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Deireadh Fómhair - Mí na Nollag 2017

October - December 2017

Saorhead Isteach / Admission Free

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'The Volunteers' by artist Joe Caslin, on display in Clarke Square.

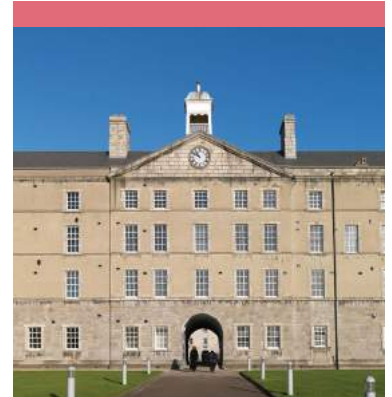
Ceardlanna * Léachtaí * Imeachtaí Teaghlaigh * Taispeántais * Léirithe * Cur i Láthair * Turais
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Deireadh Fómhair / October

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| Dé Domhnaigh 1 / Sun 1st 3pm-4pm | Caint / Talk | Dublin Festival of History: Funeral of Thomas Ashe Join Dr. John Gibney for a talk on the life of Thomas Ashe and the significance of his funeral, 100 years later. No Booking Required. | Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 12+ / Adults & Children 12+ |
| Dé hAoine 6 / Fri 6th 2.30-3.30pm | Turas / Tour | Dublin Festival of History: Armoury Tour A special behind-the-scenes tour of the armoury, where the Museum's arms collection is stored, with curator Lar Joye. Booking Required. | Daoine fásta / Adults |
| Dé Sathairn 7 / Sat 7th 10am-3.30pm | Comhdháil / Conference | Reflections in the Shadow of Sodeisha To coincide with the exhibition, Shadow of Sodeisha , which showcases the work of contemporary Irish and Japanese ceramicists, this one-day conference brings together a number of the exhibition's artists, along with art historians, curators, writers and critics, to explore the origins and impact of the Sodeisha movement. Booking required. Please see www.museum.ie for further details. Tickets 15 euro (10 euro concession) payable on the day. | Daoine fásta / Adults |
| Dé Domhnaigh 15 / Sun 15th 2.30-4pm | Ceardlann / Workshop | Open House Junior: Set Your Stage Create your own mini stage set! Join artist Deirdre Rogers for a family workshop using art materials from ReCreate. Design your own little theatre or costume inspired by the exhibitions and architecture of Collins Barracks. Booking Required | Families with children 6-12 / Families with children 6-12 |
| Dé Domhnaigh 22 / Sun 22nd 3pm-4pm | Gníomhaíocht 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity | Hands on History A chance to explore some of the artefacts from the Museum's collection of objects for handling with Museum educators - a fascinating drop-in handling session for all ages. No booking required. | Fáilte roimh chách / All Ages |
| Déardaoin 26 / Thu 26th 10am-1pm | Ceardlann / Workshop | The Shadow of Sodeisha-How it's Made Ceramic artist Michael Moore, co-curator and one of the Irish artists in the Shadow of Sodeisha exhibition, will facilitate a special three-dimensional art workshop using clay. Participants will be introduced to the exhibition and the Sodeisha movement, focusing on the making techniques used, followed by a practical session where participants will have an opportunity to create their own artwork inspired by Sodeisha. No prior experience necessary but booking required, 5 Euro contribution to art materials which will be provided. | Daoine fásta / Adults |



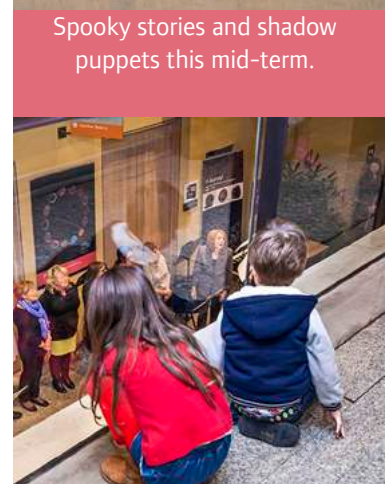
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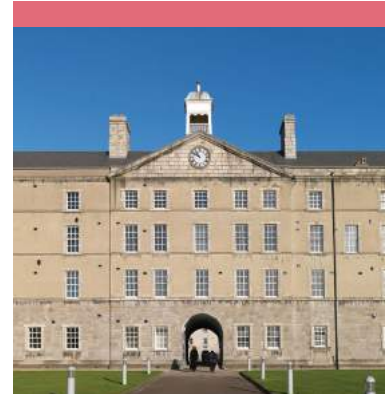
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| Dé hAoine 27 / Fri 27th 11.30am-1pm | Turas / Tour | Culture Club at Collins Barracks Culture Club, in collaboration with Dublin City Council, invites members to explore and enjoy the collections at Collins Barracks through a series of specially arranged guided tours and activities in the company of museum staff followed by 'Tea & Chat' and an opportunity to mingle. The Clubs take place on the last Friday of each month. In October join curator Dr. Jennifer Goff for a visit to Eileen Gray one of the most influential designers and architects of the 20th century and a leading member of the modern design movement. | Daoine fásta / Adults |
| Dé Domhnaigh 29 / Sun 29th 3pm-3.45pm | Turas / Tour | Public Tour: Proclaiming a Republic Join a family friendly tour of Proclaiming a Republic: The 1916 Rising exhibition. Explore some of the highlights of the Museum's extensive Easter Week collection. Tours at 2.30pm and 3.30pm. No booking required, places limited and allocated on a first-come basis 15 minutes before tour starts. | Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 7+ / Adults & Children 7+ |
| Dé Máirt 31 / Tue 31st 2.30-3.30 | Imeacht Teaghlaigh / Family Event | Spooky Stories! Join storyteller Philip Byrne for some spooky Halloween stories to get you ready for some trick or treating. Dressing-up encouraged! No booking required. | Teaghlaigh / Families |

Samhain / November

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| Dé Céadaoin 1 / Wed 1st 2.30pm-4pm | Ceardlann / Workshop | Shadow Puppet Workshop Join artist Phil Stewart in making and performing a puppet in a shadow puppet workshop taking inspiration from the creatures hiding in the Museum. Booking Required. | Families with children 6+ / Families with children 6+ |
| Dé Sathairn 4 / Sat 4th 10am-4pm | Comhdháil / Conference | A national health service? Exploring how museums can improve our wellbeing A special one-day conference to mark the Museum's 20 year anniversary at Collins Barracks, exploring the social impact of museums and the role that they can play in the community, speakers include Laura Bedford, of the National Alliance for Museums, Health & Wellbeing, UK, Professor Desmond O'Neill, Tallaght Hospital and artist Joe Caslin, whose mural, The Volunteers is currently on display in Clarke Square, Collins Barracks. Booking required. Please see www.museum.ie for further details. | Daoine fásta / Adults |
| Dé Domhnaigh 12 / Sun 12th 3pm-4pm | Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity | Science Week: Hands on History A chance to explore some of the artefacts from the Museum's collection of objects for handling with Museum conservator Hannah Power who will demonstrate how a video microscope can help conservators decide what conservation objects might need. A fascinating drop-in handling session for all ages. No booking required. | Fáilte roimh chách / All Ages |



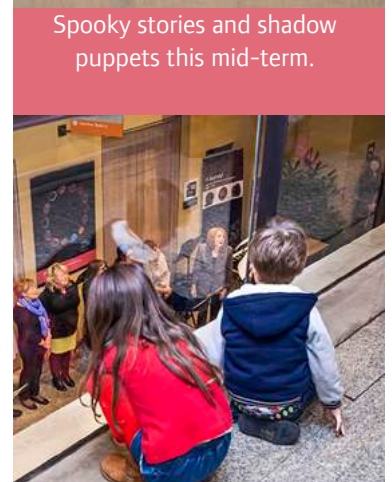
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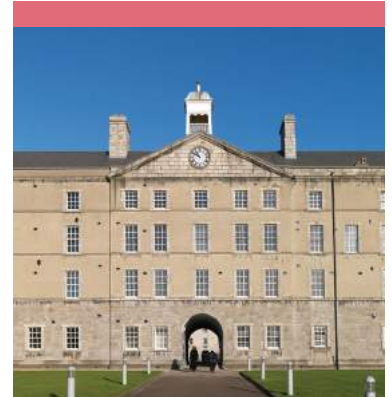
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| Dé Sathairn 18 / Sat 18th 10am-4.30pm | Seimineár / Seminar | Seminar in honour of Glenn Thompson This one-day seminar honours our former National Museum of Ireland colleague Glenn Thompson. Talks will cover Glenn's research interests including uniforms of 1916, 1798 and the Costume of Prince Milo of Monenegro, the day will conclude with first annual Glenn Thompson Lecture by Dr. Christoph Hatchek, Austrian Military Museum. Booking Required. | Daoine fásta / Adults |
| Déardaoin 23 / Thu 23rd 2.30pm-4pm | Turas / Tour | Tour Conservation Studios Get behind the scenes at the Museum and take a tour of the conservation studios. A great opportunity to see the work behind the scenes at the Museum, and meet Museum conservators. Booking required. Bookings open 1st October 2017. | Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 12+ / Adults & Children 12+ |
| Dé hAoine 24 / Fri 24th 11.30am-1pm | Turas / Tour | Culture Club at Collins Barracks Culture Club, in collaboration with Dublin City Council, invites members to explore and enjoy the collections at Collins Barracks through a series of specially arranged guided tours and activities in the company of museum staff followed by 'Tea & Chat' and an opportunity to mingle. The Clubs take place on the last Friday of each month. In November find out about some of the most significant documents from the 1916 Rising with curator Sandra Heise, including the beautiful Leabhar na hAiséirighe / Book of the Resurrection by Art Ó Murnaghan, a set of illuminated manuscripts created to honour the dead of the independence period. Booking Required. | Daoine fásta / Adults |
| Dé Domhnaigh 26 / Sun 26th 3pm-3.45pm | Turas / Tour | Public Tour: Eileen Gray Join a public tour of the Eileen Gray gallery, exploring one of the most influential designers and architects of the 20th century. No booking required, places allocated on a first-come basis 15 minutes before tour starts. | Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 7+ / Adults & Children 7+ |

Mí na Nollag / December

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| Dé hAoine 1 - Dé Domhnaigh 31 / Fri 1st - Sun 31st 10am-5pm | Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity | Christmas Activity Trails During the December, pick up one of our free Christmas activity trails for families to explore the Museum, seek out festive objects on display in the museum. Complete the trail by adding a decoration to the Museum's Christmas tree! | Teaghlaigh / Families |
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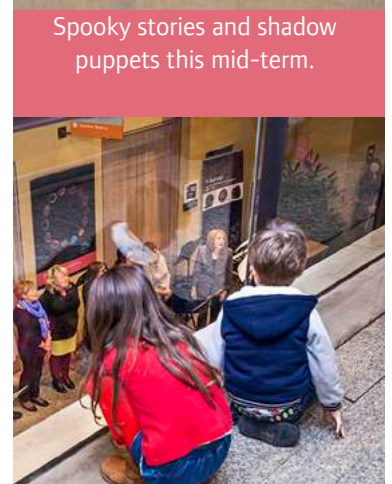
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| <p>Dé Domhnaigh 10 / Sun 10th 2pm-5pm</p> | <p>Imeacht Teaghlaigh / Family Event</p> | <p>Christmas Open Day Take a step back from the hustle and bustle to enjoy Christmas at Collins Barracks, there will be Christmas carols, trails, storytelling and talks including food historian Regina Sexton on festive food. The day will also include an exhibition showcasing artworks created by local artists, members of the Henrietta Adult Community Education (HACE) and the Active Retirement Association Phibsboro and inspired by the Museum's Portrait of a Century and The Volunteers exhibitions. No booking required.</p> | <p>Fáilte roimh chách / All Ages</p> |
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| <p>Dé Sathairn 30 / Sat 30th 2.15pm-3pm</p> | <p>Turas / Tour</p> | <p>Public Tour: Recovered Voices - Ireland and World War I Join a public tour of Recovered Voices exploring the experience of Irish men and women during World War I. No booking required, places allocated on a first-come basis 15 minutes before tour starts.</p> | <p>Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 12+ / Adults & Children 12+</p> |
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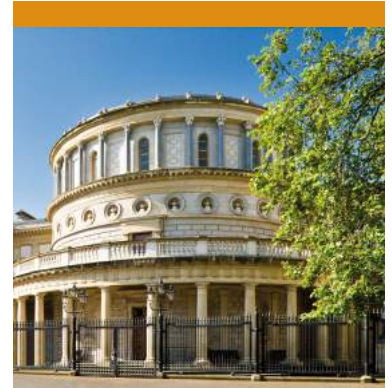
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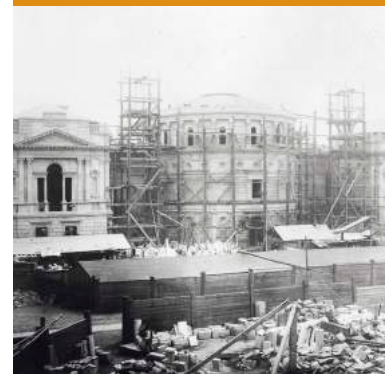
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| <p>Dé Céadaoin 4 / Wed 4th 1.00-1.45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Flies, what are they good for? A Natural History Museum, London, Case Study Dr Erica McAlister, Senior Curator at the Natural History Museum, London will discuss her research on flies as a case study to illustrate the studies that the Natural History Museum, London undertakes with both dead and living specimens from the natural world. Flies are the nuisance species of the planet - hated, demonised and blamed for the worst of human suffering. But Erica will explore if this is really the case? Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |
| <p>Dé Céadaoin 11 / Wed 11th 1.00-1.45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Bringing the Dead Zoo to Life For 160 years the Natural History Museum on Merrion Street, or as it's been fondly dubbed the 'Dead Zoo', has displayed the zoology collections of the National Museum of Ireland. As times change, new technologies, from LED lights to Virtual Reality headsets can help us bring the Dead Zoo to life, without losing the timeless feel of the space. Find out about some of our most recent projects from new Museum of Natural History Curator of Zoology, Paolo Viscardi. Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |



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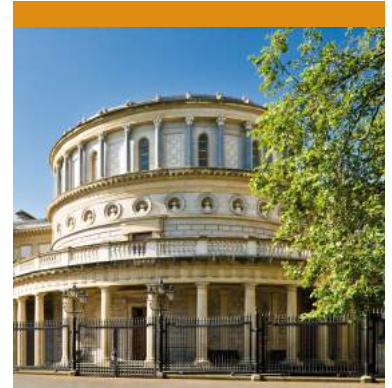
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| <p>Dé hAoine 13 / Fri 13th 1-1:45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Open House Lecture: Symbolising the Nation - The Architectural Competitions to Design the National Museum & National Library A lecture by architectural historian Dr Niamh Marnham about the battles over the choice of site, the use of indigenous architects, materials and labour in the creation of the buildings that today house the National Museum and the National Library. Niamh's talk will examine the clashes in Parliament, newspapers and trade journals over the collections that were to be housed, the choice of site, funding, the use of indigenous architects, materials and labour that were about both symbolising the nation and keeping architects employed. Dr Niamh Marnham is an architectural historian and Senior Historic Buildings Adviser at Donald Insall Associates, London, and has worked on some of the most sensitive and significant buildings and places in Ireland and Britain. These include Leinster House, Marino Casino, Russborough House, St. Pancras Chambers, the Old Vic Theatre and Downing College, Cambridge. Booking required, please email educationarch@museum.ie or call 01 6486 332 Located in Kildare Room, Ground Floor. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Aois 14+ / Ages 14+</p> |
| <p>Dé Sathairn 14 / Sat 14th 11:30am -1:30pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Open House Junior: At Home with the Vikings! To celebrate Open House 2017 come to the museum and find out about the homes of Viking Dublin. Create your own Viking house and help build up the Viking town of Dublin! No booking required. Located in Kildare Room, Ground Floor. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Families Ages 7+ / Families Ages 7+</p> |
| <p>Dé Céadaoin 18 / Wed 18th 1.00-1.45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Behind the Walls of the Natural History Museum Geology has been hidden away in the Museum for more than half a century. This talk by Museum Curator of Geology, Dr Matthew Parkes, will reveal a few hidden gems of the collections, including the many and varied new collections that we acquire each year. Minerals, fossils, meteorites and rocks are all part of the geodiversity that we treasure as a world class national and international collection. Learn too, how we are making it accessible to people in innovative ways. Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |



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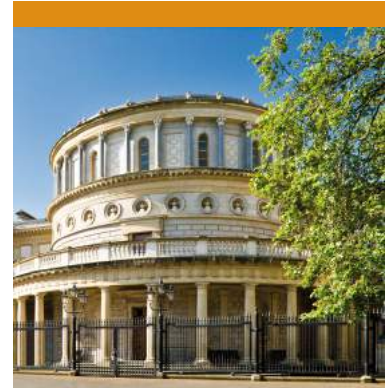
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| <p>Dé Sathairn 21 / Sat 21st 3-3:45pm</p> | <p>Turas / Tour</p> | <p>Treasures of the National Museum Take a tour of the iconic treasures in the National Museum, including the 'Tara' Brooch and the Ardagh Chalice. No booking required. Places allocated on a first come basis. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Aois 7+ / Ages 7+</p> |
| <p>Dé Céadaoin 25 / Wed 25th 1.00-1.45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>The Natural History Museum - Past and Future The building on Merrion Street is 160 years old this year and largely in 'original condition' which preserves a classic Victorian museum, but it is not without its challenges. Follow the story over two centuries of scientific activity with Nigel Monaghan, Keeper of Natural History and see how the museum started out and how we are planning for its future. It will remain a 'museum of a museum' but will see restoration works commence in earnest from 2019. Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |
| <p>Dé Sathairn 28 / Sat 28th 2pm-4pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Sacred Spells: Mummy Riddles Learn how the Ancient Egyptians prepared and protected themselves for the afterlife. Decode some curses and make your own sarcophagus to bring home! No booking required. Located in the Kildare Room, Ground Floor. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Families Ages 7+ / Families Ages 7+</p> |
| <p>Dé Máirt 31 / Tue 31st 11:30am-1:30pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Valhalla'ween: Viking Raven Masks In Norse mythology, Huginn and Muninn are a pair of ravens that fly all over the world and bring back information for the Viking god Odin. Join us to discover more about the beliefs of the Vikings and their celebrations at this time of year and make your own spooky raven mask to take home. Halloween costumes welcome! No booking required. Located in the Learning Resource Room, First Floor. Not Wheelchair Accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Families Ages 8+ / Families Ages 8+</p> |



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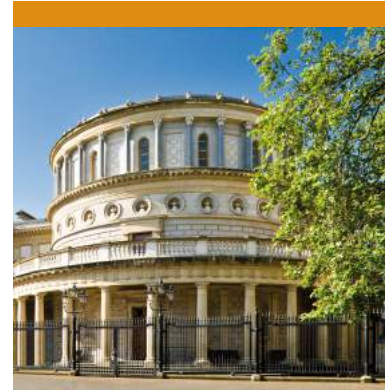
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| <p>Dé Céadaoin 1 - Déardaoin 30 / Wed 1st - Thu 30th During opening hours</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Winter Trail Activity Sheet As winter draws near, challenge yourself to complete our Winter Trail activity sheet and discover how Medieval lords, Viking children and Stone Age farmers passed the time and celebrated feasts in winters past. No booking required, these worksheets will be available in the Reception area and the activity cart in the Museum. Partially wheelchair accessible</p> | <p>Teaghlaigh / Families</p> |
| <p>Dé Céadaoin 1 / Wed 1st 11:30am-1:30pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Something Wicked this Way Comes This All Saints' Day, drop into the museum to learn about the objects used in Medieval Ireland to guard against misfortune, disease and even evil spirits. Make your own Medieval amulet to take home. No booking required. Located in the Learning Resource Room, First Floor. Not Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Families Ages 7+ / Families Ages 7+</p> |
| <p>Dé Máirt 14 / Tue 14th 11am-11:45am</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Science Week: Exploring Ancient DNA with Prof Dan Bradley Join us for a special Science Week lecture exploring ancient DNA with Professor Dan Bradley of Trinity College Dublin. This talk will discuss his ground-breaking work using archaeological and scientific techniques to analyse the remains of three Bronze Age men whose remains were excavated on Rathlin Island. This discovery showed that one third of their DNA originated from the Black Sea area, helping archaeologists to further understand ancient migration patterns and changes to material culture in Ireland. Booking required for Transition Year Students, please contact bookings@museum.ie or call 01-6486 453. Located in the Kildare Room, Ground Floor. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Transition Year Students / Transition Year Students</p> |



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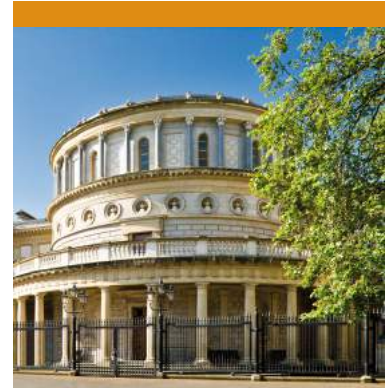
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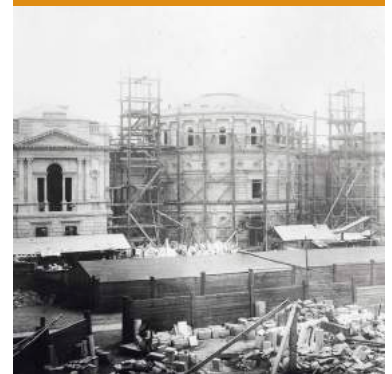
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| <p>Dé Domhnaigh 19 / Sun 19th 2:30pm-4:30 pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Science Week: Them bones, them bones need archaeologists! Ancient Animal Bones with Dr Ruth Carden Join Animal Osteologist, Dr Ruth Carden, for our special Science Week workshop. Drop into the Kildare Room to see some animal bones from Viking Dublin and find out about animal bones and teeth along with the scientific techniques and experiments that archaeologists use to tell us about animals in the past and how people interacted with them. Then, have a go at being an animal osteologist and see if you can figure out what happened to our animal bones. No Booking Required. Located in the Kildare Room, Ground Floor. Wheelchair Accessible. Free Event.</p> | <p>Families with children 8+ / Families with children 8+</p> |



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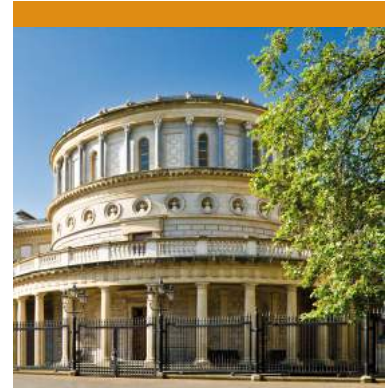
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| <p>Dé Máirt 21 / Tue 21st 6pm</p> | <p>Caint / Talk</p> | <p>Caretakers of Ireland's Cultural Heritage Join the discussion about the past and future roles of museums in Ireland. To mark the passing 140 years ago of the 1877 Dublin Science and Art Museum Act, Ragnall Ó Floinn, Director of the National Museum of Ireland and Brian Crowley, Curator of the Pearse Museum and former Director of the Irish Museums Association, will be amongst the panel who will discuss the origin and legacy of this Act in protecting and developing public engagement with Ireland's cultural heritage. Booking essential, please email educationarch@museum.ie or call 01 6486 332. Located in Kildare Room, Ground Floor. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |
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Mí na Nollag / December

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| <p>Dé hAoine 1 - Dé Domhnaigh 31 / Fri 1st - Sun 31st During Opening Hours</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Winter Trail Activity Sheet Challenge yourself to complete our Winter Trail Activity Sheet and discover how Medieval lords, Viking children and Stone Age farmers passed the time and celebrated feasts in winters past. No booking required, these worksheets will be available in the reception area and the activity cart in the Museum. Partially wheelchair accessible</p> | <p>Teaghlaigh / Families</p> |
| <p>Dé Domhnaigh 3 / Sun 3rd 2pm-4:30pm</p> | <p>Lá Oscailte / Open Day</p> | <p>Christmas Open Day: Go on a Medieval Pilgrimage with Claíomh Get into the festive spirit by going on a special Christmas Medieval Pilgrimage with Claíomh. Come to the Museum and travel through the Viking Ireland and Medieval Ireland Exhibitions to meet Vikings, craftsmen, warriors and pilgrims and learn all about clothing, crafts, gifts and religion from Viking and Medieval Ireland. No Booking Required. Partially wheelchair accessible. Free Event.</p> | <p>Teaghlaigh / Families</p> |
| <p>Dé Domhnaigh 17 / Sun 17th 2:30-4pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Oh Christmas Tree! Drop into our Learning Resource Room to help decorate our Christmas tree by making your own Christmas decoration that is inspired by the museum collections and make one to take home! No booking required. Located in Learning Resource Room, first floor. Not wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Teaghlaigh / Families</p> |



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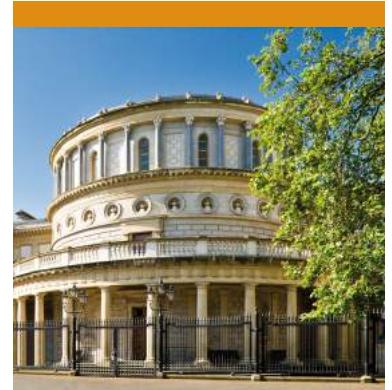
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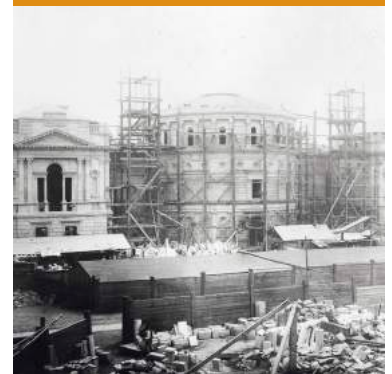
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| <p>Déardaoin 21 / Thu 21st 1pm and 3pm</p> | <p>Turas / Tour</p> | <p>Winter Solstice Tour Celebrate the Winter Solstice and join Archaeologist Siobhán Rheinisch for a tour of the Prehistoric Ireland Exhibition to find out about how ancient people marked the shortest day of the year in the Northern Hemisphere. View grave goods from the Neolithic passage tomb at Newgrange and Knowth Co. Meath and discover the skills used to create some of our most famous monuments and artefacts. Booking Required, contact educationarch@musem.ie or call 01 6486332. Meet at the Reception. Wheelchair Accessible. Free Event.</p> | <p>Aois 8+ / Ages 8+</p> |
| <p>Dé hAoine 29 / Fri 29th 1-1:45pm</p> | <p>Turas / Tour</p> | <p>Treasures of the National Museum Take a tour of the iconic treasures in the National Museum, including the 'Tara' Brooch and the Ardagh Chalice. No booking required. Places allocated on a first come basis. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Aois 7+ / Ages 7+</p> |
| <p>Dé Sathairn 30 / Sat 30th 2.00-4.00pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Precious Gifts and Where to find them Archaeologists often find precious objects under the ground but is everything found at the same depth? Call into the Museum to find out! Create a special bookmark, decorate it with precious objects and decide if they should be close to the surface, or deep underground. No booking required. Located in the Kildare Room, Ground Floor. Wheelchair accessible. Free Event</p> | <p>Families with children 7+ / Families with children 7+</p> |



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Stair an Dúlra / Natural History

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| <p>Dé Céadaoin 4 / Wed 4th 1:00-1:45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Flies, what are they good for? A Natural History Museum, London, Case Study Dr Erica McAlister, Senior Curator at the Natural History Museum, London will discuss her research about flies as a case study to illustrate the studies that the Natural History Museum, London undertakes with both dead and living specimens from the natural world. Flies are the nuisance species of the planet - hated, demonised and blamed for the worst of human suffering. But Erica will explore is this really the case? Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |
| <p>Dé Céadaoin 11 / Wed 11th 1:00-1:45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Bringing the Dead Zoo to Life For 160 years the Natural History Museum on Merrion Street, or as it's been fondly dubbed the 'Dead Zoo', has displayed the zoology collections of the National Museum of Ireland. As times change, new technologies, from LED lights to Virtual Reality headsets can help us bring the Dead Zoo to life, without losing the timeless feel of the space. Find out about some of our most recent projects from new Museum of Natural History Curator of Zoology, Paolo Viscardi. Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |



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| <p>Dé Céadaoin 18 / Wed 18th 1:00-1:45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>Behind the Walls of the Natural History Museum Geology has been hidden away in the Museum for more than half a century. This talk by Museum Curator of Geology, Dr Matthew Parkes, will reveal a few hidden gems of the collections, including the many and varied new collections that we acquire each year. Minerals, fossils, meteorites and rocks are all part of the geodiversity that we treasure as a world class national and international collection. Learn too, how we are making it accessible to people in innovative ways. Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |
| <p>Dé Céadaoin 25 / Wed 25th 1:00-1:45pm</p> | <p>Léacht / Lecture</p> | <p>The Natural History Museum Past and Future The building on Merrion Street is 160 years old this year and largely in 'original condition' which preserves a classic Victorian museum, but it is not without its challenges. Follow the story over two centuries of scientific activity with Nigel Monaghan, Keeper of Natural History and see how the museum started out and how we are planning for its future. It will remain a 'museum of a museum' but will see restoration works commence in earnest from 2019. Please note that this event is held in the Kildare Room in the Museum of Archaeology on Kildare St. Booking required. Email educationnh@museum.ie or Ph. 01 6486 316. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |

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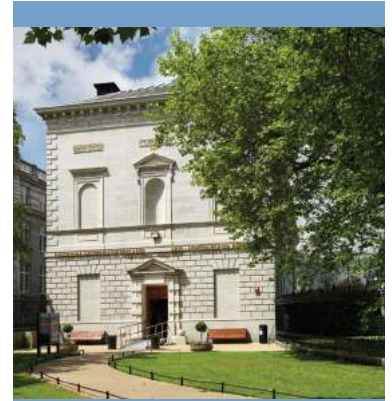
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| | | <p>The Dead Zoo is 160 years old! Join us for this special open day as we celebrate the 160th anniversary of the Museum of Natural History opening to the public. Drop-in and meet a range of scientists from the Museum and from organisations that add and research the Museum's collections and contribute to science in Ireland. Discover more about how some specimens came to be given to the Museum and how the collections are used today. On the day meet and greet scientists such as zoologists, geologists, and palaeontologists that work with our collections, as well as artists and even a taxidermist! Organisations that will be at the museum on the day include the National Biodiversity Data Centre, Geological Survey of Ireland, Birdwatch Ireland, Irish Whale and Dolphin Group, National Parks and Wildlife Service, the Herpetological Society of Ireland and TCD Museum of Zoology, No booking required. Partially wheelchair accessible.</p> | |
| <p>Dé Máirt 14 - Dé Céadaoin 15 / Tue 14th - Wed 15th All day</p> | <p>Seimineár / Seminar</p> | <p>Making the Most of a Move - Geological Curators' Group AGM Seminar</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |
| | | <p>A day of talks exploring ways in which natural science curators have used moving collections as an opportunity to improve collections care and enhance public access to them. The National Museum of Ireland, Natural History's move to Swords will be a focus, and day two includes a tour and workshops in Swords. For further information including cost and access details please contact Geology Curator Matthew Parkes on mparkes@museum.ie oor call 01 677 7444.</p> | |



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| <p>Dé Sathairn 18 / Sat 18th 11am-1pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Science Week Inspectorium: What on Earth? Life on earth began over 3.5 billion years ago! Over eons life has evolved but how do we know this? Drop into the Discovery Zone this Science Week to find out more, inspect real fossils and even draw your very own Earth timeline! No booking required. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Aois 8+ / Ages 8+</p> |
| <p>Dé Sathairn 25 / Sat 25th 11am-1pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Christmas on the Square Pop in for a pencil and complete our Winter Activity Trail - 'Do Not Disturb' to celebrate Christmas on Merrion Square at the Dead Zoo. No booking required. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Teaghlaigh / Families</p> |
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| <p>Dé Sathairn 30 / Sat 30th 11am-1pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Space Rocks: Fireballs and Crystals Have you ever seen inside a space rock or meteorite? Drop into Space Rocks: Fireballs and Crystals at the Discovery Zone and get to touch a real meteorite, feel how heavy it is and see up close its crystal structure. No booking required. Wheelchair accessible.</p> | <p>Aois 8+ / Ages 8+</p> |
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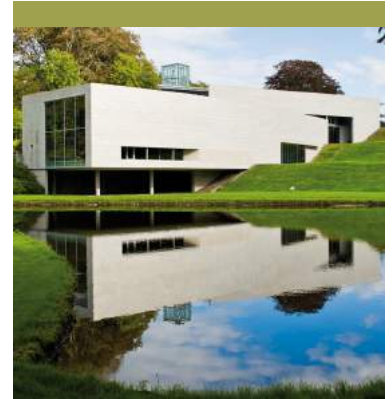
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| <p>Dé Domhnaigh 1 - Dé Máirt 31 / Sun 1st - Tue 31st During Opening Hours</p> | <p>Taispeántas Sealadach / Temporary Exhibition</p> | <p>The Hoard & the Sword: Echoes of the Vikings This exhibition explores the discovery of a hoard of silver bracelets from Cushalogurt, Kilmeena and a Viking sword found in the river Moy at Coolcraun. This is the largest hoard of silver armrings found in Ireland and the sword is a fine example of late 10th century craftsmanship. These objects provide evidence of Mayo's Viking Heritage.</p> | <p>Fáilte roimh chách / All Ages</p> |
| <p>Dé Domhnaigh 1 - Dé Máirt 31 / Sun 1st - Tue 31st During Opening Hours</p> | <p>Taispeántas Sealadach / Temporary Exhibition</p> | <p>On Sight 2017: Teach Saileach Willow House Discover the beautiful woven shelter and the willow trail created by the Mayo Arts Squad on the grounds of Turlough Park. This work is inspired by the traditional craft of basket-making and the Museum's collection. On Sight is a community arts project lead by Mayo County Council Arts Office and the National Museum.</p> | <p>Fáilte roimh chách / All Ages</p> |
| <p>Dé Céadaoin 4 / Wed 4th 2pm - 3pm</p> | <p>Léiriú / Demonstration</p> | <p>Meet the Crafters Join Michael and Tiffany Budd, local Blacksmith and Goldsmith as they demonstrate the techniques used to create a Viking axe and silver jewellery. Visit the Hoard and the Sword exhibition to view Viking era objects found in Mayo. Drop in Event. No booking required.</p> | <p>Adults & Children 5+ / Adults & Children 5+</p> |
| <p>Dé hAoine 6 / Fri 6th 11am - 1pm</p> | <p>Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity</p> | <p>Knitting & Crochet Circle: Fall Back to Winter Wrap up! Get tips on how to keep toasty in the Winter months by knitting your own hats, scarves and jumpers with the Museum's Knitting and Crochet Circle. Beginners welcome. No booking required.</p> | <p>Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 7+ / Adults & Children 7+</p> |
| <p>Dé Sathairn 14 / Sat 14th 11am - 3pm</p> | <p>Caint / Talk</p> | <p>Social Life in Mayo at the Turn of the Century. A series of talks highlighting life in Mayo organised by the Mayo Genealogy Group. 11am: Trade, Commerce and Characters of Castlebar by Johnny Mee. 12pm: Congested District Boards in East Mayo (1891 - 1923) by Patricia Conway. 2pm: The Reasons for Emigration in West Mayo by Richie Joyce. Booking required.</p> | <p>Daoine fásta / Adults</p> |
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| <p>Dé Sathairn 28 / Sat 28th 11.30am - 12.30pm</p> | <p>Ceardlann / Workshop</p> | <p>Hallowe'en Masks View the scary masks on display in the Museum then join Veronika Straberger to make your own spooky mask for Hallowe'en and learn some theatrical tips and tricks. Booking required.</p> | <p>Families with children 4-10 yrs / Families with children 4-10 yrs</p> |



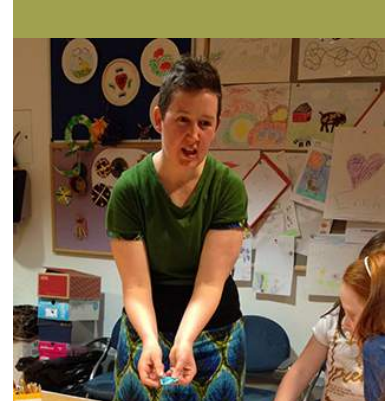
The modern gallery building is home to many fascinating Folklife exhibitions and displays.



Join Ragnhalla O Floinn, Director, NMI, for a talk on the Vikings in Ireland on the 23rd Nov.



4th October Meet the Crafters: Blacksmith and goldsmith demo.



Make an Advent Calendar for your family with artist Éilís Murphy on the 4th November.

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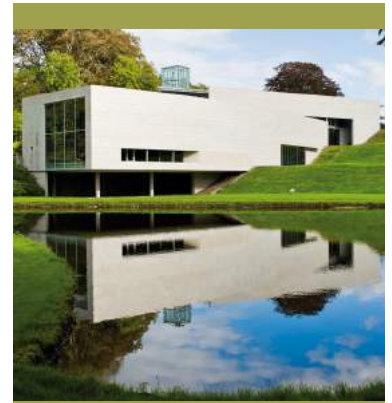
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| Dé Máirt 31 / Tue 31st 3pm - 4pm | Caint / Talk | The Wonders of the Irish Wake From the fall of Troy to modern day how the wonders of the Irish wake teach us to live, love and die. A talk by BAFTA-winning writer and Achill islander Kevin Toolis, author of the best-selling My Father's Wake. Booking required. | Adults and young people 12+ / Adults and young people 12+ |
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| Déardaoin 2 / Thu 2nd 11.30am - 1pm | Gníomhaíocht do pháistí / Junior Activity | Spooky Shadow Puppets Learn about how families celebrated Hallowe'en long ago, then join artist Carmel Balfe to make shadow puppets to tell your own spooky Hallowe'en tale. Booking required. | Families with children 4 - 7 yrs / Families with children 4 - 7 yrs |
| Dé hAoine 3 / Fri 3rd 11am - 1pm | Gníomhaíochtaí 'Buail Isteach' / Drop-in Activity | Knitting & Crochet Circle: A Woolly Winter Join the talented Museum knitters to make your own Winter Woollies and start a new project for the festive season. Exchange ideas, tips and patterns. Beginners welcome. No booking required. | Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 7+ / Adults & Children 7+ |
| Dé Sathairn 4 / Sat 4th 2pm - 3.30pm | Imeacht Teaghlaigh / Family Event | Make an Advent Calendar Artist Éilís Murphy will show you how to make a special Advent calendar to count down the days to Christmas. Each family will decorate their calendar and fill it with riddles, jokes and acts of kindness. Booking required. | Adults & Children 5+ / Adults & Children 5+ |
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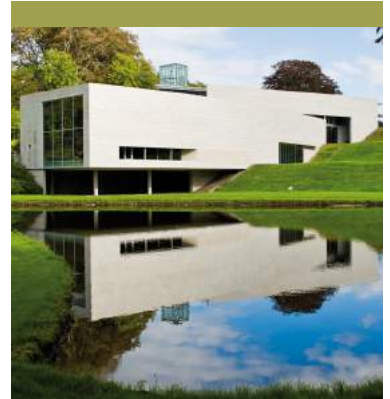
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Samhain / November (ar aghaidh / continued)

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| Dé Domhnaigh 19 / Sun 19th 2.30pm - 4.30pm | Cur i Láthair / Performance | Open Mic Afternoon: Museum Writers Group On a dark afternoon in deepest winter, feed your soul with poetry. Listen to a reading from Mayo poet Ger Reidy and enjoy stories and poems from the Museum's Writers Group and other local writers. Take a seat and listen, or share your own poetry and prose. No booking required. | Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 12+ / Adults & Children 12+ |
| Déardaoin 23 / Thu 23rd 8pm - 9pm | Caint / Talk | The Vikings in Ireland outside Dublin Raghnall O'Floinn, Director, National Museum of Ireland, will explore the evidence for Viking activity outside the Dublin area in the 9th and 10th centuries, looking at weapons, settlements, place-names and burials. How extensive is the evidence and what does it tell us about Viking presence in the Irish countryside? Booking required. | Daoine fásta / Adults |
| Dé Sathairn 25 / Sat 25th 12pm - 3pm | Léiriú / Demonstration | Connacht Textile Crafters Come along and meet the talented Connacht Textile Crafters who work in a range of textile crafts, both traditional and contemporary. No booking required. | Daoine Fásta agus leanaí 7+ / Adults & Children 7+ |

Mí na Nollag / December

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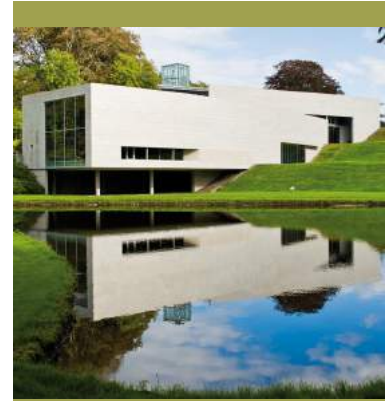
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| Dé hAoine 15 / Fri 15th 1pm - 2.30pm | Cur i Láthair / Performance | Christmas Carol Singing Get in the Christmas spirit, put on that Santa hat and join the Foxford National School Band for our annual Christmas carol sing-along with all the favourites, Frosty the Snowman, Silent Night and many more. No booking required. | Fáilte roimh chách / All Ages |
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2 Stair an Dúlra

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3 Na hEalaíona Maiseiúla & Stair

Dún Uí Choileáin
Sráid na Binne Boirbe
Baile Átha Cliath 7

4 Saol na Tuaithe

Páirc an Turiaigh
Caisleán an Bharraigh
Co. Mhaigh Eo

Uaireanta Oscailte

Máirt-Satharn 10am-5pm
An Domhnach 2pm-5pm
Dúnta ar an Luan (laethanta saoire bainc agus
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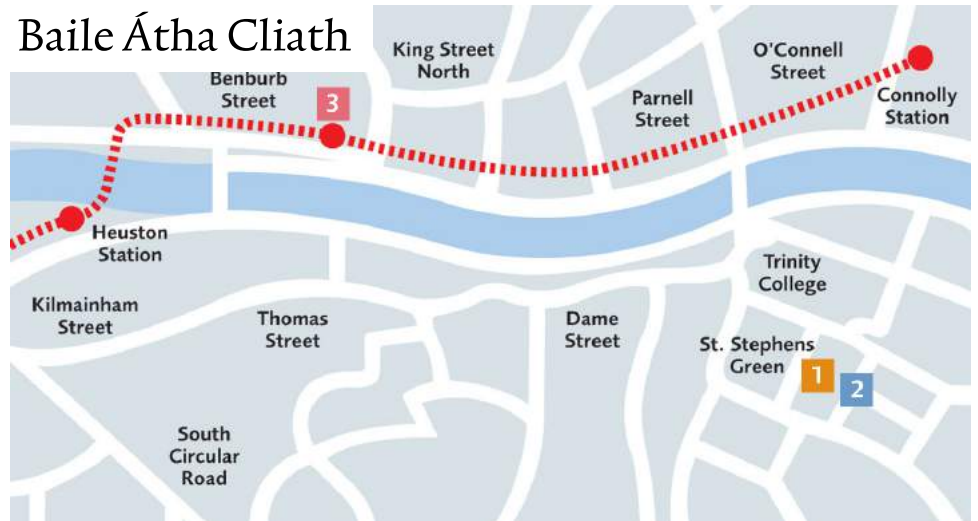
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Uaireanta oibre na hOifige Áirithintí

Máirt - Aoine: 10am-1pm

Iad siúd atá ag tabhairt aire do pháistí anseo, is orthu a thiteann sé a bheith freagrach as sábháilteacht na bpáistí sin. Caith súil ar ár [bPolasaí Cosaint Leaná](#) le haghaidh tuilleadh eolais. Is san Fhéilire Imeachtaí atá teacht ar an bPolasaí sin. Ba chruinn a bhfuil ann agus é á chur i gcló ach d'fhéadfadh go n-athrófaí é (de réir mar is gá).

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Tá **siopaí** i nDún Uí Choileáin, ar Shráid Chill Dara, Sráid Mhuirfean agus i bPáirc an Turiaigh.
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Conas dul ann

Dún Uí Choileáin

Líne Dhearg an Luas - Stad an Ard-Mhúsaem
Busanna - 90 (Cé Aston) 25, 25A, 66, 67 (Sráid an Phiarsaigh agus Sráid Westmoreland)
Páirceáil ar fáil ach íoc aisti

Sráid Chill Dara

An Luas is gaire - An Líne Uaine - Faiche Stiabhna
Busanna - 7, 7A (Sráid Uí Chonaill), 10, 11, 13 (Sráid Uí Chonaill)
Stáisiún DART is gaire - Stáisiún Shráid an Phiarsaigh

Sráid Mhuirfean

Busanna - 7, 7A (Sráid Uí Chonaill)

Páirc an Turiaigh

Ag tiomáint - 8km taobh thoir de Chaisleán an Bharraigh atá Páirc an Turiaigh, ar an N5 - Páirceáil Saor in Aisce
Ar an mbus - I gCaisleán an Bharraigh atá an stáisiún bus is giorra. Fón: 096 71800
Ar an traen - I gCaisleán an Bharraigh atá an stáisiún traen is giorra. Fón: 094 90 21222

Rochtain

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General Information

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Kildare Street
Dublin 2
- 2** **Natural History**
Merrion Street
Dublin 2
- 3** **Decorative Arts & History**
Collins Barracks
Benburb Street
Dublin 7
- 4** **Country Life**
Turlough Park
Castlebar
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Opening Hours

Tuesday-Saturday 10am-5pm
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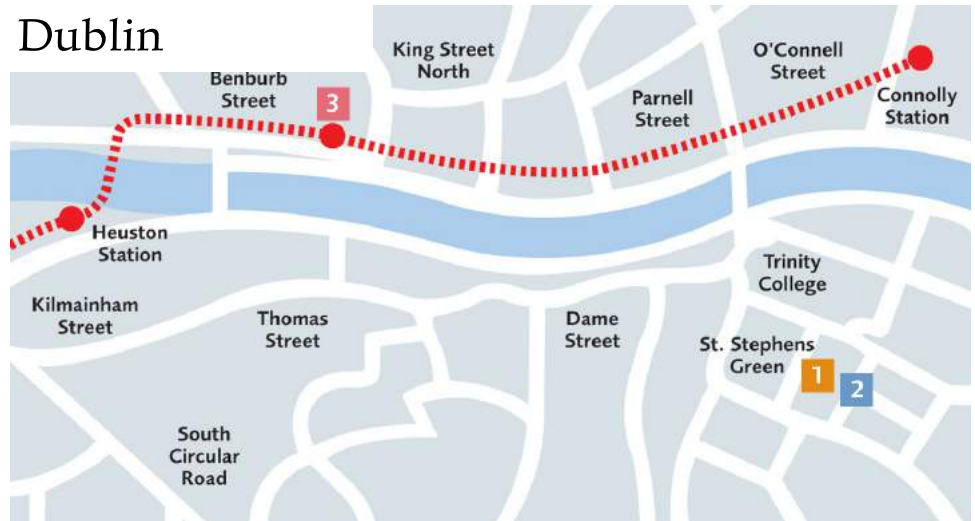
Public tour daily at Turlough Park. Tours and workshops can be pre-booked by groups via the Bookings Office.

Booking office hours

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Dublin



Shop available at Collins Barracks, Kildare Street, Merrion Street and Turlough Park.
Café available at Collins Barracks, Kildare Street and Turlough Park.

How to get there

Collins Barracks

Luas Red Line - Museum Stop
Buses - 90 (Aston Quay), 25, 25A, 66, 67 (Pearse Street and Westmoreland Street)
Paid parking available

Kildare Street

Nearest Luas - Green Line - St Stephen's Green
Buses - 7, 7A, 8 (O'Connell Street), 10, 11, 13 (O'Connell Street)
Nearest Dart station - Pearse Street

Merrion Street

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Turlough Park

By Car - Turlough Park is 8km East of Castlebar on the N5 - Free Car Parking
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By Train - The nearest train station is in Castlebar. Tel: 094 90 21222

Access

Collins Barracks - Fully wheelchair accessible
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