

CASHEL ARTS FESTIVAL

Féile Ealaíon Chaiseal Mumhan

10th-13th September 2026



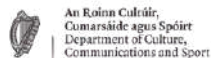
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Fáilte go dtí Féile Ealaíon Chaiseal Mumhan!

This year's festival theme, Threads, runs throughout the programme in many different ways. Threads of story and memory, threads of making and material and the connections between artists, audiences and community all come together across the festival.

Through music, visual art, street theatre, performance, workshops and conversation, this year's programme celebrates creativity and shared experience. Cashel Arts Festival continues to grow through the support and dedication of many people. We would like to sincerely thank our sponsors, local businesses, artists and volunteers whose generosity, work and enthusiasm make the festival possible each year. We hope you enjoy this year's festival and the many threads that connect the people, places and ideas within it.

Gillian Clifton Brown
Chairperson, Cashel Arts Festival

Online booking is available on www.cashelartsfest.com and tickets can be bought on the door, depending on availability.

Tickets for events held in **Brú Ború** can be booked on www.bruboru.ie or by phone on: **062 61122**

Booking is required for events held in the Cashel Library by phone on: 062 63825

Book early to avoid disappointment!

Please note that all tickets can be collected on the door at the event.



AT A GLANCE

VISUAL ARTS EXHIBITIONS

THREADS: TIME, MEMORY AND MATERIAL A CURATED EXHIBITION OF CONTEMPORARY GLASS PG 33

Below opening times on the lead up to the festival:

- 🕒 Friday 28th August : 11am – 3pm
- 🕒 Saturday 29th August : 1pm – 4pm
- 🕒 Sunday 30th August: 1pm – 4pm
- 🕒 Friday 4th September: 1pm – 4pm
- 🕒 Saturday 5th September: 1pm – 4pm
- 🕒 Sunday 6th September: 1pm – 4pm
- 🕒 Thursday 10th September: 3pm – 5pm
- 🕒 Friday 11th September: 12pm-3pm, 5:30pm-7pm
- 🕒 Saturday 12th September: 12pm-4pm and 6:30pm-8:00pm
- 🕒 Sunday 13th September: 12:30pm-4pm

- 📍 The Chapter House,
St. John the Baptist Cathedral grounds, John St.

EXHIBITION - BLUE SKIES AN EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS BY THE SENIOR STUDENTS OF SCOIL CHORMAIC. PG 34

- 🕒 10th – 23rd September
- 📍 Starbucks, Cashel Town Shopping Centre

Please see Starbucks website for current opening hours.

THURSDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER

IRELAND'S NATIVE HONEY BEE — A TALK BY AOIFE NIC GIOLLA CODA, GALTEE HONEY FARM, PG 6

- 🕒 11:00am - 12:00pm
🕒 & 1:00pm - 2:00pm
- 📍 Cashel Palace Hotel Gardens

FESTIVAL OPENING, PG 7

- 🕒 6:45pm
- 📍 Teach Ceoil, Brú Ború

MUSIC - PAT MARNANE PG 8

- 🕒 8:15pm
- 📍 Brú Ború, Cashel

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- 🎫 FREE ENTRY TO EVENT
- 👨‍👩‍👧‍👦 CHILD FRIENDLY EVENT
- ♿ ACCESSIBILITY

FRIDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER

CASHEL HERB WALK WITH PAULINE HANLEY, PG 9

- 🕒 11:00am & 1:15pm
- 📍 Starting point - The foot of the Rock of Cashel

A LUNCHTIME CHORAL PERFORMANCE BY CASHEL COMMUNITY SCHOOL CHOIR, PG 10

- 🕒 1:00pm - 2:00pm
- 📍 St. John the Baptist Catholic Church,
Friar Street, Cashel

CIRCUS SKILLS WORKSHOP WITH KATE MITCHELL, PG 11

- 🕒 Workshop 1:
6:15pm - 7:00pm
- 📍 Brú Ború
- 🕒 Workshop 2:
7:15pm - 8:00pm
- 📍 Brú Ború

FAMILY STORYTELLING WITH NIALL DE BÚRCA, PG 12

- 🕒 Session 1:
6:15pm - 7:00pm
- 📍 Brú Ború
- 🕒 Session 2:
7:15pm - 8:00pm
- 📍 Brú Ború

FLAME OZ - FIRE SHOW, PG 13

- 🕒 8:15pm
- 📍 The Rock Car Park

MUSIC - PADRAIG JACK WITH SUPPORT ACT JAMES DARCY, PG 14

- 🕒 8:30pm
- 📍 Rock Of Cashel

SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER

KIDS YOGA, PG 15

- 🕒 1st Yoga Session - 10:00am - 10:45am
- 📍 Halla Na Féile, Cashel
- 🕒 Kids: 3- 5yrs
- 🕒 2nd Yoga session: Time: 11am - 11:45am
- 📍 Halla Na Féile, Cashel
- 🕒 Kids: 5-10yrs

TALK - MARIE GLEESON, PG 16

- 🕒 11:00am
- 📍 Cashel Library

POETRY WORKSHOP WITH JENNY COX, PG 17

- 🕒 11:00am - 1:00pm
- 📍 Teach Ceoil, Brú Ború

SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER

ENTERTAINMENT ON THE PLAZA, PG 18

- 🕒 12:00-4:00pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel
- 🕒 St. Patrick's Brass Band - 12:00pm-12:30pm
- 🕒 Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann,
Cashel Branch - 12:45pm - 1:15pm
- 🕒 Burgess School of Irish Dance - 1:30pm -2:15pm

FACE PAINTING, PG 18

- 🕒 12:00-4:00pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel

CALVOS JUGGLERS PG 19

- 🕒 2:15pm -3:15pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel

SONGWRITING WORKSHOP WITH PADRAIG JACK, PG 20

- 🕒 2:00pm
- 📍 Teach Ceoil, Brú Ború

MOUNTMELICK EMBROIDERY WORKSHOP (ADULTS), PG 21

- 🕒 2:00pm - 5:00pm
- 📍 Halla Na Féile, Cashel

KIDS ART WORKSHOP WITH ART ROOM 109, PG 22

- 🕒 Workshop 1: Time: 11:00am – 11:45am
- 📍 Yellow Marquee, St. John the Baptist
Cathedral grounds
- 🕒 Workshop 2: Time: 12:15pm – 1:00pm
- 📍 Yellow Marquee, St. John the Baptist
Cathedral grounds

TALES OF THE VIKING AND THE GAEL - AN AFTERNOON OF STORYTELLING WITH NIALL DE BÚRCA (AGES 16+), PG 23

- 🕒 4:00pm
- 📍 Yellow Marquee,
St. John the Baptist Cathedral grounds

BOLTON LECTURE - CAOILFHIONN GALLAGHER, PG 24

- 🕒 6:45pm - 8:00pm
- 📍 St. John The Baptist Cathedral

MUSIC - BROTHERS MOVING WITH SUPPORT ACT MacHENRY AND THE DOG ROSES, PG 25

- 🕒 8:30pm
- 📍 Brú Ború

SUNDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER

PILATES WITH JOAN PG 26

- 🕒 9:00am - 10:00am
- 📍 O'Brien's Lodge Cashel

KIDS ART WORKSHOP WITH COLOUR & CO (AGES 5-7YRS) PG 27

- 🕒 10:00am - 11:00am
- 📍 Scout Hall

TALK WITH SHANE WALLACE - GREEK SETTLERS IN AFGHANISTAN IN THE WAKE OF ALEXANDER THE GREAT, PG 28

- 🕒 11:00am - 12:00pm
- 📍 O'Brien's Lodge Cashel

KIDS ART WORKSHOP WITH COLOUR & CO, (AGES 8-12YRS) PG 27

- 🕒 12:00pm - 1:00pm
- 📍 Scout Hall

MUSIC ON THE PLAZA - DR. O'HURLEY PIPE BAND PG 29

- 🕒 1:00pm - 1:30pm
- 📍 The Plaza

MUSIC ON THE PLAZA - FLÚIRSE PG 29

- 🕒 2:00pm 2:45pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel

LATVIAN DANCING - KARBUNKLIS DANCERS, PG 29

- 🕒 3:00pm - 3:20pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel

MUSIC ON THE PLAZA - THE GROOVE REPUBLIC, PG 29

- 🕒 3:30pm - 4:30pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel

STREET ENTERTAINMENT - BUBBLE THEATRE, PG 30

- 🕒 Show 1 Bubble Display:
12:15pm - 1:00pm
- 📍 Oliver Plunkett Park, Cashel
- 🕒 Show 2 Bubble Walkabout:
2:00pm - 2:45pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel
- 🕒 Show 3 Bubble Walkabout:
3:30pm - 4:15pm
- 📍 The Plaza, Cashel

AUTHOR TALK WITH LEONA FORDE - MISCHIEF, MAYHEM AND MILLY MCCARTHY, PG 31

- 🕒 2:30pm
- 📍 Yellow Marquee,
St. John the Baptist Cathedral grounds

THEATRE - ROSIE & SHÚ SHÚ BY CAHAL FLYNN PG 32

- 🕒 7:15pm
- 📍 Brú Ború

NATURE TALK CAINT NÁDÚIR

IRELAND'S NATIVE HONEY BEE

- a talk by Aoife Nic Giolla Coda, Galtee Honey Farm

Thursday, 10th September

Morning talk: 11:00am - 12:00pm

Afternoon talk: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Cashel Palace Hotel



Ticket: €8 Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.
Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Step into the fascinating world of bees during this immersive one-hour experience set within the beautiful grounds of Cashel Palace, home to carefully managed hives cared for by Galtee Honey Farm.

Guided by beekeeper Aoife Nic Giolla Coda, guests will discover the remarkable story of Ireland's Native Irish Honey Bee and its vital role in biodiversity, food production, and our shared natural heritage. This engaging experience explores the rich history of beekeeping in Ireland, ancient traditions surrounding honey and mead, and the importance of protecting pollinators for future generations.

Visitors will learn about the inner workings of a honey bee colony, seasonal life within the hive, and the craft and heritage of modern Irish beekeeping. Along the way, hear stories from life as a working beekeeper managing hives across the Irish countryside and discover how conservation, sustainability, and artisan food production connect at Galtee Honey Farm.

THURSDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER

FESTIVAL OPENING OSCAILT OIFIGIÚIL

OFFICIAL OPENING OF 23RD CASHEL ARTS FESTIVAL

Thursday, 10th September

6:45pm

Teach Ceoil, Brú Ború
All welcome



Ticket: Free event, all welcome



Join us for the opening of this year's Cashel Arts Festival, 2026. Our Chairperson Gillian will welcome you to what promises to be a wonderful weekend of arts and creativity.

We are delighted to be joined by former Irish Navy Captain and leadership speaker Marie Gleeson, who will give a short address to open the festival.

The evening will also feature a very special performance by Pádraig Jack, who will perform the song he was commissioned to write especially for Cashel Arts Festival. We will also enjoy a mesmerising walkabout performance throughout the evening by Calvos contact jugglers.

We are also delighted to have a special performance by Pat Marnane in the Brú Ború Theatre as he launches his new album *Music, Memories, My Piano and Me*. Please see *page 8* for ticket information for Pat's performance.

THURSDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER

PAT MARNANE

Thursday, 10th September

8.15pm

Brú Ború


Ticket: €20 | Book online at www.bruboru.ie or contact 062 61122
Pre-booking essential as places are limited.
In association with


Cashel Arts Festival is proud to host a very special performance by Pat Marnane, as he launches his new album *Music, Memories, My Piano and Me*.

A familiar figure behind the scenes at the festival for many years through his work in sound production, Pat steps into the spotlight this year to share a deeply personal collection of songs - his first full album of original material.

With a musical journey spanning over four decades across Ireland and the United States, Pat brings a lifetime of experience to the stage. His new songs are built on storytelling and rich melodies, reflecting on the roads travelled, the people met, and the memories that have stayed with him.

The album features heartfelt pieces such as “*Another Road*”, a song about finding your way back to what you love, and “*This Road I Ride*”, inspired by years of touring across America. At its emotional core is “*For Sheila*”, a moving tribute to his late mother, celebrating a shared life filled with music and fond memories.

This launch performance is a particularly meaningful one, taking place close to home and within a festival that has long been part of Pat’s musical life. Joined by a full band, he looks forward to bringing these songs to life in a special evening of music, reflection, and connection. A night not to be missed.

GUIDED WALK *SIÚLÓID TREORAITHE*

CASHEL HERB WALK WITH PAULINE HANLEY

Friday, 11th September

11:00am and 1:15pm

Starting point - The foot of the Rock of Cashel


Ticket: €5
Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.
Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com


The Cashel Herb Walk is a gentle guided walk from the Rock of Cashel into the historic heart of the town, exploring wild and cultivated plants that have shaped local life for centuries. Along the route, participants meet familiar herbs of the hedgerow and monasteries - plantain, cleavers, nettle, yarrow, meadowsweet and more - and discover their roles in traditional healing, food, folklore, and medieval daily life.

MUSIC

CEOL

LUNCHTIME CHORAL PERFORMANCE

with Cashel Community School Choir

Friday, 11th September

1pm - 2pm

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Friar Street, Cashel



Ticket: Free event, all welcome



Cashel Community School Choir is an award-winning choir known for its rich blending of voices and emotive storytelling. The choir consists of a senior choir, junior choir, and a dedicated girls' ensemble. The choir is guided and rehearsed under the passion and leadership of John Murray and Patrice Davern and supported by the highly regarded local choral director and pianist, Helen Colbert. The choir is a proud cultural ambassador for County Tipperary having performed in destinations like Barcelona and New York City, on RTÉ Lyric FM as well as at local and regional events.

Enjoy a musical pause in your day at this special lunchtime choir event.

WORKSHOP

CEARDLANN

CIRCUS SKILLS WORKSHOPS

with Kate Mitchell

Friday, 11th September

Workshop 1 (Ages 5+):

6:15pm - 7:00pm

(Please Note: Adults must accompany children for this workshop)

Workshop 2 (Ages 8+):

7:15pm - 8:00pm *(Please Note: Adults must accompany children for this workshop)*

Duration 45 minutes

Brú Ború

Ticket: €5 per child

Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Have you ever dreamt of running away with the circus? Well now the circus can come to you. Learn to juggle, spin a plate or hula hoop with facilitator Kate Mitchell. Kate has been teaching circus skills for over a decade and brings all her experience to Cashel in what promises to be a fun and interactive workshop.

WORKSHOP CEARDLANN

FAMILY STORYTELLING WITH NIALL DE BÚRCA

Friday, 11th September

Session 1 : (Ages 5+)

6:15pm - 7pm (Please Note: Adults must accompany children)

Session 2 (Ages 5+):

7:15pm - 8pm (Please Note: Adults must accompany children)

Brú Ború

Ticket: €5

Pre-booking essential as places are limited. Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Grab your seats and hang on tight... Niall de Búrca is coming to Cashel Arts Festival 2026!

Niall is a storyteller with a unique style that appeals to audiences worldwide. As a kid in the west of Ireland he listened to tales aplenty. He grew to be a Seanchaí who performs and investigates tales in amazing countries like Korea, Romania and India. Get ready for stories that will inspire the whole family!

SPECTACLE SIAMSAÍOCHT

FLAME OZ - FIRE SHOW



Friday, 11th September

8:15pm

Rock of Cashel Car Park



Ticket: Free event, all welcome

In association with



Explosive fire dancing at its finest.

FlameOz is the UK's premier fire act - a uniquely entertaining, multi award winning performance that has thrilled over 1000 audiences across more than 50 countries.

Exuberant showmanship, beautifully synchronised choreographies and dynamic, high impact special effects - all set to a funky, climatic soundtrack- ensure an unforgettable performance.

Please note: this is an outdoor event, so attendees are advised to dress appropriately for the weather.

MUSIC *CEOL*

PADRAIG JACK- Live at the Rock of Cashel

Friday, 11th September

8:30pm

The Rock of Cashel: Audio visual room.

Please note there are no toilet facilities at the Rock of Cashel and accessibility is limited.

Ticket: €20

Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com

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Padraig Jack is a bilingual Irish/English singer-songwriter whose music is rooted in Irish history, culture, language and storytelling. Born and raised in the Aran Islands Gaeltacht, his Celtic, folk and contemporary sound carries the deep influence of a place that has long nurtured great Irish writers and artists. An RTÉ Folk Music Awards nominee, Padraig was hailed by Hot Press as one of Ireland's best emerging songwriters. His song 'Making Sand' spent four weeks at Number 1 on the RTÉ Radio 1 Airplay Chart and earned him a nomination for Best Original Song at the RTÉ Folk Awards, firmly establishing him as one of Ireland's finest contemporary songwriters in both languages. This is a unique opportunity to see this talented artist in the historic Rock of Cashel

SUPPORTED BY:
JAMES DARCY

James Darcy is an emerging force in Ireland's singer-songwriter scene, crafting music that feels as honest as it is haunting. His intimate, acoustic live set blends stripped-back instrumentation with evocative, soul-baring lyrics. His songs capture the quiet intensity of real life—heartbreak, hope, and everything in between. His music nods to Ireland's rich storytelling roots while carving out a distinctly modern, indie-folk space, making each track feel timeless and deeply personal.

WORKSHOP *CEARDLANN*

KIDS YOGA with Mairéad



Saturday, 12th September

Session 1- Age: 3-5yrs,

10:00am - 10:45am

Halla Na Féile, Cashel

Session 2: 5-10yrs

11:00am - 11:45am

Halla Na Féile, Cashel

Ticket: €7

Please Note: This session is parent-accompanied - parents/guardians are required to sit in with their child.

Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

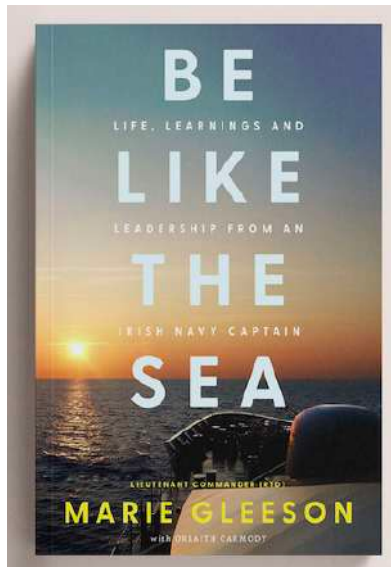
Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com

Meet Mairéad, a passionate Primary School and Kids Yoga Teacher dedicated to nurturing young minds and growing strong, happy hearts. With a warm, playful approach and a deep understanding of child development, Mairéad blends the joy of learning with the calming benefits of yoga. Whether in the classroom or on the mat, she creates a safe, inclusive space where children can explore, express, and thrive, building confidence, focus, and emotional resilience every step of the way. "I am so excited to share my practice with kids at the Cashel Arts Festival," says Mairéad. "It's a wonderful opportunity to connect through movement, mindfulness, and fun!" No experience or material required!



TALK & LITERATURE *CAINT & LITRÍOCHT*

MARIE GLEESON - Author Talk


Saturday, 12th September
11:00am
Cashel Library
**Ticket: Free event, but pre-booking advised on 062 63825**

Join us for an inspiring talk with former Irish Navy Captain Marie Gleeson, as she shares her remarkable story of leadership, resilience and navigating life's most challenging waters. 'The one thing you can't fully control in a ship is the water all around you, so part of your plan is always reading and analysing the currents and the tides. You have a clear image in your head of how you think the ship will perform in the prevailing conditions. But this time something isn't going the way we had planned it ...'

As a farmer's daughter in the country's largest landlocked county, Marie Gleeson's unusual career choice took her into uncharted waters. Working her way up from gruelling bootcamp training to leading a drug interdiction operation seizing €700 million of cocaine from a yacht off the Kerry coast, she was a leader among men and rose to every challenge. Developing a love of the sea, Marie learned that to be at one with it required agility, and a willingness to change, to go with the wind – not against it. These lessons prepared her for operating without a life raft when her personal life threw her the greatest challenge of all.

Be Like the Sea is the inspiring story of what happens when we overcome our own self-imposed physical, mental and emotional limitations, and a blueprint for charting our own unique path in life.

Marie Gleeson is a former captain in the Irish Navy. She is celebrated for her ability to translate her military experiences into valuable lessons for business and the real world.

WORKSHOP *CEARDLANN*

POETRY WRITING WORKSHOP

with Jenny Cox


Saturday, 12th September
11:00am - 1:00pm
Teach Ceoil, Brú Ború, Cashel
**Ticket: €10**

Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited. Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com

Uncover your creative voice with this engaging poetry writing workshop designed for writers/poets of all experience levels. Using unique prompts and writing techniques, taking inspiration from the historic town of Cashel, we will write together in a fun, supportive environment. The perfect opportunity to spark your imagination and get writing! Jenny Cox is a writer, poet and facilitator based in Tipperary. She has two published poetry collections and is the inaugural Poet in Residence for the South Tipperary Arts Centre where she runs the Word Sparks writing sessions.

STREET ENTERTAINMENT

SIAMSAÍOCHT SRÁIDE

Saturday, 12th September

12pm - 4pm

The Plaza, Main St.

Free event, All Welcome

On Saturday afternoon, Cashel's plaza will host a vibrant programme of music and dance, featuring a range of local performers. The event showcases a variety of talent, offering an enjoyable opportunity to experience the creativity of the local community.

Entertainment line up:

12pm - 4pm: Face Painting on the Plaza with Shells Facepainting

Michelle from Shells Facepainting brings colour, creativity, and sparkle to every event with fun, professional facepainting for children and adults alike. From butterflies and superheroes to magical designs, there's something for everyone.



12:00pm - 12:30pm: St. Patrick's Brass Band

St. Patrick's Brass Band has been in existence for an impressive 160 years and is always a welcome source of entertainment. Come listen as they play some all time favourites.



12:45pm - 1:15pm: Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann-Craobh Caiseal Mumhan

The Cashel Branch of Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann will entertain us with traditional Irish music.



1:30pm - 2:15pm: Burgess School of Irish Dance

Join us for a chance to see members of the Burgess School of Irish Dance in action as they display their impressive talent and skill.



STREET ENTERTAINMENT

SIAMSAÍOCHT SRÁIDE

CALVOS CONTACT JUGGLERS

Saturday, 12th September

2:15pm - 3:15pm

The Plaza Cashel

Ticket: Free Event, all welcome



In association with *Baileys Hotel Cashel*

Calvos are the UK's top performers of 'contact juggling' - the manipulation of glass balls that glide, float, dance and levitate surreally around the artists' hands, arms and bodies.

An elegant and unique walkabout act, Calvos combines distinctive fantastical costuming with superlative contact juggling to create an unforgettable real-life experience of magical suspended time and alternative physical laws.

Delightfully mesmeric and utterly astounding.

WORKSHOP CEARDLANN

SONGWRITING WORKSHOP WITH PADRAIG JACK

 **Saturday 12th September**

 **2:00pm**

 **Teach Ceoil, Brú Ború, Cashel**



Ticket: €8

Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



In this workshop, Padraig Jack will offer insight into his songwriting process, guiding participants through how ideas are developed into songs through lyric, melody and storytelling. A bilingual Irish/English singer-songwriter rooted in Irish culture, language and tradition, Pádraig is an RTÉ Folk Music Awards nominee and was named by Hot Press as one of Ireland's best emerging songwriters. His song Making Sand reached No. 1 on the RTÉ Radio 1 Airplay Chart, establishing him as one of Ireland's most compelling contemporary songwriters. This workshop offers a unique opportunity to learn directly from his creative approach and experience.

SATURDAY, 12TH SEPTEMBER

WORKSHOP CEARDLANN

MOUNTMELICK EMBROIDERY WORKSHOP with Dolores Dempsey

 **Saturday, 12th September**

 **2:00pm - 5:00pm**

 **Halla Na Féile, Canopy St., Cashel**



Ticket: €30

Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Immerse yourself in the timeless craft of Mountmellick Embroidery in this engaging, hands-on workshop. Whether you're a complete beginner or an experienced embroiderer looking to refine your technique, this workshop offers something for every skill level.

Mountmellick Embroidery is a white on white work that is entirely Irish in origin and design, dating from the early 19th century. It consists of bold designs of local flora and fauna worked on white satin jean fabric using white cotton thread.

Facilitated by Dolores Dempsey, a Master Craftsperson from Mountmellick, Co. Laois with 40 years' experience teaching, designing and creating unique pieces of Mountmellick Embroidery. All materials are provided for this workshop and each participant will take home their own handmade piece.

SATURDAY, 12TH SEPTEMBER

CHILDREN'S WORKSHOPS

CEARDLANNA DO PHÁISTÍ

PLAY AND CREATE

Sensory Art Workshop by Art Room 109

-  **Saturday, 12th September**
-  **First workshop: 11:00am - 11:45am**
Second Workshop: 12:15pm - 1:00pm
-  **Yellow Marquee, St. John the Baptist Cathedral grounds, John St.**

Ticket: €7 per child

Ages 1-5 | Stay & Play - parents/guardians are required to stay with their child.

Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited. Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Play and Create is a relaxed, interactive art workshop designed especially for toddlers on the move (ages 1-5) and their grown-ups. Each session is thoughtfully crafted to encourage creativity, connection, and messy sensory fun. With up to six open-ended art and sensory stations to explore, little ones are free to play, make, and move at their own pace—while grown-ups join in or simply enjoy watching the process unfold! Expect a welcoming space with lots of paint, colour and playful fun. Please note: this is a stay-and-play session. Children must be supervised at all times.

WORKSHOP CEARDLANN

TALES OF THE VIKING AND THE GAEL

- An Afternoon of Story Telling with Niall De Búrca

-  **Saturday, 12th September**
-  **4:00pm**
-  **Yellow Marquee, St. John the Baptist Cathedral grounds, John St.**

Ticket: €5, Ages: 16+

Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Niall has performed in such wonderful places as The Áras in Dublin and Kronberg Castle where Shakespeare set Hamlet. He's even performed aboard the Sea Stallion, a replica of a 1000 year old viking ship that was built in Ireland.

To quote the Vienna Review of Books: "His ability to evoke a wide range of emotions from his rapt audiences enables him to bewitch people with his stories and make listening to him as well as watching him an unforgettable experience"

An opportunity to immerse yourself in the world of storytelling as an adult, because adults need stories too!

BOLTON LECTURE *LÉACHT BHALTÚIN*

CAOILFHIONN GALLAGHER KC

Human Rights Lawyer



Saturday, 12th September

6:45pm - 8:00pm

St. John the Baptist Cathedral, John St



Tickets: €15 | Pre-booking is essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com

In association with **CASHEL PALACE**

Cashel Arts Festival is delighted to welcome Caoilfhionn Gallagher KC to give this year's Bolton Lecture.

Caoilfhionn Gallagher KC is one of the world's leading human rights lawyers. Over the past 25 years she has acted in many landmark cases in the UK, Europe and internationally, including representing bereaved families of the Hillsborough Disaster and the 7/7 London Bombings, and in test cases which have changed laws on children's rights, for survivors of abuse, and on access to abortion in Northern Ireland.

Internationally, Caoilfhionn's work for wrongfully imprisoned people has seen her take on governments around the world, and she has secured the freedom of over 85 wrongly imprisoned journalists, bloggers, cartoonists, businesspeople, and activists (and one rapper).

She is the world's leading expert on accountability for deaths of journalists and regularly acts for bereaved families of journalists killed for their work. Caoilfhionn was appointed a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts in 2017 for her "outstanding contribution to the protection of human rights," for devising a mass advertising campaign to highlight positive stories about the Human Rights Act. In 2023 she was awarded the President of Ireland's Distinguished Service Award and in 2025 she was Irish Tatler's International Woman of the Year.

MUSIC *CEOL*

BROTHERS MOVING

Date: Saturday, 12th September

8:30pm

Brú Ború



Ticket: €24 | Book online at www.bruboru.ie or contact 062 61122

Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

In association with **IRELAND**
CHAUFFEUR TRAVEL

Brothers Moving is an energetic and captivating band known for their raw, acoustic-driven sound that blends elements of folk, blues, and rock. Originally from Denmark, the band gained international attention through their spontaneous street performances, particularly in New York City. Their live performances are a whirlwind of infectious rhythms, powerful vocals, and tight harmonies, often transforming public spaces into impromptu concert venues.

The band's ability to connect with audiences through their passionate and unfiltered performances makes each show a unique experience, filled with an authentic, heartfelt energy that resonates deeply with listeners. Having performed on countless stages worldwide spanning from Moscow to New York City, Brothers Moving has gained an international audience of millions through their captivating live performances and raw musical energy. With their street performance videos amassing millions of views on Facebook and YouTube, they have translated that energy into five EPs and albums, sustaining a loyal fanbase with over 260k monthly listeners on Spotify. A rare opportunity to see this amazing band in Ireland!



SUPPORTED BY MacHENRY AND THE DOG ROSES

MacHenry and The Dog Roses' are a 3 piece folk band hailing from Tooreen in Mayo. Consisting of Ethan Henry (guitar & vocals) and sisters Elizabeth (harp & piano) and Victoria (violin) Burcovski. They got their first big break when they won the 'Night and Day' song competition in 2024, and from there, they have perfected their own unique sound. Touching on many different topics through their music, like dementia and wars, the band released their debut album 'After The Rain' on March 6th 2026. They hope their music will resonate with people that listen.



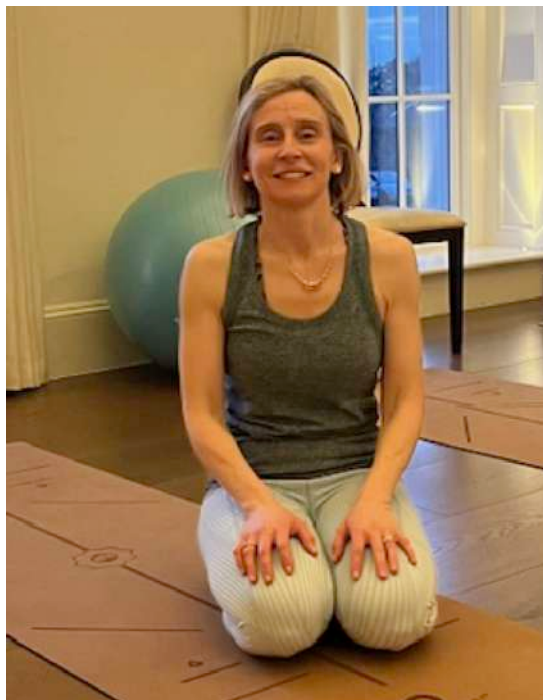
KORE PILATES WITH JOAN

 Sunday, 13th September

 9:00am - 10:00am

 O'Briens Lodge

Tickets: €10 | Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Join Joan for a revitalizing Pilates session in the lovely setting of O'Briens Lodge as part of this year's Cashel Arts Festival. Joan is a qualified Registered Nurse and Pilates instructor - mat and reformer pilates. She has been practising Pilates for over 15 years and has completed other training in bone health and pregnancy for pilates. Joan is looking forward to offering you a class that focuses on balance, strength, flexibility and mind-body connection. Please bring along mat and water.

SUNDAY, 13TH SEPTEMBER

CHILDREN'S WORKSHOPS

CEARDLANNA DO PHÁISTÍ

WINDSOCK ART WORKSHOP

(Ages 5-7yrs)

 Sunday, 13th September

 10:00am - 11:00am

 Scout Hall, Lower Green, Cashel

Ticket: €5

Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com

Join Lisa Manton of Colour & Co Art Studio for this super fun windsock workshop! Kids will paint, decorate, and add flowing paper streamers to create their own windsock, ready to twist and dance in the breeze. Whether it's a blossoming tree, a burst of pattern, or whatever catches their imagination, each child takes home a colourful creation that's completely their own.

Please note: Parents/Guardian must accompany children for this workshop



COLOURFUL SUNCATCHER WORKSHOP

(Ages 8-12yrs)

 Sunday, 13th September

 12:00pm - 1:00pm

 Scout Hall, Lower Green, Cashel

Ticket: €7 Booking: Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com

Let's catch some light! Join Lisa Manton from Colour & Co Art Studio as kids use special transparent coloured paper to design and piece together their own wooden-framed suncatcher, creating a stained-glass effect that glows when hung in a window.

Whether it's your favourite flower, an abstract pattern, or something dreamed up on the day, each child takes home a one-of-a-kind piece ready to hang, complete with hook.



SUNDAY, 13TH SEPTEMBER

TALK *CAINT*

HISTORY TALK with Shane Wallace

Title: Greek settlers in Afghanistan in the wake of Alexander the Great.

Sunday, 13th September

11:00am - 12:00pm

O'Briens Lodge

Ticket: €8 | Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



When Alexander the Great marched east, he changed the ancient world forever. His campaigns carried him from Greece to the borders of India, leaving behind cities, settlers, and a legacy that would endure for centuries after his death. This fascinating talk explores the remarkable kingdoms that emerged in the wake of Alexander's conquests across modern Afghanistan, Pakistan, and northern India.

Discover how Greek and local cultures blended to create vibrant and diverse societies, and uncover the archaeological discoveries, inscriptions, and monuments that continue to reveal their stories today. Join historian Shane Wallace as he traces the rise and fall of these forgotten kingdoms and examines what they can tell us about identity, migration, and cultural exchange in the ancient world.

About the speaker

Shane Wallace is the Walsh Family Assistant Professor in Classics and Ancient History at Trinity College Dublin. His research focuses on the age of Alexander the Great and the Hellenistic world, with particular interest in the cultural and political history of the Greek kingdoms that emerged across Central and South Asia.

MUSIC / DANCE *CEOL/RINCE*

Sunday, 13th September

1:00pm - 4:30pm

Plaza



Ticket: Free event, all welcome

DR. O'HURLEY PIPE BAND

1:00pm - 1:30pm

Founded in 1935, the Dr. O'Hurley Pipe Band performs at several cultural and social events throughout Tipperary and surrounding areas. They are always a popular addition to our festival.



FLÚIRSE

2pm - 2:45pm

Flúirse are an up-and-coming, dynamic young trad group from counties Laois, Tipperary, Waterford and Meath. Runners-up in the prestigious Siansa Gael Linn music competition in 2024, Flúirse comprises of Oisín Durcan, Róise O'Reilly, Laura Scott, Taidhg Dalton, Sorch Hennessy, Darragh Egan, Edel Conway. With deep roots in traditional Irish music and song, members of the group have performed at many festivals, at home and abroad. Their creativity knows no bounds, something which is heightened as a result of their friendship and unity as a group.



LATVIAN DANCING - KARBUNKULIS DANCERS

3pm - 3:20pm

Karbunkulis is a vibrant Latvian folk dance group with nearly 20 years of experience. Known for their infectious energy, passion, and great sense of humor; they have brought the joy of Latvian dance to audiences around the world—from Latvia to Ireland, the USA, Canada, Germany, Greece, and the United Kingdom. Based in Ireland, Karbunkulis delights local audiences each year by participating in various cultural festivals, showcasing the beauty and richness of Latvian dance traditions and the vibrant diversity of traditional costumes.



THE GROOVE REPUBLIC

3:30pm - 4:30pm

The Groove Republic are no strangers to the Irish Music Circuit! Regulars in the best of venues in Munster this Cashel based Band are sure to excite with a style that includes Rock, Disco, Soul and much much more!



STREET ENTERTAINMENT

SIAMSAÍOCHT SRAÍDE

LITTLE TOP STARS - Bubble Display

Sunday, 13th September

12:15pm - 1:00pm

Oliver Plunkett Park, Cashel



Ticket: Free event, all welcome

In association with *Baileys Hotel Cashel*

Little Top Star's interactive bubble displays bring movement, colour, and wonder to the day. Using custom-made strings and nets, they create everything from giant interactive bubbles to floating clouds of hundreds of tiny shimmering bubbles. Watch as vibrant bubble clusters drift through the air, captivating audiences of all ages. Perfect for admiring, chasing, and popping, these iridescent creations transform the space into a playful, dreamlike experience.



LITTLE TOP STARS - Bubble Walkabout

Sunday, 13th September

2:00pm - 2:45pm

The Plaza, Cashel

Sunday, 13th September

3:30pm - 4:15pm

The Plaza, Cashel

Ticket: Free event, all welcome

Little Top Stars bring Bubble Walkabout to life with their specially designed accessory belts, carrying everything they need to create bubble artistry on the move. Equipped with fans, foamers, wands, and foggers, they showcase bubble artistry through fog-filled bubbles, floating hand bubbles, intricate bubble sculptures, and playful foam.



TALK & LITERATURE CAINT & LITRÍOCHT

AUTHOR TALK WITH LEONA FORDE

- Mischief, Mayhem and Milly McCarthy

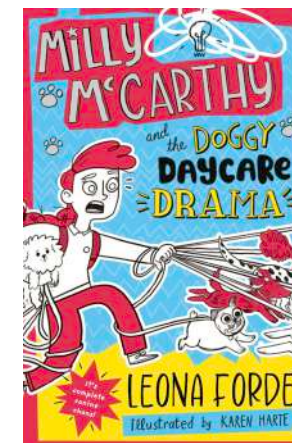
Sunday, 13th September

2:30pm

Yellow Marquee, St. John the Baptist Cathedral grounds



Ticket: Free Event | Pre-booking essential as places are limited. Book online at www.cashelartsfest.com



Leona Forde is a teacher from Bandon, County Cork, whose Milly McCarthy series (illustrated by Karen Harte) has become a favourite with young Irish readers. This bestselling series has received widespread praise, including from The Irish Examiner who called it a must for Wimpy Kid fans and from Aisling's Sarah Breen who hailed Milly a delightful new heroine for kids. The 2026 World Book Day title, Milly McCarthy and the St Patrick's Day Pandemonium, was a number 1 bestseller.

Leona joins us at Cashel Arts Festival for what promises to be a wonderful and inspiring talk for young readers and book lovers alike.

SUNDAY, 13TH SEPTEMBER

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THEATRE DRÁMAÍOCHT

ROSIE & SHÚ SHÚ by Cahal Flynn

Sunday, 13th September

7:15pm

Brú Ború



Ticket: €15

Pre-booking essential as places are limited.

Book online at www.bruboru.ie

In association with



We welcome back Cahal Flynn with his brand new theatre production, commissioned especially by Cashel Arts Festival. Rosie and Shú Shú is a story of choices and how we sometimes feel we don't have them.

A young woman's inheritance holds her like an anchor to her rural Irish parish pub. An old trickster tries to show her the importance of community and why we should never forget where we're from.

Meet the Cast

Sinead White-Fox is a Cashel based actor whose previous credits include performances in The Gaiety theater, film, TV and radio.

She is excited to perform again on the stage of Cashel's own Brú Ború Theatre and looks forward to bringing this wonderful play to life.

Cahal Flynn is the writer and performer behind the play Pure Medicine which toured the country in 2023. He would tell you more about himself, but there's a fair chance he'd be making it up.



VISUAL ARTS PROGRAMME FÍSEALAÍONA

THREADS: TIME, MEMORY AND MATERIAL Curated by Lindsay LeBlanc

THREADS: Time, Memory and Material is a curated exhibition of contemporary glass presented by the Glass Society of Ireland in partnership with Cashel Arts Festival 2026. Set within the Cathedral Chapter House, former home of the Bolton Library until 2016, the exhibition brings contemporary glass into dialogue with a space shaped by knowledge, preservation, and time.

Curated by artist Lindsay LeBlanc, whose practice explores memory, ecology, place, and narrative through glass installation, the exhibition reflects an ongoing commitment to site-responsive exhibition making. Featuring artists working across a range of glass processes and material approaches, THREADS explores ideas of archive, fragility, and transformation. Informed by the historical and ecclesiastical landscape of Cashel, the works engage with the architecture, atmosphere, and layered histories of the site, creating connections between object, material, and place.

Glass Society of Ireland

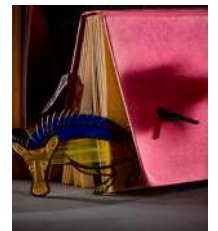
The Glass Society of Ireland (GSOI) is an all-island organisation representing professional practitioners working across the breadth of contemporary glass practice in Ireland and abroad. As a volunteer and member-run organisation, GSOI supports excellence in making, promotes visibility for Irish glass nationally and internationally, and advocates for glass as a vital and evolving material discipline. Its members are recognised through exhibitions, commissions, public collections, residencies, education, and research both nationally and internationally. Through exhibitions, events, publications, masterclasses, and professional development opportunities, GSOI continues to support and expand contemporary glass practice across Ireland while fostering connection and exchange between artists working in the medium.

In association with



Lindsay Le Blanc

Photographer: Aster Reem David.



Artist : Madeleine Hellier.

Photography by Philip Lauterbach.

EXHIBITIONS TAISPEÁNTAIS

Below opening times on the lead up to the festival:

Friday 28th August : 11am – 3pm

Saturday 29th August : 1pm – 4pm

Sunday 30th August: 1pm – 4pm

Friday 4th September: 1pm – 4pm

Saturday 5th September: 1pm – 4pm

Sunday 6th September: 1pm – 4pm

Festival Duration Dates & Times:

Thursday 10th September: 3pm – 5pm

Friday 11th September: 11pm – 3pm, 5:30pm – 7pm

Saturday 12th September: 12pm – 4pm and 6:30pm – 8:00pm

Sunday 13th September: 12:30pm – 4pm

The Chapter House, St. John the Baptist Cathedral grounds, John St.

EXHIBITIONS *TAISPEÁNTAIS***BLUE SKIES** -An exhibition of painting by the senior students of Scoil Chormaic.
 10th – 23rd September
Please see Starbucks website for current opening hours.
Starbucks, Cashel Town Shopping Centre

Blue skies is an exhibition of painting by the senior students of Scoil Chormaic here in Cashel. As part of their QQI Level 3 Art & Design Award, they explored landscape painting and the title of the exhibition was inspired by the song Mr Blue Skies by the Electric Orchestra.

Created on repurposed canvases that were primed with pink and coral colours, the artworks are a vibrant celebration of brushwork and blue tones.

When preparing their compositions they photographed the ever-changing weather and light in the sky from the Scoil Chormaic campus, but it is their individual responses to the landscape that make this exhibition so unique.

Using palette knives, brushes, sponges and cloths they described the skies above us all.

*Sun is shinin' in the sky
There ain't a cloud in sight
It's stopped rainin', everybody's in the play
And don't you know
It's a beautiful new day? Hey
Runnin' down the avenue
See how the sun shines brightly in the city
On the streets where once was pity
Mr. Blue Sky is living here today, hey
Mr. Blue Sky, please tell us why
You had to hide away for so long (so long)
Where did we go wrong?
Mr. Blue Sky, please tell us why
You had to hide away for so long (so long)
Where did we go wrong?
Hey you with the pretty face
Welcome to the human race
A celebration, Mr. Blue Sky's up there waitin'
And today is the day we've waited for*

OUTREACH *FOR-ROCHTAIN***CIRCUS SKILLS** with Kate Mitchell
In association with

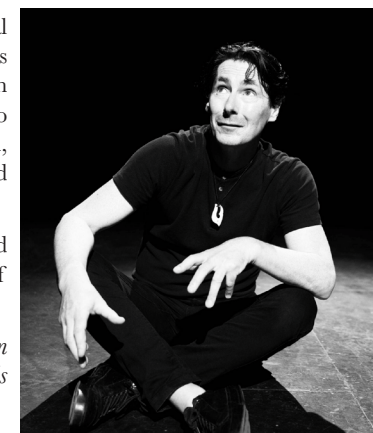

As part of Cashel Arts Festival's ongoing commitment to outreach and arts engagement, we were delighted to welcome Kate Mitchell to deliver a series of circus workshops throughout June for local schools and community groups. Through fun and interactive circus skills sessions, participants explored creativity, teamwork, confidence and movement in a supportive and inclusive environment. Alongside the schools programme, Kate also facilitated workshops with clients of the Daycare Centre, Youth Work Ireland and Brothers of Charity, bringing the joy and energy of circus arts to participants of all ages and backgrounds. These workshops reflected the festival's belief that access to the arts should be open, welcoming and accessible to everyone in the community. Kate Mitchell is a circus artist specialising in hula hoop and aerial arts, with a strong passion for youth and community arts engagement. Her work highlights the power of circus to inspire creativity, confidence and inclusion. We would like to sincerely thank the students, teachers and staff at The Deanery School, St. John the Baptist Girls' School, St. John the Baptist Boys' School, Scoil Chormaic, Scoil Aonghusa and Scoil San Isador Boherlahan. Many thanks to the clients of Youth Work Ireland, Cashel Daycare Centre and the Brothers of Charity Nagle Centre for their warm welcome, enthusiasm and participation throughout the programme. Festival audiences will have the opportunity to join Kate for a lively Circus Skills Workshop on Friday 11th September during the festival, offering children and young people another chance to experience the joy and creativity of circus arts firsthand.

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**STORYTELLING** with Niall de Búrca

As part of our outreach programme, Cashel Arts Festival welcomes storyteller Niall De Búrca into local schools for a series of interactive storytelling sessions. Through the power of live storytelling, pupils are encouraged to engage their imagination, explore creative expression, and connect with the art of narrative in a playful and inspiring way.

These sessions foster confidence, collaboration, and curiosity, helping to nurture the next generation of artists and dreamers here in Cashel.

With special thanks to the students and staff of Thomastown NS and Cashel Community School for welcoming this outreach programme to their schools.



OUTREACH FOR ROCHTAIN

COMMISSIONED SONG FOR CASHEL ARTS FESTIVAL

by **Padraig Jack**

In association with



Clár Éire Idirnách
Creative Ireland
Programme



As part of its commitment to nurturing new artistic work and celebrating local identity, Cashel Arts Festival commissioned acclaimed bilingual singer-songwriter Padraig Jack to create an original song inspired by the town's heritage, landscape and sense of place. Supported by the Creative Ireland Programme through Tipperary County Council, the commission will create a lasting cultural legacy for Cashel. The song will premiere at the festival opening, offering audiences a unique musical tribute created especially for the town.

Hailing from the Aran Islands Gaeltacht, Padraig Jack is an acclaimed Irish-English songwriter whose work is deeply rooted in Irish history, culture, language and storytelling. By commissioning original work from an established Irish artist, Cashel Arts Festival continues to support artistic development while strengthening connections between artists, communities and place through culture. This new composition will remain a lasting celebration of Cashel's identity long after the festival concludes.



COMMUNITY OUTREACH – St. Patrick's Day Parade Collaboration

Cashel Arts Festival collaborated with the Cashel 8th Tipperary Scout Troop and Cashel Girl Guides to create a vibrant entry for the Cashel St. Patrick's Day Parade. Responding to the parade theme, "Radio Active – 100 Years of Broadcasting," and this year's Cashel Arts Festival theme, "Threads," the float featured a giant glowing cable reel, a glowing thread of light and hand-painted banners created by the Scouts and Girl Guides during a workshop facilitated by Cashel Arts Festival. Together, these elements celebrated communication, creativity and community connection.



BROCHURE COVER DESIGN/ ILLUSTRATION - Andrew Dorland



Andrew Dorland is an animator, illustrator, and comic artist whose credits include work for RTÉ, Fox, Disney, and other leading studios. As founder of Bad Raspberry, he has built a reputation for creating vibrant, story-driven worlds across animation, illustration, and comics.

Created specially for Cashel Arts Festival, this year's artwork is the second in a trilogy of illustrations by Andrew celebrating the people, places, and atmosphere of Cashel during the festival. Following last year's lively festival scene, this new piece shifts to an autumn evening setting, where music, performance, and community come together.

Through his rich palette and playful detail, Andrew captures the magic that emerges when a town gathers to celebrate the arts.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS TÉARMAÍ & COINNÍOLLACHA

All information is correct at the time of printing but is subject to change.

Please check www.cashelartsfest.com and social media for up to date information and full terms and conditions.

ACCESSIBILITY/ INROCHTAINE

Venues are wheelchair accessible and/or have toilet provision with the exception of events held at The Chapter House, The Rock of Cashel: Audio visual room and upstairs at O'Brien's Cashel Lodge. Please note there are no toilet facilities at the Rock of Cashel and accessibility is limited.

Please contact us if you require further information or special assistance.

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