC COMMISSION BY AIDAN O'DONNELL

Aidan O'Donnell (FIDIL) will write this new music as a way of highlighting the rich traditions of the local area. It will engage with the theme of 'reflections' and produce some new tunes to add to the traditional canon, marrying with existing pieces, and reflecting both the sounds of those who have gone before while creating reflections of a point of time for the future.

Date: Sunday, 23rd September

Time: 12-12.15pm / Venue: The Plaza





AOIFE BANVILLE



Aoife Banville is a visual artist who loves to transform the perception of a space by creating large scale, three dimensional art installations. She sees beauty in simple objects and is interested in using the object in multiple and repeat to create immersive and magical environments. Working mostly in the outdoors, she creates aerial sculptures that invite people to experience the work by looking up and letting their imaginations fly.

She is very excited to be creating an art installation for this year's festival and is looking forward to adding her dreamlike magic to the beautiful town of Cashel.



Date: 20th-23rd September

Venue: Moore Lane/ Back of the Pipes

WIRE SCULPTURE WITH IMOGEN STAFFORD



Visitors to the festival can watch Imogen Stafford create one of her unique wire sculptures on the wonderful public space that is the Plaza.

Imogen, from Wexford, began her career in sculpting after a spell in art college in 1986. She served an apprenticeship with Séamus Furlong who believed that one must learn anatomy as a stepping stone to sculpting successfully. Imogen mastered the wax process, and produced many pieces of work for exhibitions. She was awarded a gold medal for her display of roses at Bloom 2016 and her work has been displayed at the Sculpture in Context Exhibition at The Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. Her preferred materials to work with are chicken wire and straw, willow, bark, ivy and lime mortar.



You can see Imogen at work on: Friday 21st / 3-7pm Saturday 22nd / 11-1pm and 2-4pm Sunday 23rd / 11-1pm Venue: The Plaza

PÁDRAIG GRANT - DANCING WITH LIGHT

FREE!

Pádraig Grant is a street photographer, who runs a full time gallery in Wexford where he showcases his own work. His career started as a serious news freelance photojournalist in 1987. He spent the next fifteen years up to his neck witnessing all forms of human barbarity including Rwanda in 1994. He worked for many of the major Irish and international newspapers and magazines including the New York Times and The Sunday Times (UK) and Irish Times and Sunday Tribune (Ireland).



Dates: 17th - 22nd, September

Venue: Cashel Library

Times: Cashel Library opening hours

THE MURPHY PHOTOGRAPHIC COLLECTION



The Murphy Photographic Collection, a collection of photographs taken circa 1890-1932 in Ballinamona, Cashel, will be available to view on TV loop in Cashel Library.

Dates: 17th - 22nd, September.

Venue: Cashel Library

Times: Cashel Library opening hours



DICK GOUGH BOG OAK EXHIBITION



Dick is a sculptor who works mainly with bog woods. When possible he seeks to develop the natural shapes already presented in the timber.

Dates: 20th -28th, September

Dick will be at the library to chat about his work

on Friday, 21st at 7.30pm Venue: Cashel Library

Times: Cashel Library opening hours



VINCENT LAMBE

FREE!

Vincent Lambe was born in Dublin and studied at the National College of Art and Design, Dublin. He attended The New School for Social Research, New York. He studied landscape painting with Grenville Cottingham (Kerry School of Landscape Painting) and Henry Healy, RHA. He paints in watercolours and oils, favouring a free broad style and his subjects are landscapes, animals, the nude figure, portraits and still life.

Dates and Times: Thursday 20th / 11-4.00pm Friday 21st / 11-3.30pm Saturday 22nd / 11-4.00pm Sunday 23rd / 1-3.30pm Venue: The Chapter House



TOWN CENTRE STREET GALLERY

In celebration of Cashel's relationship with the Suir River, Tipperary artists (including Majella Ryan, Damien McCarron, Áine Casey, Petronelle Clifton Brown, Adeline Gaudery, Patricia Kelly, Naoise Kelly, Lisa Manton, Vincent Hannon, Michaela Back, John Cash, Seán Laffey, Cian Laffey, Sarah Corner, TY students and members of Clonmel Camera Club) will show their interpretations of The Suir in mixed media in shop windows throughout the centre of Cashel. A selection of pieces from students who took part in the inaugural Gerry Ryan Memorial Award for Excellence in Art in Cashel Community School will be on display as part of the street gallery.



Dates: 20th - 23rd September Times: 24 hour

Venue: Selected shops

DIET AND DILEMMAS



An interesting family collection of personal household management books dating from 1763 to 1960. They include recipes, methods of preserving food and cures for many illnesses. Also, advice on how to live without a cook and hints and help for those who had never cooked before!

Dates and Times: Thursday 20th / 11-4pm Friday 21st / 11-3.30pm Saturday 22nd / 11-2pm Venue: The Chapter House



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Free

TIME

10-5pm

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Thaumatrope Workshop	12-12.30pm	pg 20	€6
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Saurus (Street Spectacle)	1.15-2pm	pg 14	Free
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Lunchtime Theatre	2pm	pg 6	€15/€7.50ch
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CULTURE NIGHT/ OÍCHE CHULTÚIR / FRIDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER

Culture Night is brought to you by the Department of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht and the Creative Ireland Programme in partnership with Tipperary County Council. / An Roinn Ealaíon, Oidhreachta agus Gaeltachta a dhéanann comhordú ar an Oíche Chultúir, i gcomhpháirt le Comhairle Contae Thiobraid Árann.

CLOSE ACT THEATRE (NETHERLANDS) - SAURUS



Giant beasts from prehistoric times.

They are presumed to be extinct, nonetheless the biggest beasts that ever walked the earth return to the 21st century. With a deafening roar these Saurusses charge through the crowds, looking for food to calm their hunger. People jump swiftly out of their way having never seen such giant beasts before. There is a widespread sigh of relief as the Saurusses start eating plant life. Ah vegetarians!

Dates: 21st and 22nd September

Times: Friday 8.00pm, Saturday 1.15pm & 3pm

Venue: The streets of Cashel Age Suitability: All ages



STORYTELLING WITH JULIAN GOUGH _____



Julian has published four novels, three children's books, and a collection of peculiar poems. He also wrote the ending to the world's most popular computer game, Minecraft. Julian will read from his Rabbit and Bear books.



Time: 3.45 – 4.45pm Venue: Cashel Library Age Suitability: 5-8 year olds. Cost: Free but booking essential at Cashel Library tel: (062) 63825

POETRY HOUR -RECITATION FOR YOUNG STUDENTS





Time: 5.30-6.30pm Venue: Cashel Library Age Suitability: 8+ year olds

Through the art of recitation, poetry becomes a living expression of the poet's thoughts on a wide variety of topics. Students are encouraged to reflect on and appreciate the themes, emotions, descriptions and choice of words used in their chosen poem and convey these through vocal variety.



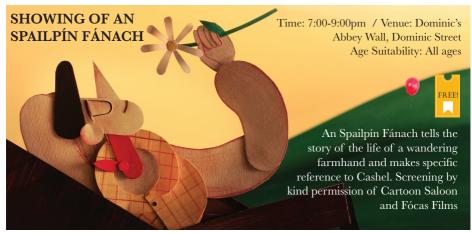
CULTURE NIGHT YOUTH CONCERT



Music unites people. Cashel Arts Festival invites you to a very special concert featuring performances from young talented musicians and singers from music schools in the local area. You will dive into the magical world of music and become acquainted with different genres of music from classical to contemporary.



Time: 6:00-7:00pm / Venue: St. John's Cathedral, John St. / Free tickets are available to book on www.cashelartsfest.com or at The Heritage Centre tel: (062) 61333 or on the door subject to availability. /Age Suitability: All ages



DRUMMING FOR EVERYONE WITH JABBA JABBA JEMBE



Children, teenagers, parents, adults and grand-parents alike! Come join David Day of Jabba Jabba Jembe for this community drumming circle and join in the fun of Culture Night. Experience the excitement, energy and satisfaction of making music in-the-moment together at these energy packed interactive drop in workshops.

Times: Workshop 1: 5.30-6.30pm Workshop 2: 8.45-9.30pm Venue: The Plaza Booking: Drop in

TELL US A STORY / SCÉAL SCÉALAÍ



Nuala Hayes is an Actor, Storyteller and independent Radio Producer. She has collected oral stories in the Midlands of Ireland and on Cape Clear Island, Co. Cork. As a storyteller she has a vibrant interactive style and she believes the listener is as important as the teller. Her stories are drawn from Irish folklore, myths and legends.

Nuala will share her bilingual stories which are suitable for families with children from 4 years and upwards.

Time: 6:00-7:00pm

Venue: The Chapter House Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com

or at The Heritage Centre: (062) 61333 Gaeilge



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CULTURE NIGHT/ OÍCHE CHULTÚIR / FRIDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER



JULIAN GOUGH - A READING FROM 'CONNECT'.

FREE

Nevada; the near future; a family in crisis. Biologist and single mother Naomi is worried about the impact her ground-breaking research might have on the world. And the impact the world might have on her painfully awkward home-schooled, ever growing teenage son, Colt. Colt is so brilliant he can code virtual realities our world hasn't even thought of yet and so socially inept he struggles to order a takeaway pizza.

'A tour the force' - JOSEPH O'CONNOR 'A work of genius' - DONAL RYAN.

Time: 8pm

Venue: Cashel Library Age Suitability: Adult

Cost: Free but booking at Cashel Library

advised tel: (062) 63825



SCREENING OF GRADUATE FILMS



Cashel Arts Festival is delighted to present four films from the 2018 graduate class of the National Film School Dún Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design and Technology. The short films selected focus on relevant topics Irish life today: heritage and belonging, isolation, wasting life and the purpose of art.



Time: 9:00-10:00pm

Venue: Rock of Cashel, Audio Visual Theatre Cost: Free but entrance strictly by ticket only; book your free ticket on www.cashelartsfest.com

Age Suitability: Adult

AUTHOR MARGARET HICKEY TALKS ABOUT HER NEW BOOK 'IRELAND'S GREEN LARDER'

Ireland's Green Larder is three books in one. It's a history, it's a cookbook and it's a storybook. Recipes are dotted here and there, but principally it is a beautifully illustrated history of Ireland seen through the prism of food and drink. Darina Allen has praised it, saying it is 'Enchantingly written... An authoritative resource as well as an entertaining and enlightening read.' Photo: Martin Venn



Date: Saturday, 22nd September / Time: 1:30-2:30pm Venue: Yellow Stripe Tent / Cost: €6 / Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com or The Heritage Centre: (062) 61333

CHEESE AND BEER TASTING WITH PJ RYAN OF CASHEL FARMHOUSE CHEESEMAKERS



Date: Saturday, 22nd September Time: 3:00-4:00pm Venue: Yellow Stripe Tent Cost: €10 Booking: www.cashelartsfest.com or The Heritage Centre: (062) 61333

Cheese and Wine are said to go together but many experts believe that beer is actually a better, tastier cheese companion. Let PJ Ryan from Cashel Farmhouse Cheesemakers convince you, with this interactive tasting to find the perfect beer and cheese combination.



A TASTE OF CASHEL

Cashel Arts Festival is delighted to have teamed up with local food retailers and producers to create the Taste of Cashel food experience. Indulge your taste buds and savour the flavour of the wide variety of high quality local produce in this celebration of the richness of Tipperary and Irish food culture. Look out for the various food stalls outside participating retailers on the streets of Cashel.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

You purchase 'taste tickets' and exchange a ticket for a taste of food or drink.

1 tickets costs €2.50 5 tickets costs €12.00 10 tickets cost €20.00

For 1 ticket you receive a tasting at any of the venues. Buy as many tickets as you like! Saurus will make two appearances during the afternoon 1.15pm and 3.00pm and FarHaven will provide live music on the street at 12.15pm and 2 pm

Date: Saturday, 22nd September Time: 11am-3pm Venues: See website and Facebook page for full listings. Booking: At the Heritage Centre tel: (062) 61333 or on the Plaza on the day.

BABCOCK AND BOBBINS

and Bobbins Babcock have performed all over Ireland, from Belfast to Ballina and from Coleraine to Cork. Now, they're coming to Cashel with their super mix of traditional circus, slapstick comedy and circus skills, which include Fire Juggling, Stilt Walking, Rola Bola, Giraffe Unicycle, Fire Breathing and more! There will be plenty of opportunities for audience participation and lots and lots of laughs. An experience that the entire family will enjoy.

Date: Sunday, 23rd September Time: 12.30pm and 3.15pm Venue: The Plaza, Main St. Age Suitability: All the family



CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS

Traditional craftspeople from all over the country will be demonstrating their crafts in an interactive setting. Come and experience basket weaving, stone masonry, pottery, butter making, spinning and a blacksmith at work. This will be an opportunity to meet and talk with the people who are continuing Ireland's long tradition of crafts.



Date: Sunday, 23rd September Time: 12-4pm

Venue: The Plaza

FRIDAY 21ST



LANTERN MAKING WORKSHOP

Drop in to the Yellow Stripe Tent between 5pm-7pm on Culture Night to make a lantern with Elke Wilson.



SATURDAY 22ND



SONGWRITING WORKSHOP WITH THE CEDARTOWNS

Learn how to create your own song in this workshop led by Mary Nugent and Tom Kenna from the Cedartowns. With a strong focus on self expression, confidence building, collaboration and creativity this workshop is aimed at those with an interest and enthusiasm in learning or developing their skills in a friendly environment. No previous song writing experience necessary, just lots of enthusiasm!.

Time: 2-4pm

Venue: Spafield Family Resource Centre Cost: €10 / Age Suitability: 12-18 year olds

SATURDAY 22ND

SEE THE SUIR THROUGH A LENS -

A walking tour with photographer John Cash

Join photographer John Cash on a River Suir photography walk from his native Golden to Cashel. Learn about photography, wildlife & history along the way. Bring your camera and picnic lunch.

Time: 10.30am-1pm

Cost: €10

Meeting point: Meet at Chapel Lane in Golden. Please arrange to be picked up at Camus Park Stud gate at 1pm. Please note all workshops can only be booked online at www.cashelartsfest.com until 16th September 2018. If spaces remain thereafter they can be booked at the Heritage Centre. Spaces are limited and early booking is advised.

SATURDAY 22ND



SEWING WORKSHOPS WITH OKSANA CARIOVA

Choose between 'Personalise your own pillowcase' or 'Dress your Dolly or Teddy'.

Times: Decorative Pillowcase: 10.30am-1:00pm Dress Your Dolly/Teddy: 2:00-4.30pm (Bring your dolly or teddy)

Venue: Spafield Family and Resource Centre Cost: €10 / Age Suitability: 8-12 year olds



SATURDAY 22ND



PAPER PANTHER WORKSHOP

Thaumatrope: Create an optical animation toy!

Times: 11-11.30am or 12-12.30pm Venue: Spafield Family Resource Centre Cost: €6 / Age Suitability: 4-8 year olds



Flipbook: Bring your story to life using this camera-less animation tool!

Time: 2-3.30pm

Venue: Spafield Family Resource Centre Cost: €8 /Age Suitability: 7 + year olds.

SATURDAY 22ND

VINCENT LAMBE PAINTING WORKSHOP

In this two part workshop, Vincent will do a still life demonstration in watercolour.

Participants will then be given an opportunity to paint the still life or something from their own reference photo. Vincent will take time to help and advise each participant on the method he has demonstrated. Participants are welcome to paint in watercolour or oils.

Time: 10.30am-4pm /Age Suitability: Adults only Venue: Spafield Family Resource Centre Cost: €25 Please bring your own materials. See www.cashelartsfest.com for list of recommended materials.

SATURDAY 22ND



CHILDREN'S DRAWING WORK-SHOP WITH PAT LOOBY

This workshop will be based on the theme 'REFLECTIONS". Children will use a variety of media to explore this theme through drawing.

Time: Workshop 1 11am-12pm Workshop 2 12.15-1.15pm Venue: Yellow Stripe Tent, St. John's

Cathedral / Cost: €6

SUNDAY 23RD





RIVER SUIR INTERACTIVE DISPLAY

Map where you live in relation to the River Suir and find out the quality of the water in your local stretch of river. Living samples of water bugs found in the river will be displayed in trays for inspection through magnifying glasses.

Time: Drop in from 12pm-4pm

Venue: The Plaza

SUNDAY 23RD

WIRE WORKSHOP WITH SCULPTOR IMOGEN STAFFORD

In this workshop Imogen will guide you through creating a bird using chicken wire.

Cut and bend the wire to find the bird that is hiding. Finally, take your wire creation home.

Time: 2-4pm / Venue: Halla Na Féile

Cost: €15. Gloves are essential.

Age Suitability: 15+



SUNDAY 23RD

YOGA WORKSHOPS

Sanyam & Sangita are founders of the Tipperary Yoga & Meditation Centre. Yoga is their passion and way of life, which they warmly invite you to experience.

Venue: Halla na Féile

All mats, blankets etc. will be provided.

WORKSHOP 1

Yoga for children with arts and crafts



Time: 10-11.15am

Cost: €8 / Age Suitability: Under 12's

WORKSHOP 2

Asana & Pranayama

A workshop focusing on poses, breathing techniques & deep relaxation

Time: 11.30am-12.45pm

Cost: €10 / Age Suitability: Adult.

No previous yoga experience needed. **WORKSHOP 3**

Yoga Nidra & Meditation

Time: 1-2.15pm

Cost: €10 / Age Suitability: Adult. No previous yoga experience needed.

THE PLAY IT AGAIN COMMUNITY PIANO Throughout the festival

This beautiful piano, donated to the community by St. John the Baptist Girls' National School and painted by artist Neil O'Dwyer, will be on the Plaza throughout the festival for all to interact and share the joy of making music. Post any videos or pictures you take on Facebook. Surprise guest appearances. Come and play your piano!



LIGHT THE LANTERNS PROJECT

Elke Wilson is working with pupils from St. John the Baptist Boys' National School, St. John the Baptist Girls' National School and the Deanery School to create lanterns. The children will walk with their lanterns in the festival lantern parade on Friday, 21st September as part of Culture Night celebrations in Cashel.





DAYCARE AND TRANSITION YEAR STUDENTS **CROSS GENERATIONAL PROJECT -**

WITH AOIBHEANN MCCAUL

Drama facilitator and actor Aoibheann McCaul, best known for her role as Caoimhe Dillon in RTÉs Fair City, will facilitate this community engagement project which will Transition Year Students from Community School Cashel meeting with older members of the community, hearing their stories, developing them and sharing them with the public in a theatrical presentation.

This project is funded through the Creative Ireland Programme.

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JABBA JABBA JEMBE VISITS SCOIL CHORMAIC

David Day of Jabba Jabba Jembe is visiting the students of Scoil Chormaic on Friday, 21st of September and will share and make music in the moment with his African drums.

CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP WITH JULIAN GOUGH

Julian is visiting 4th/5th/6th classes from Little Flower N.S on Friday 21st September.

POP UP GAELTACHT / FOCAIL GALORE!

As part of Bliain na Gaeilge we are asking you to Tóg an Dúshlán Gaeilge; take the Irish challenge to make conversation in our native language. Anyone who has done Irish to Leaving Cert level doesn't just have the cúpla focail; they have focail galore! There are hundreds of words that we all know in Irish. Come check out our Balla Gaeilge (Irish wall) so you can surprise yourself with how much you know. We will have lots of local Irish speakers at our Balla Gaeilge during the festival. Is féidir linn!





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Gaeilge bheo
Irish belongs to us all

COMMUNITY ART PROJECT

Participants from the Men's Shed and Cashel Tidy Town worked with artist Aoife Banville. See the result of their work in Dominic's Abbey during the festival.

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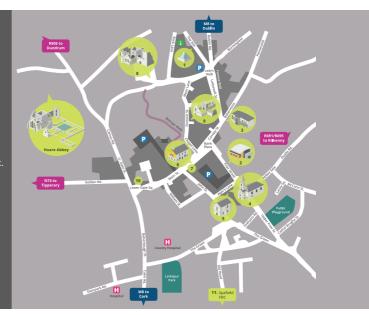
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VENUES MAP

- 1 Brú Ború
- 2 Cashel Library
- 3 Halla na Féile
- 4 Cashel Cathedral / Yellow Stripe Tent
- 5 The Chapter House
 Former Bolton Library
- 6 The Heritage Centre, Main St.
- 7 The Plaza, Main St.
- 8 The Rock of Cashel
- 9 Dominic's Abbey
- 10 Brian Ború Bar
- 11 Spafield FRC



ACCESSIBILITY INROCHTAINEACHT

All of our venues are wheelchair accessible and have toilet provision with the exception of events held at: The Rock of Cashel and The Chapter House. For travel and parking information see our website www.cashelartsfest.com

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