BEALTAINE 2023

Ag ceiliúradh na nEalaíon agus na Cruthaitheachta agus muid ag dul in aois
Celebrating the Arts and Creativity as we Age

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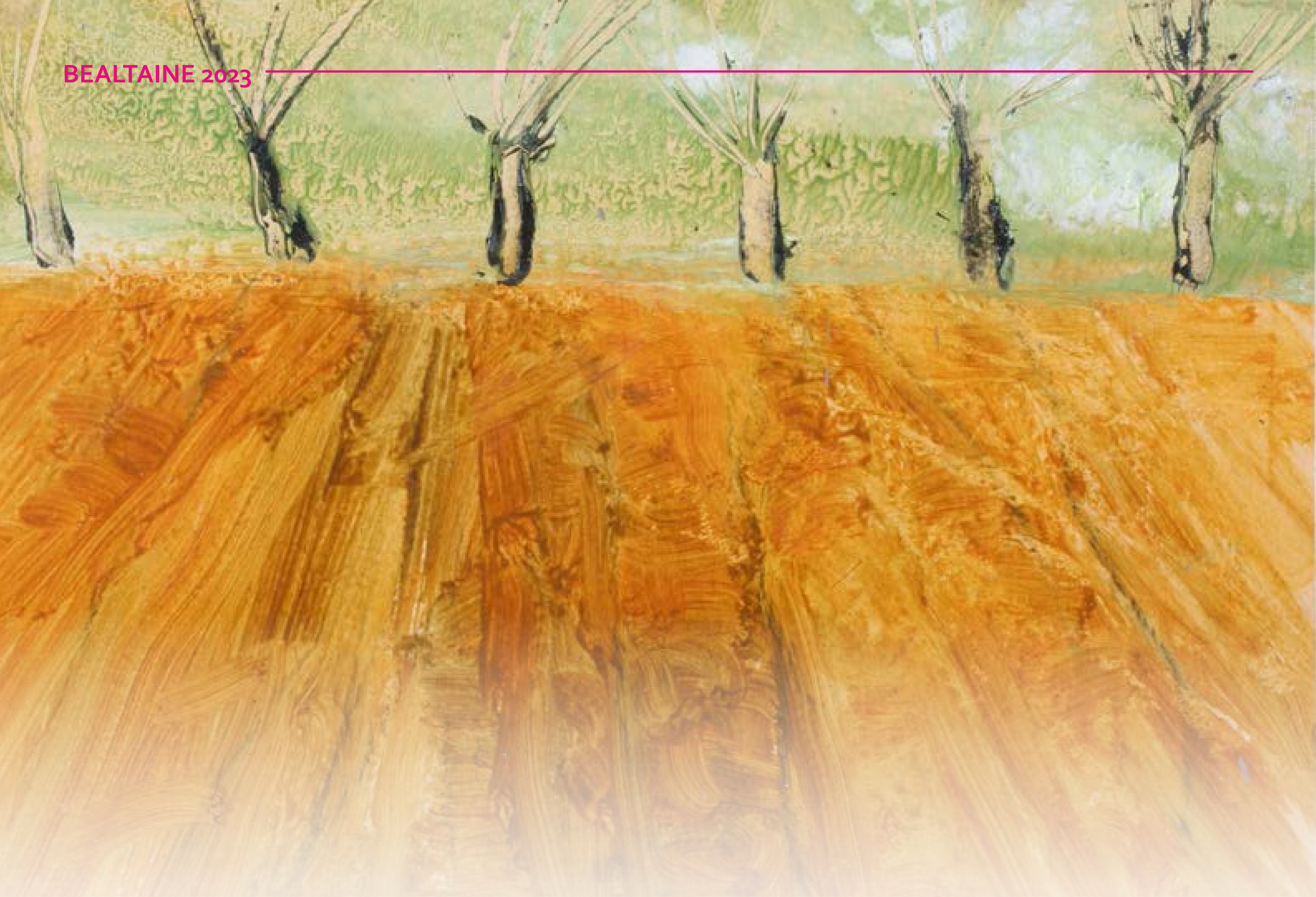

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Fáilte chuig Clár Bhealtaine 2023 de chuid Sheirbhís Ealaíon Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo.

Féile náisiúnta í Bealtaine a cheiliúrann na healaíona agus an chruthaitheacht i measc daoine atá ag dul in aois.

Is tionscnamh í an fhéile de chuid Aostacht & Deiseanna, an eagraíocht náisiúnta a spreagann daoine scothaosta le saol gníomhach agus rannpháirteach a bheith acu.

I measc na n-imeachtaí atá ar chlár Sheirbhís Ealaíon Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo i mbliana tá taibhléirithe, comhráite, ceardlanna agus turais agus tá gach imeacht saor in aisce.

Ár mbuíochas leis na healaíontóirí, na hionaid ealaíon, na grúpaí pobail agus na daoine aonair atá ag glacadh páirte i bhFéile Bhealtaine na bliana seo i Maigh Eo.

Tá Bealtaine arna mhaoiniú go straitéiseach ag Comhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo agus ag an gComhairle Ealaíon.

Welcome to Mayo County Council's Arts Service Bealtaine Programme for 2023.

Bealtaine is Ireland's national festival celebrating the arts and creativity as we age.

The festival is an initiative of Age & Opportunity, the national organisation that promotes active and engaged living as we get older.

Mayo County Council's Arts Service programme this year includes performances, workshops and tours and all events are free of charge.

Thank you to all the artists, arts venues, community groups and individuals taking part in this year's Bealtaine Festival in Mayo.

Bealtaine is strategically funded by Mayo County Council and the Arts Council.

Tá saol sóisialta agus ealaíon beo bríomhar i Maigh Eo ar féidir le gach duine taitneamh a bhaint as. Seans go mbeadh fonn ar go leor againn freastal ar dhrámaí, scannáin, seónna, ceolchoirmeacha, taispeántais nó imeachtaí eile dá mbeadh comrádaí taobh linn. Seo chugaibh Comrádaithe Cultúrtha.

Tá Seirbhís Ealaíon Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo ag lorg daoine atá 50 bliain d'aois nó níos sine ar spéis leo freastal ar imeachtaí ealaíon agus cultúrtha agus tamall a chaitheamh i gcomhluadar daoine nár casadh orthu roimhe seo.

Ar an 30 Bealtaine, ba bhreá linn dá bhféadfá bualadh linn le haghaidh cupán tae agus comhrá agus beidh deis agat freisin dreas cainte a dhéanamh le daoine cosúil leat féin a bhfuil spéis acu in imeachtaí ealaíon agus cultúrtha. Beimid in ann eolas maidir le Comrádaithe Cultúrtha a roinnt libh agus na deiseanna rannpháirtíochta a phlé. Cuirfear sólaistí sláintiúla ar fáil agus beidh John Hoban agus Isabela Basombrio Hoban i mbun ceoil agus filíochta. Tá súil againn go mbeidh deis agat a bheith inár dteannta ar an lá.

Dáta: 30 Bealtaine. Am: 1.30 - 3 pm
Ionad: Ionad Seirbhísí Sóisialta Chaisleán an Bharraigh (tá ardaitheoir san ionad).
Seoladh: Carrchlós Shráid an Chaisleáin, Caisleán an Bharraigh, Co. Mhaigh Eo. F23CY67

Cuir d'áit in áirithe má tá sé beartaithe agat freastal ar an imeacht, déan teagmháil le Seirbhís Ealaíon Mhaigh Eo trí ghlaoch ar an uimhir: 094 906 4367 nó ríomhphost a sheoladh chuig mayoarts@mayococo.ie

Mura féidir leat freastal ar an imeacht ach má tá spéis agat i gComrádaithe Cultúrtha, déan teagmháil linn agus beimid in ann do shonraí teagmhála a thaifeadadh agus a chinntiú go roinnfear eolas maidir leis an tionscnamh seo leat amach anseo.

Is Tionscnamh Aoise & Deise Ealaíon é Comrádaithe Cultúrtha.

There's a thriving social and arts scene in Mayo to be enjoyed. Many of us would probably go to a lot more plays, films, shows, concerts, exhibitions, or other events if we had a companion to go with. That's where Cultural Companions comes in.

Mayo County Council Arts Service is calling all over 50's who are interested in attending arts & cultural events and meeting new people.

On May 30th, you are welcome to join us for a chat and a cuppa and to meet like-minded people interested in arts and cultural events. We will tell you all about Cultural Companions and how you can become involved.
There will be light healthy refreshments served and music and poetry will be provided by John Hoban and Isabela Basombrio Hoban.
We look forward to seeing you.

Date: 30th of May. Time: 1.30 - 3 pm
Venue: Castlebar Social Service Centre (the venue has a lift).
Address: Castle Street, Car Park, Castlebar, Co. Mayo. F23CY67

Book your place: Let us know you are coming by contacting Mayo Art Service on: 094 906 4367 or email mayoarts@mayococo.ie

If you can't make this event but are interested in getting involved in Cultural Companions, get in touch with us to leave your contact details so you can be updated with information on this initiative.

Cultural Companions is an Age & Opportunity Arts Initiative.

Poetry Day Ireland 2023

Éist le Clár Tommy Marren ar Midwest Radio (96.1fm) díreach tar éis 9am Déardaoin, an 27 Aibreán tráth a mbeidh ceiliúradh a dhéanamh ag Seirbhís Ealaíon Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo ar Lá Éigse Éireann 2023 i dteannta leis na filí Jean Tuomey agus Fiacre Ryan, a bheidh i mbun filíochta dá gcuid a aithris i rith an chláir. Is é Teachtaireacht i mBuidéal Téama Lá Éigse Éireann 2023.

Is i gCaisleán an Bharraigh atá cónaí ar Jean Tuomey. Tá saothar dá cuid foilsithe i roinnt mhaith irisí, náisiúnta agus idirnáisiúnta. Tugadh ardmholadh dá leabhar mangaire, Swept Back, in Fools for Poetry 2018 mar aon le moladh mór in Blue Nib Chapbook 37, 2019. Tugadh ardmholadh dá leabhar mangaire Magical Thinking in Fool for Poetry 2021. Tháinig sí sa dara háit i gcomórtas filíochta Fish in 2011, tháinig sí sa chéad áit i nGradaim Chruthaitheacha Jonathan Swift don fhilíocht in 2021 agus i gcomórtas filíochta Ospís San Proinsias 2022. Seoladh a céad bhailiúchán, Swept Back (Lapwing), i mí na Nollag 2022.

Is scríbhneoir agus file uathach neamhbhriathartha de bhunadh Chaisleán an Bharraigh, Co. Mhaigh Eo é Fiacre Ryan. Thosaigh sé ag cumadh filíochta nuair a bhí sé sna déaga agus in 2022 foilsíodh a shaothar, "Speechless, Reflections from my Voiceless World" (Merrion Press), saothar a ainmníodh mar an saothar is fearr ó pheann scríbhneoir nua ag Gradam Leabhar na hÉireann. Tá an cumas aige scríobh ar bhealach cumhachtach agus ionraic faoina thaithí saoil féin, " The truth is piercing in Fiacre Ryan's debut collection of poems and prose, the narrative has all the darkness and light of a fairytale" (The Irish Times).

Dáta: 27 Aibreán
Am: tar éis 9 am
Midwest Radio (96.1FM)

Is tionscnamh de chuid Éigse Éireann é Lá Éigse Éireann agus tá sé á mhaoiniú go straitéiseach ag Comhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo agus ag an gComhairle Ealaíon.

Tune into the Tommy Marren Show on Midwest Radio (96.1fm) after 9am on April 27th for Mayo County Council Arts Service's celebration of Poetry Day Ireland 2023 with poets Jean Tuomey and Fiacre Ryan, who will read some of their poetry on the show. The theme of Poetry Day Ireland 2023 is Message in a Bottle.

Jean Tuomey lives in Castlebar. She is published in several journals, national and international. Her chapbook, Swept Back, was commended in Fools for Poetry 2018 and received special commendation in Blue Nib Chapbook 37, 2019. Her chapbook Magical Thinking was highly commended in Fool for Poetry 2021. She came 2nd in Fish poetry competition 2011, 1st in the Jonathan Swift Creative Awards for poetry in 2021 and the St Francis Hospice poetry competition 2022. Her debut collection, Swept Back (Lapwing), was launched in Dec. 2022.

Fiacre Ryan is a 22 year old nonverbal autistic writer and poet from Castlebar Co. Mayo. He has been writing poetry since his teens, and in 2022 published Speechless, Reflections from my Voiceless World (Merrion Press), which was nominated as best newcomer at the Irish Book Awards. He writes eloquently and honestly about his own life experiences, " The truth is piercing in Fiacre Ryan's debut collection of poems and prose, the narrative has all the darkness and light of a fairytale" (The Irish Times).

Dates: April 27th
Time: after 9 am
Midwest Radio (96.1FM)

Poetry Day Ireland is an initiative of Poetry Ireland and is strategically funded by Mayo County Council and the Arts Council.

MAYO DAY 2023 - ART EXHIBITION

Turais Treoraithe

Mar chuid de Lá Mhaigh Eo 2023 tá rogha de 50 saothar ealaíne ó Bhailiúchán Ealaíne Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo ar taispeáint in Oifigí na Cathrach, Plás Árann, Béal an Átha. Tá roinnt ama caite ag grúpa ealaíontóirí as Béal an Átha i mbun scrúdaithe ar bhailiúchán an chontae le ealaíontóir Mick Smyth agus Stiúrthóir agus Stiúrthóir Ionad Ealaíon Bhéal an Átha, Paul Cunningham. Spreag sé sin coimeádaíocht taispeántas saothar ealaíne roghnaithe go speisialta a bhfuil aird cuairteoirí chuig Béal an Átha á tarraingt uirthi agus a bhfuiltear ag súil a bhainfidh taitneamh aisti ar Lá Mhaigh Eo.

I ndiaidh Lá Mhaigh Eo, leanfar leis an taispeántas go dtí an 5 Bealtaine agus, mar chuid de Chlár na Bealtaine, eagrófar dhá thuras treoraithe leis an ealaíontóir Alice Dixon. Ar an 2 Bealtaine, beidh turais á reáchtáil don phobal i gcoitinne. Ar an 3 Bealtaine, beidh turais á reáchtáil do dhaoine a bhfuil néaltrú orthu agus a dteaghlaigh/cúramóirí.

Is amharc-ealaíontóir agus oideoir í Alice atá lonnaithe i gContae Mhaigh Eo a bhfuil spéis ar leith aici san ealaín phobalghníomhach.

Dátaí: 2 Bealtaine, turais don phobal i gcoitinne.
3 Bealtaine, turais do dhaoine a bhfuil néaltrú orthu.
Am: 11 am
Ionad: An tIonad Cathrach, Béal an Átha. F26 E5D7

Más mian leat turas a chur in áirithe do dhuine aonair nó do ghrúpa, glaoigh ar 094 90 64666 nó seol ríomhphost chuig mayoarts@mayococo.ie
Beidh an taispeántas ar siúl idir an 29 Aibreán - an 5 Bealtaine.

Am oscailte: 10 am - 1 pm and 2 - 4 pm

Guided Tours

As part of Mayo Day 2023, a selection of 50 artworks from the Mayo County Council's Art Collection is being exhibited in the Civic Offices, Arran Place, Ballina. A group of Ballina artists have spent time exploring the county collection with Artist Mick Smyth and the Director of Ballina Arts Centre, Paul Cunningham. This has led to the curation of a specially selected show of artworks that audiences visiting Ballina are encouraged to visit and enjoy on Mayo Day.

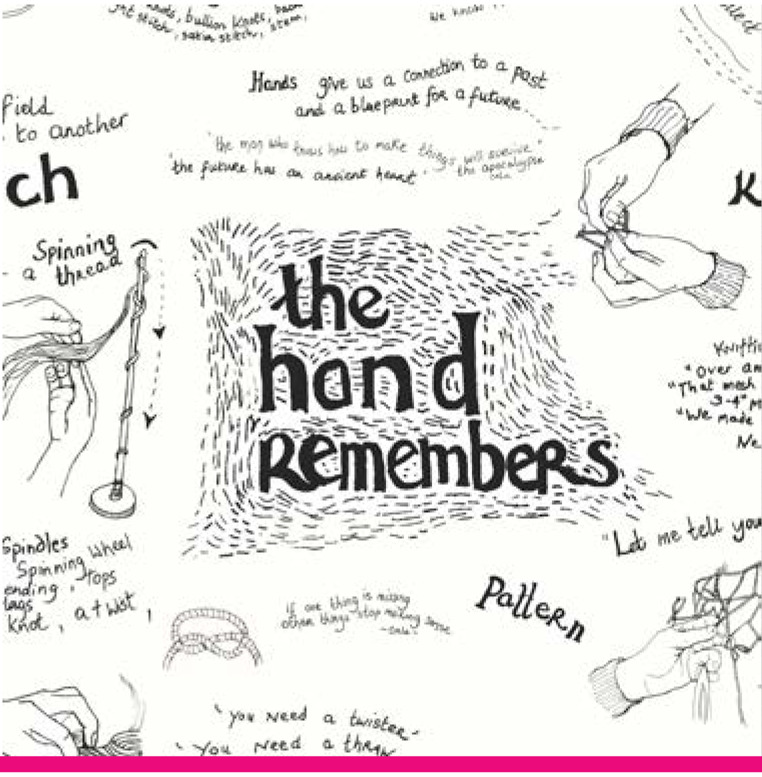
Following Mayo Day, the exhibition will continue until May 5th and, as part of the Bealtaine Programme, there will be two guided tours with artist Alice Dixon. On May 2nd tours will be available for the general public. On May 3rd, tours will be available for those living with dementia and their family/carers.

Alice Dixon is a socially engaged visual artist and educator based in County Mayo.

Dates: May 2nd, Dementia inclusive tour at 2 pm.
May 3rd, General public tour at 11 am.
Venue: Civic Centre, Ballina. F26 E5D7

To book a tour for an individual or group, please call 094 90 64666 or email mayoarts@mayococo.ie
Exhibition runs from April 29th to May 5th

Opening times: 10 am - 1 pm and 2 - 4 pm



The Hand Remembers

Is taispeántas é The Hand Remembers de shaothar ealaíne leis an ealaíontóir Mags Duffy. Is éard atá sa taispeántas seo toradh thionscadal 12 mhí atá bunaithe ar scileanna agus scéalta traidisiúnta a roinnt agus naisc nua a bhunú. D'oibrigh an t-ealaíontóir le baill níos sine den phobal chun eolas atá le fáil sna lámha a aimsiú trí rudaí difriúla a dhéanamh.

Is amharc-ealaíontóir í Mags Duffy atá lonnaithe i gCathair na Mart, Co. Mhaigh Eo. Tá taithí aici ar theicstílí trialacha a úsáid agus tá cáilíocht iarchéime aice san oideachas ealaíne. Tá breis is 30 bliain caite aici ag teagasc agus ag obair ar thionscadail phobail.

Turas & Ceardlann

Mar chuid de Bhealtaine 2023, reáchtálfar turas ar an taispeántas agus ceardlann ealaíne agus filíochta. Bunófar ábhar na ceardlainne ar chomhrá agus ar an gceardaíocht lámhdhéanta agus is iad an t-ealaíontóir Mags Duffy agus an file Geraldine Mitchell a bheith á stiúradh. Labhróidh Geraldine faoina dán. The Basket Makers Clock a scríobh sí mar mhacnamh ar an tionscadal seo.

Dáta: 11 Bealtaine Am: 11 am - 2 pm
Ionad: The Courtyard Gallery,
Ard-Mhúsaem na hÉireann – Saol na Tuaithe,
Turlach. F23 HY31

Chun áit a chur in áirithe, cuir glaoch ar 094 90 64666 nó seol ríomhphost chuig mayoarts@mayococo.ie

Beidh an taispeántas ar siúl idir an
11 Bealtaine - an 4 Meitheamh

Tá Éire Ildánach ag tacú leis an tionscadal seo.

The Hand Remembers is an exhibition of artwork by artist Mags Duffy. The exhibition is the result of a 12-month project about sharing traditional skills and stories and forging new connections. The artist worked with older members of the community to access knowledge that is held in the hands through making things.

Mags Duffy is a visual artist based in Westport, Co. Mayo. She has a background in experimental textiles and a postgraduate qualification in arts education. She has been involved in teaching and community projects for the past thirty years.

Tour & Workshop

As part of Bealtaine 2023, there will be a tour of the exhibition, and an art & poetry workshop based on the art of conversation and of handmade creations, facilitated by artist Mags Duffy and poet Geraldine Mitchell. Geraldine will talk about her poem The Basket Makers Clock written in response to the project.

Date: May 11th Time: 11 am to 2 pm
Venue: The Courtyard Gallery,
National Museum Ireland – Country Life,
Turlough. F23 HY31

To book for this event, please call 094 90 64666 or email mayoarts@mayococo.ie

The exhibition runs from
May 11th until June 4th

This project is supported by Creative Ireland.

The Month of May and the Coming of Summer

Caint leis an ealaíontóir agus béaloideasóir Michael Fortune in Aonaid Altranais Pobail Mhaigh Eo

Talk by artist and folklorist Michael Fortune in Mayo Community Nursing Units

Thar thréimhse dhá lá i mí na Bealtaine, tabharfaidh an t-ealaíontóir agus béaloideasóir Michael Fortune (ó folklore.ie) cuairt ar roinnt aonad altranais pobail réamháirithe i gCo. Mhaigh Eo. Labhróidh Michael faoi na traidisiúin agus nósanna atá luaite le mí na Bealtaine agus le Teacht an Earraigh in Éirinn.

Is bailitheoir béaloidis é Michael Fortune. D'fhás sé aníos ar chósta thoir Loch Garman agus ó dheireadh na 1990idí tá cáil bainte amach aige mar cheannródaí i réimse an bhailithe béaloidis agus na hantraipeolaíochta sóisialta, ag leibhéal áitiúil, náisiúnta agus idirnáisiúnta. Tá seanaithne ag Michael ar Chontae Mhaigh Eo agus d'oibrigh sé ar bhailiúcháin bhéaloidis sa chontae roimhe seo agus chuir sé Tionscadal Iomráiteach Dhrisiúr na hÉireann i gcrích ann in 2016.

11 Bealtaine:	Aonad Cúraim San Agaistín, Béal an Átha ag 11.30 am
11 Bealtaine:	Ospidéal an Chroí Rónaofa, Caisleán an Bharraigh ag 2 pm
12 Bealtaine:	Aonad Cúraim McBride, Cathair na Mart ag 11 am
12 Bealtaine:	Aonad Cúraim D'Alton, Clár Chlainne Mhuiris ag 1.30 pm

Over two days in May, artist and folklorist Michael Fortune (from folklore.ie) will visit a selection of pre-booked community nursing units in County Mayo. Michael will talk about the traditions and customs surrounding the month of May and the coming of summer in Ireland.

Michael Fortune is a collector of folklore. He grew up on the east coast of Wexford and since the late 1990s he has been a pioneer in the area of folklore collecting and social anthropology, locally, nationally and internationally. Michael is no stranger to County Mayo and has worked on folklore collections here in the past and conducted the celebrated Irish Dresser Project here in 2016.

May 11th:	St Augustine's Care Nursing Unit, Ballina at 11.30 am
May 11th:	Sacred Heart Hospital, Castlebar at 2 pm
May 12th:	McBride Care Nursing Unit, Westport at 11 am
May 12th:	D'Alton Care Nursing Unit, Claremorris at 1.30 pm

Arcadia

Ceardlanna Ealaíon agus Ceardaíochta ag Ionad Oidhreachta Thuaisceart Mhaigh Eo, Enniscoe
Arts & Crafts Workshops at North Mayo Heritage Centre, Enniscoe

Bí i bpáirt le healaíontóirí agus déantóirí áitiúla in Ionad Oidhreachta Thuaisceart Mhaigh Eo, Enniscoe, atá suite gar do Chrois Mhaoilíona, chun triail a bhaint as roinnt ceardlann ealaíon agus ceardaíochta.

Ar an 13 Bealtaine, fiosróidh grúpa stiúideo ealaíne agus gairdíní sainiúla Ionad Oidhreachta Thuaisceart Mhaigh Eo. I rith an lae, beidh deis ag an ngrúpa taitneamh a bhaint as ceardlanna ceirmeacha agus teicstíle faoi stiúir ealaíontóirí áitiúla, Elaine Harrington agus Gabrielle Bishop. Tabharfar cuireadh do rannpháirtithe ar shiúlóid áit a mbaileoidh siad ábhair nádúrtha a úsáidfidh siad sna ceardlanna ceirmeacha agus teicstíle seo.

Díphlugáil, athluchtaigh agus bí spreagtha ag an timpeallacht nádúrtha agus léim isteach i ndeis uathúil ealaíon agus ceardaíochta.

Chun tuilleadh eolais a fháil faoi Theach Enniscoe tabhair cuairt ar www.enniscoe.com

Dáta: 13 Bealtaine
Am: 1 - 4 pm
Ionad: Teach Enniscoe, Prospect, Caorthannán, F26 EA34

Chun áit a chur in áirithe, cuir glaoch ar 094 90 64666 nó seol ríomhphost chuig mayoarts@mayococo.ie

Join local artists and makers in North Mayo Heritage Centre, Enniscoe, located near Crossmolina, to try your hand at a selection of arts and crafts workshops.

On May 13th, a group will explore the art studio and characteristic gardens of the North Mayo Heritage Centre. Throughout the day, the group will have the opportunity to enjoy ceramic and textile workshops led by locally based artists, Elaine Harrington and Gabrielle Bishop. Participants will be invited on a walk of the grounds where they will gather natural materials which they will use in these ceramic and textile workshops.

Unplug, recharge and be inspired by the natural surroundings and delve into a unique arts and craft workshop opportunity.

To find out more about Enniscoe House visit www.enniscoe.com

Date: May 13th
Time: 1 - 4 pm
Venue: Enniscoe House, Prospect, Castlehill, F26 EA34

To book please call 094 90 64666 or email mayoarts@mayococo.ie

Shane Finan at the Jackie Clarke Collection

Idir mí Bealtaine agus mí na Samhna 2022, d'oibrigh Shane Finan le Bailiúchán Jackie Clarke mar ealaíontóir cónaithe. Rinne sé staidéar ar an gcartlann, an músaem agus an bailiúchán agus rinne sé iarracht teacht ar thuiscint ar an gcúis ar roghnaigh sé na hoibiachtaí a roghnaigh sé.

Chaith Shane roinnt ama i gcomhluadar phobal Bhéal an Átha agus an cheantair mórthimpeall agus bhailigh sé a scéalta féin ó na daoine a casadh air. Is éard atá sa saothar ealaíne, Assembly, 'músaem measctha na todhchaí' thuaisceart Chontae Mhaigh Eo.

Cruthaíonn Shane Finan saothair ealaíne ó mheáin mheasctha lena n-áirítear péinteáil, cód, suiteáil, teilgean, leictreonaic, soilse, teicneolaíochtaí idirlín agus líníocht. Tá MSc sna Meáin Dhigiteacha Idirghníomhacha (Coláiste na Tríonóide, Baile Átha Cliath, 2013) agus BA sa Mhínealaín (Institiúid Teicneolaíochta Shligigh, 2008) curtha i gcrích aige. Tá a shaothar bunaithe ar an tionchar atá ag teicneolaíochtaí ar iompar daonna agus neamhdhaonna in áiteanna.

Buailfidh Shane le breis is 55 grúpa chun a phróiseas agus a fhreagairt don bhailiúchán a phlé.

Dáta: 16 Bealtaine

Am: 2 pm

Ionad: Bailiúchán Jackie Clarke, Béal an Átha, F26 A368

Beidh Assembly le feiceáil sa Memory Room i mBailiúchán Jackie Clarke go dtí deireadh 2023.

Tá an Roinn Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán ag tacú leis an tionscadal seo.

As part of the 2022 Decade of Centenaries Programme in Mayo Shane Finan worked with the Jackie Clarke Collection as artist-in-residence. He studied the archive, the museum and the collection to understand why Jackie Clarke chose the objects he chose.

Shane spent time meeting people in Ballina and the surrounding areas and creating his own collection of stories from the people that he met. The artwork, Assembly, is a blended 'future museum' of north Co. Mayo.

Shane Finan assembles artworks from mixed media including painting, code, installation, projection, electronics, lights, internet technologies and drawing. He holds an MSc in Interactive Digital Media (Trinity College Dublin, 2013) and a BA in Fine Art (IT Sligo, 2008). His work is about how technologies influence human and nonhuman behaviours in places.

Shane will meet over 55 groups to discuss his process and response to the collection.

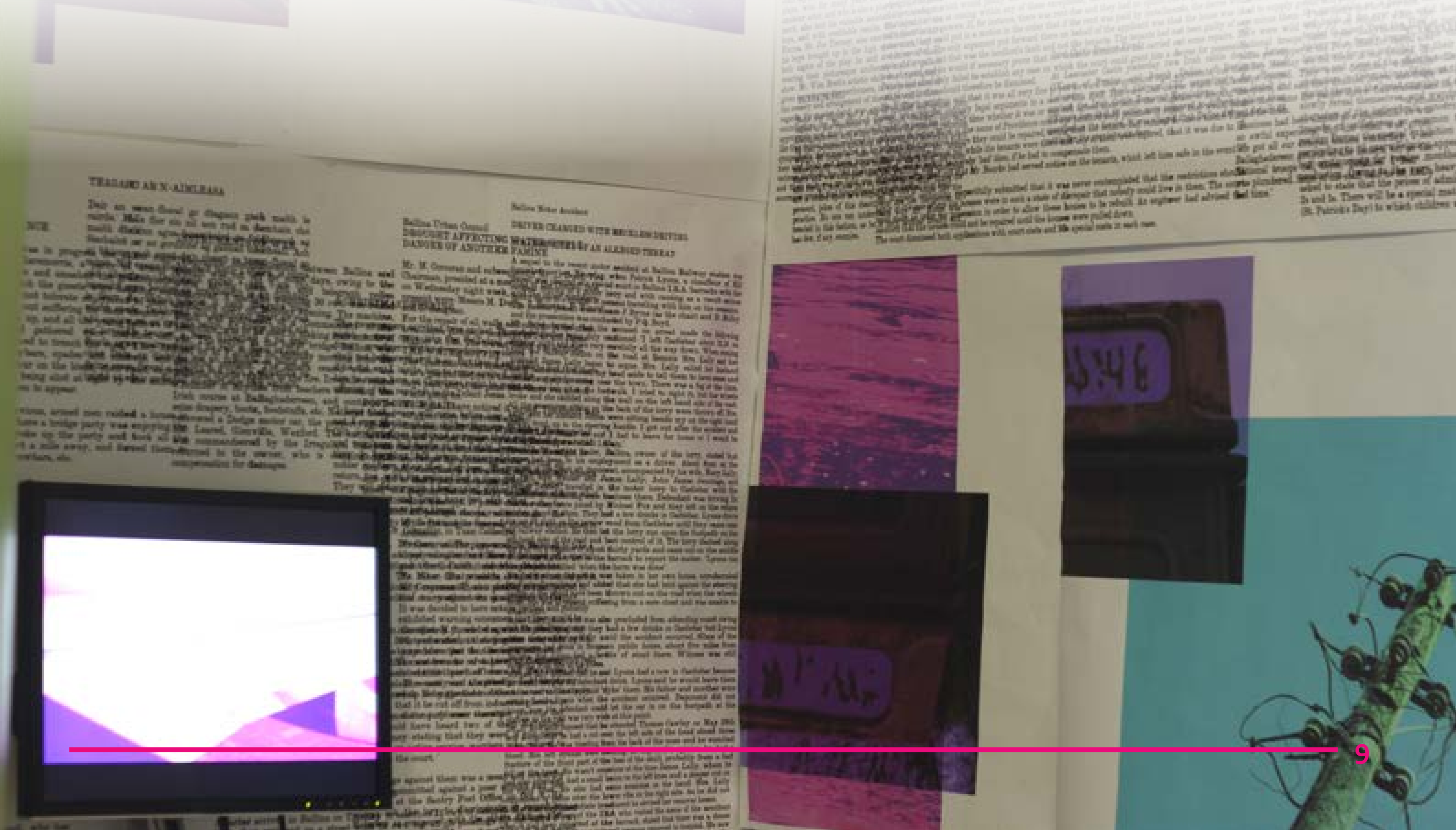
Date: May 16th

Time: 2 pm

Venue: The Jackie Clarke Collection, Ballina, F26 A368

Assembly continues at the Memory Room in the Jackie Clarke Collection until the end of 2023.

This project is supported by the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.



Onsight 2023

Tugtar Cuireadh duit Freastal ar Lá Ceiliúrtha na nEalaíon Pobail.
You are Invited to a Community Arts Day of Celebration.

Is tionscadal ealaíon bliantúil é Onsight a reáchtáiltear ag Páirc Thurlaigh, ar thailte Ard-Mhúsaem na hÉireann – Saol na Tuaithe agus is tionscnamh comhpháirtíochta é a bhfuil Seirbhís Ealaíon Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo, Ard-Mhúsaem na hÉireann – Saol na Tuaithe agus Artsquad Mhaigh Eo páirteach ann agus tá an Chomhairle Ealaíon agus Éire Ildánach ag tacú leis.

In 2023, tá cuireadh á thabhairt duit freastal ar lá ceiliúrtha na n-ealaíon pobail, lá inar féidir le cuairteoirí taitneamh a bhaint as conair ealaíne shealadach mórthimpeall na dtailte agus clár de thaibhithe fuaime beaga. Chomh maith leis sin, beidh ceardlanna ealaíne, taispeántais agus turais á reáchtáil.

Ní dhéanfaidh na hidirghabhálacha ealaíne dochar don timpeallacht agus beidh ábhair orgánacha agus inbhuanaithe in úsáid agus bainfear tairbhe as comhthéacsanna nua chun saothar cruthaitheach a chruthú ar an láthair agus chomh maith leis sin, cruthófar pobal nua do shaothar Artsquad Mhaigh Eo agus d'Ard-Mhúsaem na hÉireann – Saol na Tuaithe.

Tá tacaíocht á fáil ag imeacht na bliana seo ó Ná Fág Aon Lorg Éireann agus tugtar cuireadh do chuairteoirí 'a bPicnic féin a Thabhairt Leo'. www.leavenotraceireland.org

Beidh níos mó eolais ar fáil sna seachtainí beaga amach romhainn agus is fiú súil a choinneáil ar www.mayo.ie/arts

Dáta: 27 Bealtaine
Am: 2 - 5 pm
Ionad: Ard-Mhúsaem na hÉireann – Saol na Tuaithe, Turlach. F23 HY31

Onsight is an annual arts project that takes place at Turlough Park, on the grounds of the National Museum of Ireland – Country Life and is a partnership initiative involving the Mayo County Council Arts Service, National Museum of Ireland – Country Life and Mayo Artsquad and is supported by the Arts Council and Creative Ireland.

In 2023, audiences are invited to an intimate community arts day of celebration, where visitors can enjoy a temporary art trail around the grounds and a programme of small-scale acoustic performances. There will also be art workshops, demonstrations and tours.

The artistic interventions will be low-impact, using organic and sustainable materials and will explore new contexts for creative work on the site and will ultimately extend the audience for the work of Mayo Artsquad and the National Museum of Ireland – Country Life.

This year's event is being supported by Leave No Trace Ireland and visitors are invited to 'Bring their own Picnic'. www.leavenotraceireland.org

Further details will be available in the coming weeks so keep an eye on www.mayo.ie/arts

Date: May 27th
Time: 2 - 5 pm
Venue: National Museum of Ireland – Country Life, Turlough. F23 HY31

EXCHANGE

Meantóireacht Idirghlúine Drámaíochta

I mí Bealtaine beidh an drámadóir Terry Mc Donagh ag obair le drámadóir a bhfuil gealladh faoi, Samuel Belton. Buailfidh Terry agus Samuel le chéile i mí Bealtaine chun roinnt seisiún a reáchtáil. Beidh deis acu saothar agus smaointe a roinnt lena chéile agus a bheith ag foghlaim óna chéile.

Terry McDonagh: file agus drámadóir, chaith sé tamall ag teagasc scríbhneoireacht chruthaitheach in Ollscoil Hamburg agus ag obair mar Stiúrthóir Drámaíochta i Scoil Idirnáisiúnta Hamburg. Tá deich gcnuasach filíochta foilsithe aige mar aon le litreacha, drámaí, prós agus filíocht do dhaoine óga.

Samuel Belton: scríbhneoir óg a bhfuil gealladh faoi atá ag cur faoi i gCaisleán an Bharraigh, Co. Mhaigh Eo. Scannán, Béarla agus Fealsúnacht na hábhair a roghnaigh sé chun staidéar a dhéanamh orthu in Ollscoil na Gaillimhe. Go dtí seo tá dráma scríofa, léirithe agus comhstiúrtha aige a cuireadh ar stáitse i nGaillimh agus i gCaisleán an Bharraigh. Tá spéis ar leith ag Samuel sa scríbhneoireacht agus sa litríocht.

Theatre Mentoring Project

This May sees dramatist Terry Mc Donagh working with an up and coming playwright, Samuel Belton. Terry and Samuel will meet for a number of sessions over the month of May. They will exchange work, ideas and learn from each other.

Terry McDonagh: poet and dramatist, taught creative writing at Hamburg University and was Drama Director at the International School Hamburg. He's published ten poetry collections as well as letters, drama, prose and poetry for young people.

Samuel Belton: is a young emerging writer based in Castlebar, Co Mayo. He studied Film, English and Philosophy at University Galway. Samuel has previously written, produced and co-directed a play which played in Galway and Castlebar. Samuel has an immense passion for writing and literature.

Bealtaine 2023 i Maigh Eo

An dteastaíonn uait a fháil amach cad eile a bheidh ag tarlú le haghaidh Bealtaine? Téigh chuig www.bealtaine.ie le haghaidh liosta na n-imeachtaí. Beidh imeachtaí Bhealtaine ar siúl sna hionaid ealaíon seo a leanas i rith mhí na Bealtaine. Déan teagmháil dhíreach leis an ionad le haghaidh sonraí iomlána.

Bealtaine 2023 in Mayo

Wondering what else is happening for Bealtaine? Check out www.bealtaine.ie for events listings. The following arts venues have Bealtaine events taking place during the month of May. Please contact the venue directly for full details.

Áras Inis Gluaire
097 810 79 | info@arasinisgluaire.ie | www.arasinisgluaire.ie

Ballinglen Arts Foundation
096 431 84 | ballinglenarts@gmail.com | www.ballinglenartsfoundation.org

Linenhall Arts Centre
094 902 37 33 | info@thelinenhall.com | www.thelinenhall.com

Ballina Arts Centre
096 735 93 | info@ballinaartscentre.com | ww.ballinaartscentre.com

Custom House Studio
098 287 35 | info@customhousestudios.ie | www.customhousestudios.ie

Mayo County Library

Is féidir sonraí a fháil maidir le himeachtaí Sheirbhísí Leabharlainne Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo ag www.mayo.ie/library

Details of Mayo County Council Library Services events can be found at www.mayo.ie/library

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Ola ar pháipéar, 2001, Bailiúchán Chomhairle Contae Mhaigh Eo
Oil on paper, 2001, Mayo County Council Collection

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Leave No Trace
Bailiúchán Sheáin Uí Chléirigh / The Jackie Clarke Collection
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Mayo Artsquad
Poetry Ireland / Éigse Éireann
The Arts Council / An Chomhairle Ealaíon – funding the arts
museum – National Museum of Ireland / Ard-Mhúsaem na hÉireann
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