# Tipperary Cruinniú na nÓg 2025 programme







# 07.06.2025 Cruinniú na nÓg

### 'Faces light up Our World'

Art D Studio Borrisokane E45 WD29 9.30am -5.30pm Drop-in event

This year, we're inviting our amazing young creatives, our Super Artists, to dive into a world of colour, imagination and expression! Together, we'll explore and paint a dazzling array of faces, capturing every emotion and every shade from across the world.

With the fantastic support of the local community, children from all walks of life (including the incredible students of Scoil Mhuire National School in Borrisokane), and every young passer-by who wants to join in, we'll be transforming two giant 8-foot by 4-foot panels into vibrant murals filled with fun and personality.



**All welcome** 

# Cruinniú na nÓa

### Ceol agus Damhsa" le Cahir Comhaltas

E21K336 Castle Street Carpark, Cahir 11am - 1pm

> On Saturday 7th June, Cahir Comhaltas young musicians and dancers accompanied by their tutors will entertain a programme of "Ceol agus Damhsa" with a morning/afternoon event at Cahir Tourist Office Plaza, adjacent to Cahir Castle and Cahir Farmers market.

> This will be a fun display also, showcasing children from as young as 5 right up to 15/16 yrs of age.

### Cruinniú na nÓg Cahir Arts, E21 E004 Ceramics workshops

Everyone loves playing with clay, Cahir Arts is offering this creative activity from 2pm to 5pm to celebrate Cruinniú na nÓg.

This clay building activity is open to children 8yrs and upwards, with 4 activities available.

Activity 1: Making a pinch pot

Activity 2: Make a hanging tile.

Activity 3: slab building, make & decorate your own pot.

Activity 4: Coil building.

The items will be fired after the event and people can pick them up at the gallery 2 weeks after the activity. A pottery glazing activity is also an option on the day.

The studio can cater for 10 people at a time, max capacity: 30 participants.

**Duration: 30mins/1hour** 

All materials supplied.

Booking is recommended to cahirarts@gmail.com











### Cruinniú na nÓg Cashel Library Booking essential 062 63825

Slime Making Workshop 10.30 -11.30am Age: 6+ Young Engineers Cork Robotics Workshop 1.30-3pm Ages 10+

Interactive Storytime

12.30 -1.30pm For Ages 0-5 Dapa Dance Workshop 3pm - 4pm Ages 7+

Sensory Workshop with Sense- ational Kids 11.30am -12.30pm Ages: 0 -5

Drumming
Workshop with
Music Generation

4pm All ages welcome

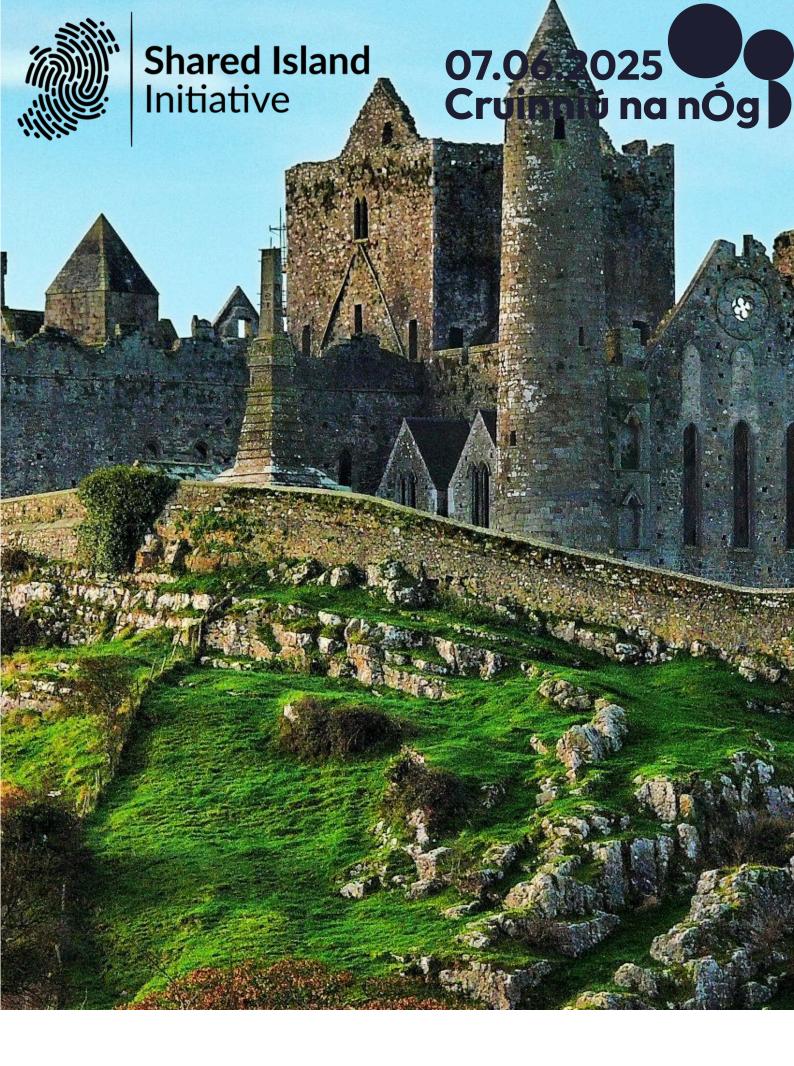














To celebrate Cruinniú na nÓg on a Shared Island, we are excited to bring two young communities in Tipperary and Armagh together to celebrate their shared heritage. Both areas are fortunate to share Royal Sites i.e. the Rock of Cashel and Eamain Macha or Navan Fort.

Both groups have been engaged in creative activities using our traditional skills such as weaving to make swords and shields. An exchange trip between both communities will take place in May and June.

The two groups are also making a short docu/film and learning skills from local film-makers. This film will be premiered on Cruinniú na nÓg in the Brú Ború Centre in Cashel and Navan Fort in Armagh.



# Cruinniú na nÓg

# Creative Space @ STAC Chapel

Kickham Plaza, Clonmel Saturday 7th June 11am - 4pm

For this year's Cruinniú na nÓg, we are turning the Chapel into a sensory-friendly Outer Space-themed venue!

11am-12pm: Story-time with Mary Hickey – Perfect for the 'little ones.'

12pm-4pm: Arts and Craft activities with our tutors – Open 'Drop-in' Style.



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# **History Unscripted: Exploring the past** through process drama

Cruinniú na nÓa

Museum of Hidden History,

**Clonmel** 11am - 2pm **Ages 10 -16** 

The sessions will use a process drama approach called Mantle of the Expert where children are framed as experts who explore real world stories and situations.

Objects and displays from the Museum collection will be used to inspire the workshops.

Drama allows children to understand an ever-changing world as well as aiding them to enter other worlds using their imaginations.

Dates and Times: Wednesday 4th June – 4-6pm and Saturday 7th June 11am -2pm – participants must commit to both sessions

**Booking is essential – contact** museum@tipperarycoco.ie or 052 6165252









### Jam at the Plaza Cruinniú na nÓg

Kickham Plaza, Clonmel Saturday 7th June 12pm-4pm

> Join Clonmel Applefest for a full day dedicated to youth creativity, packed with hands-on arts & crafts, live music and dance vibes from every corner of the scene – think hip-hop, rock, pop, trad and more.

> Explore your creative side with cool activities like sculpture, print-making, basket-weaving, collage and chalk street art. Feeling the rhythm? Catch high-energy dance and music performances that'll have you dancing along – featuring DR2, Kool Skool and Music Generation.

> The Junior Zone (ages 4–12) kicks off at 12pm, with interactive fun, including giant chalk floor-drawing, stone-carving, mono-printing, and making colourful paper mandalas.

Bring your friends, bring your imagination – and get ready to make some unforgettable memories.



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# Jam at the Plaza-Late

Kickham Plaza, Clonmel Saturday 7th June 4pm-8pm

Clonmel Applefest is throwing an epic youth takeover at Kickham Plaza – and you're invited! It's a full day dedicated to youth creativity, packed with live music and dance vibes from every corner of the scene – think hip-hop, rock, pop, trad and more.

Catch high-energy dance and music performances that'll have you dancing along – featuring DR2, Kool Skool and Music Generation.

A collective multicultural dance for all ages at 4pm will lead into lead into the Senior session from 4.30pm with a singer and band showcase, culminating with a headline set at 7pm by upcoming band The Charcoal Greys.





















Cloughjordan, Sat 7th June 12.00 - 4.30pm All welcome

> Come join Cloughjordan Circus Club on the Village Green in Cloughjordan for our Circus Picnic.

#### What's in store?

- Family Circus Skills Workshops for little people and their big people to work together.
- Storytellers let your imagination soar
- Live Circus Performance full of fun. surprises, and wow moments Whether you're tumbling, juggling, or just

chilling on your picnic blanket, there's something for everyone to enjoy. So, pack your sandwiches, bring your

friends, your family and we'll see you on the Green!

For more information and booking details please visit:

https://circusexplored.ie/cruinniu-nanog/cruinniu-na-nog-circus-picnics/



# Ring design workshop

MTW Jewellers, Nenagh E45 XN80 Sat 7th June 9.30am - 12pm Ages 13 - 18

Marie-Therese Walker from MTW
Jewellery is delighted to host a "Carve your
Own Wax Ring" workshop to celebrate
Cruinniú na nÓg.
Each participant will carve a ring from wax.

Creative Ireland

Each participant will carve a ring from wax.
They will learn how to measure and make their correct finger size, how to shape wax, add texture and pattern and how to use goldsmithing tools such as files and saws.

The wax rings will be sent to casters to be cast in Sterling Silver. After they have been sanded and polished the participants can collect them to wear and treasure.

Email info@mtwjewellery.com to secure your place.



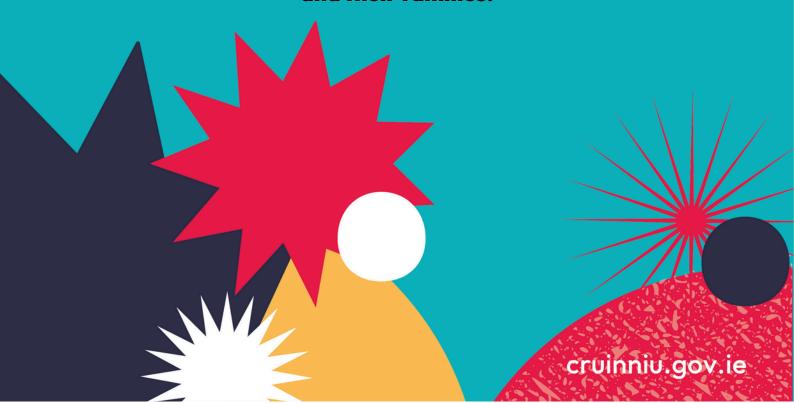
# The Magic of Irish Myths

Nenagh Arts Centre, Sat 7th June 12 - 12.30pm Suitable for ages 5+

Nenagh Youth Theatre are creating a series of short plays for children aged 5–11, written and performed by our youth members (aged 12–17). They have developed original plays based on Irish folklore.

These shows will be: Interactive Accessible for all children, including those with sensory needs Free to attend

A performance will take place on Cruinniú na nÓg for children aged 5+ and their families.













# Unity Youth Hub exhibition



Nenagh Tourist Office, E45 NX26 Sat 7th June

2-4pm All welcome

> During April and May the Unity Youth Hub in Nenagh and Borrisokane participated in a clay making project.

Supported by Ukranian artist Olha, the children will design, create a base and add clay pieces to assemble a fabulous house.

These fabulous artworks will then be painted and displayed at an exhibition in **Nenagh Tourist Office on Saturday 7th June** for their friends, families and the general public.



# Spreagadh-Open Mic Night

Source Arts Centre, E41 A4E8 Sat 7<sup>th</sup> June 6-8pm Email: tipperaryyt@gmail.com

Spreagadh is an exciting open mic night created for young people taking place in the Source Arts Centre, Thurles, on the evening of Saturday 7th June, this event invites teenagers aged 14–18 to take the stage and share their talents—music, poetry, comedy, storytelling and more.

This event is part of the Cruinniú na nÓg national day of free creativity for young people. Spreagadh means "inspiration" in Irish, and that's exactly what we're aiming to spark—by giving young voices a platform to be heard in a fun, welcoming and supportive space.

Whether you're performing or just coming to enjoy the show, this is your stage, your crowd and your moment to shine.



# Wonder Walls: Murang Workshops for teens

Source Arts Centre, Thurles E45 XN80 Sat 7th June, 12 - 4pm

**Ages 12-18** 

Wonder Walls for this year's Cruinniú na nÒq at The Source invites young people aged 12–18 years to bring their creativity to life through vibrant, collaborative murals! Participants will work together to create a mural alongside a professional artist in hands-on workshops and then present their work on Cruinniú na nÓg Day (June 7th). Spaces for advance workshops on the 24th and 31st of May are limited and can be booked through our email: admin@sourcearts.ie If you don't secure a spot, don't worry join us for drop-in sessions on June 7th and get involved in the creativity! Wonder Walls at The Source is brought to you by the team behind Waterford

Walls - The Walls Project.



### 'This is the Best Day of My Life'

Source Arts Centre, Thurles E41 K802 10am -12pm



The young people and children of Down Syndrome Tipperary will come together with a number of local groups to sign, sing and perform together celebrating music and communication in all its glory.

The project will be comprised of a development programme which will see our members learning to sign a number of songs, song which will then be performed in conjunction with and a local youth group, as well as a local youth theatre group.

We will also have sensory performances, drumming, showcase performances – activities that our members have been practicing since the last Cruinniu na nOg.

The group will perform in front of their families in the Source Community Arts Centre to celebrate all the hard work and the awesomeness of our members.

**Booking link** 

# Cruinniú na nÓg Thurles Library Booking essential 0526166131

Slime Making Workshop

12.30 -1.30pm Age: 6+

Young Engineers Cork Robotics Workshop 10.30am -12pm Ages 10+

Interactive Storytime 10:30am -11.15am For Ages 0-5

Dapa Dance Workshop 12pm -12.50pm Ages 7+

Sensory Workshop with Sense- ational Kids 2.30- 3.30pm Ages: 0-5

Drumming
Workshop with
Music Generation

2pm - 3pm All ages welcome











### Cruinniú na nÓg Tipperary Town Library E34 KP60 Booking essential 052 616 6126

Creative Potato
Stamps Workshop

2 - 3pm Age: 4 - 7

Creative Potato
Stamps Workshop

3 - 4pm Ages 7+

This creative Potato Stamp print workshop provides an opportunity for children to explore their artistic potential, create personalized prints, and appreciate the value of using upcycled materials in the process.

Line Dancing Display

4pm Ages: 10 -14 Connection through Sign Language

11am - 1pm Ages 8+

In the lead-up to Cruinniú na nÓg, line dancing expert Bernie Corbett will visit four schools near Tipperary Town to teach students some fancy footwork!

Once the children are ready to dance like cowboys and cowgirls, they'll take to the floor at Tipperary Town Library to show off their newfound skills on Saturday, 7th June at 4pm.

To celebrate Cruinniú na nÓg, as an inclusive festival for all, children from three schools near Tipperary Town will participate in workshops learning Irish Sign Language in a fun way through signed music, games and movement.

On Cruinniú na nÓg Day, all are invited to Tipperary Town Library, for a celebration, where the children will perform a piece through sign.











# Illustration Workshops

Youth Work Ireland Tipperary Town Youth Service E34 TH92 Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> June Ages 14 - 18

Join Youth Work Ireland Tipperary in Tipperary Town for a fun and creative illustration workshop to celebrate Cruinniú na nÓg!

Let your imagination run wild as local illustrator Gary Power introduces this workshop, focusing on drawing little joyful moments in daily life.

Two workshops available, booking through eventbrite

1-3 pm

4 -6 pm

**Book Session 1** 

**Book session 2** 



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