



*This issue of What's On Clonmel is our first double issue, in conjunction with the Clonmel Junction Arts Festival (CJAF). With over 130 events for all ages and all interests, this is the busiest week in a while.*

*We're still looking for distribution volunteers so we can go on holidays!*

*We also need your donations to print the guide and keep promoting our town and all it has to offer. G'wan, give us a few quid!*



## Daily

**My Little Library** • Free books & resources for kids starting primary school • Clonmel Library

Until 4/Jul **Misneach** • 2 person art exhibition: Ian A Mannion + Brigid Teehan • Clonmel Library

1-4/Jul **Clonmel Rock Camp 2026** • CTI The Mall

1-4/Jul **Trad Camp 2026** • CTI The Mall

1-4/Jul 20:00 **Made in Dagenham** • An uplifting, high-energy musical about courage, unity, and the fight for equality; based on a true story • White Memorial Theatre

3-13/Jul **Clonmel Art Trail: Unconformities** • Text-based interventions by Bridget O'Gorman, start at STAC • Loc, around Clonmel

3-13/Jul **Cultural Exchanges: Commonality and Community** • Textile installation by Annie Hogg and local communities around the use of plants in Ukrainian and Irish traditions • Mitchell Street

3-13/Jul **The Clonmel Exchanges Podcast Project Cabinet of Curiosities** • Tipperary writers interview

those who have loved and left Clonmel, mentored by Siobhán McHugh • Locations around Clonmel

3/Jul-30/Sep **Young Curators: 2B or Not to Be** • Works from the UL art collection, curated by Transition Year students • Main Guard

3-11/Jul **Courage to Welcome** • Exhibition of street photographs by members of Clonmel Together & local IPAS centre staff • Tipperary Museum of Hidden History

3/Jul-1/Aug **The Blackened Circle** • Project by Séamus Nolan in collaboration with the Clonmel Traveller community • STAC

3-12/Jul **Dream | Design | Draw** • Grand designs for Clonmel, created by Clonmel Cub Scouts with artist and architect Selene Murphy • The Platform, Showgrounds S. C.

3-12/Jul **No CTRL: Expression NOT Suppression** • Installation and gaming space, by CJAF Youth Council • Former Gamestop

3-13/Jul **The Mask Project** • Over 100 large scale papier mâché masks created by community groups and schools with artist Tom Campbell • ONLY, Showgrounds S. C.

3-12/Jul 14:00-19:00 **Resonance Records** • Pop-up recording studio, a chance to professionally record your music • Lonergan's

4-5/Jul 10:00 **Plein Air** • Paint-outs in Clonmel, Carrick, Cashel & Cahir; workshops & competition • Abbey Street Performance Space

4-5/Jul 15:00, 17:00, 19:00 **Distillation** • A performative journey to the Irish bog through scent, by Luke Casserly • STAC Chapel

6-18/Jul **Alan Clarke Exhibition** • Iconic illustrations of Ross O'Car-

roll-Kelly • Clonmel Library   
7-8/Jul 10:00, 14:00 **Mask Painting Workshops** • Decorate the large masks created for The Mask Project • ONLY, Showgrounds S. C.

8/Jul-5/Sep **Plein Air Exhibition** • Paintings created entirely on location during the Plein Air event (4-5/Jul) • Linn Gallery

Mon 10:00, Tue 14:00 **Bridge Club** • Social games of bridge • Clonmel Bridge Centre

Tue & Thu 10:00-12:00 **Fethard Men's Shed** • A friendly place to meet, chat, and work on projects together • Fethard Town Park

Wed & Fri 10:00-13:00 **Adult Mental Health Support** • Drop-in cuppa & chat • Place4U

## Wednesday 1/Jul

10:00-11:30 **Mother & Baby Group** • St. Oliver's Parish Centre

12:00 **South Tipperary Adult Autism Social Group** • The Velvet Room Boutique

18:00 **Peaks Mountaineering Club** • Grade 1 evening walks, free walks for new members • Eldon's

18:30-20:30 **South Tipperary Women in Business** • Monthly meeting • Talbot Hotel

19:15 **Set Dancing Class** • Clerihan Community Hall

20:00 **Benedictine Quartet** • Acoustic country & Americana • Phil Carroll's

20:00 **Karaoke Night** • Hosted by Louis Quirke • Lonergan's

20:00 **Ladies' & Men's Wednesday Darts** • 37 Queen St

20:00 **Salsa Cubana** • Class for beginners • The Coachman

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live music session dance social market talk walk children eco/green comedy storytelling arts junction festival

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21:00 **Sin a bhfuil** • Ballad session • Carey's 📺🔪

## Thursday 2/Jul

10:00–13:00 **Golden Vale Research Open Day** • Engaging research, the latest agri-tech innovations and more • Golden Vale Research RSVP

11:15 **Ciorcal Comhrá** • Informal conversational Irish group for all • Clonmel Library 📺🔪

17:30–19:30 **Bike Repair Club** • Learn & practice your repair skills • The Circular Square 📺🔪

20:00 **Cards Night** • Join a team or bring yours • Halfway House 📺

20:00 **Clonmel LGBTQI+ meetup** • Chat and make friends in your local community • 37 Queen St 📺🔪

20:30 **Thirsty Thursday** • Live DJ on the night • Gleeson's 📺🔪

21:00 **Open Mic with Dave Hastie** • Show what you've got, or just enjoy the talent! • Lonergan's 📺🔪

21:30 **Vincent Vaughan** • Live music • Moran's 📺🔪

## Friday 3/Jul

10:30 **Set Dance Class** • St. Oliver's Parish Centre 📺🔪

11:00 **Festival Opening & The Clonmel Exchanges Podcast Project Launch** • With podcaster Siobhán McHugh • Fetch Coffee 📺🔪

12:00–16:00 **Guerilla Gaeilge** • Activist Áine Gallagher will occupy a bench on Parnell Street with her “Cup of Focals” • Parnell Street 📺🔪

16:00 **Toddler Storytime** • Short stories, rhymes, songs, and lots of giggles • Clonmel Library 📺🔪

17:00–19:30 **Young Curators: 2B or Not to Be Launch** • Exhibition launch • Main Guard 📺🔪

18:00–20:00 **The Blackened Circle** • Exhibition launch • STAC 📺🔪

19:00 **CTRL** • Essays exploring video games • Former Gamestop 📺🔪

20:00 **Clerihan Men's Shed Bingo** • Clerihan Community Hall 📺

20:00 **Darts Night** • Join a team or bring yours • Halfway House 📺

20:00 **Exchanges: A Performance by Dagogo Hart and Andy Spearpoint** • Identity, ageing, parenthood and finding oneself in a foreign culture • STAC Chapel 📺🔪

20:00 **Me, Myself and Ireland** • A feel-good show by Ailish McCarthy about what it takes to “stand up” for artists • Mulcahy's 📺🔪

20:30 **Fundraising Karaoke Night** • For South Tipp. Autism Parent Support Group • The Coachman 📺🔪

21:00 **Fred's Session** • Eclectic jam session: tunes, poems, jokes; now with a piano! • Fozzy's 📺🔪

21:30 **Cillian Maher** • Live music • Wheat Bar & Bistro 📺

21:30 **Eoin Barrett** • Live music • Lonergan's 📺

21:30 **Lorraine & Caoimhe** • Contemporary Irish Folk/Trad • Gleeson's 📺

22:00 **Pat Holland** • Mix of 70's up to current date chart music • The Coachman 📺

22:00 **The Seven Rivers of the Sun** • A magical procession of light through Clonmel, by theatre company LUXE • Kickham Plaza 📺🔪

## Saturday 4/Jul

9:30–14:00 **Farmers Market** • St. Peter & Paul CBS 📺🔪

9:30 **Parkrun** • Walk, jog or run 5k • Gashouse Bridge 📺🔪

10:30 **Plein Air Workshop for Beginners** • With Jacqueline Gartlan, for painters who are new to plein air • Loc. around Clonmel 📺🔪

10:30 **Plein Air Workshop** • Kieran Guckian shares his process in acrylics • L. around Clonmel 📺🔪

11:00 **Clonmel Walking Tour** • Dis-

cover the historic medieval town • Old St. Mary's Church 📺🔪

11:00–12:00 **Comic Strip Workshop** • With cartoonist Paul Ryan, ages 7–9 • Clonmel Library RSVP 📺🔪

11:00–16:00 **Guerilla Gaeilge** • Join Áine Gallagher's movement to “Focal the Nation” • Parnell Street 📺🔪

11:00–16:00 **Music Performances in Town** • Clonmel Community Choir, Music Generation, New Inn Voices, Comhaltas, Concertina Ensemble & others • Abbey Street Performance Space & Main Guard 📺🔪

11:00 **Sketching Tour** • Explore & sketch the local architecture and landscape with Niamh McGiff & Oliver Baros • STAC Chapel RSVP 📺🔪

11:00, 14:00 **The Drop Bubble Show** • The playful world of a scientist where raindrops become extraordinary bubble creations • Showgrounds S. C. Theatre 📺🔪

13:00–16:30 **Music Generation Tipperary Rock Camp & Trad Camp Showcase** • Performances from young musicians • Abbey Street Performance Space 📺🔪

14:00 **Junior Chess Club** • For kids who want to level up their skills • Clonmel Library 📺🔪

14:00 **Solidarity with Palestine** • Former Heaton's Store 📺🔪

15:15–16:15 **Comic Strip Workshop** • With cartoonist Paul Ryan, ages 10–12 • Clonmel Library RSVP 📺🔪

16:00–18:30 **Youth Council Performance Trail** • Live music, dance and spoken word • Locations around Clonmel 📺🔪

19:00 **Pool Tournament** • In aid of Marlfield Village defibrillator (AED), training responders and maintenance • Halfway House 📺🔪

20:00 **Fethard Choral Group** • New members are always welcome • Pres. Convent Chapel, Fethard 📺🔪



20:00 **The Debt is Settled** • A meditation on grief, loss, guilt and survival, by Tonie Walsh • Showgrounds S. C. Theatre

20:30 **Summer Sessions** • With Dj Paulie C • 37 Queen St

20:30 **The Hesitations** • Dave Hastie & Ross Boland • Mulcahy's

21:00 **DJ John** • Bennigan's

21:00 **Keltic Swing** • Guitar & bodhrán • Lonergan's

21:30 **Dee Morrissey** • Finalist of TG4's music show "Glór Tíre" • Harney's Final Furlong, Clerihan

21:30 **Honeycomb** • Live music • Gleeson's

21:30 **Seamus Hennessy** • Live music • Wheat Bar & Bistro

22:00 **The Minus** • Live music • Carey's

22:00 **The Ramblin' Rovers** • Live music • The Coachman

## Sunday 5/Jul

9:00–18:00 **Clonmel Show** • Horse & agricultural show; competitions, classes, displays and more • Clonmel Racecourse

11:00–16:00 **Guerilla Gaeilge** • Áine is on the move to enlist more recruits • Loc. around Clonmel

12:00–13:00 **Book Club with Cathy Sweeney** • Chat about her novel, Breakdown • Clonmel Library

12:00–13:00 **Outdoor Yoga in the Park** • Denis Burke Park

14:00–15:30 **Oud and Double Bass Workshop with Sun Merchant** • Learn to groove in unusual time signatures • Baker's

15:00 **Book Launch: All of the Colours Anthology** • By Tipp. writer Brian Clancy • Main Guard

16:30–18:00 **Being Other in Rural Ireland** • Discussion panel led by TV presenter Helen Carroll • Showgrounds S. C. Theatre

17:00–17:45 **Plein Air Wet Paint Exhibition** • Abbey Street Performance Space

17:30 **Dee Morrissey** • Finalist of TG4's hit country music show "Glór Tíre" • The Coachman

18:00 **Pa Butler** • Live DJ • Bennigan's

19:00 **DJ Nigel Byrne** • Live DJ • Gleeson's

19:00 **Open Mic** • With Ross Boland & Louis Quirke • 37 Queen St

20:00–22:00 **Story Slam** • Local storytellers tell a true story against the clock • Baker's

20:30 **Shredder's Sit Down Sessions** • With Fred & Derek, bring your instruments! • Lonergan's

20:30 **Social Dancing** • Dance the night away, with live music by Peter Burke • Fethard Ballroom

20:30 **Sunday Tunes** • Live DJ on the night • Gleeson's

## Monday 6/Jul

15:00 **Shorts Double Bill** • Screening and Q&A: "The Good Farmer and the Failed Son" & "Water Under the Bridge" • IMC Cinema

18:00–19:00 **TUS Student Animation Showcase** • Premiere of animated shorts • IMC Cinema

20:00–22:00 **Born That Way** • A film about Care. And Love. And Patrick Lydon • IMC Cinema

20:00 **Monday Bingo** • Hillview Sports Club

21:00 **Gleeson's Open Jam** • Jam session • Gleeson's

21:00 **Ryans and Friends** • Trad session, bringing the best of Irish traditional music • Baker's

## Tuesday 7/Jul

10:00–13:00 **Pottery Painting** • Ages 8–12, materials provided • The Platform, Showgrounds S. C.

10:30–12:30 **Craft Circle** • An informal group for people who love crafting • Clonmel Library

11:00 **Clonmel Walking Tour** • Discover the historic medieval town • Old St. Mary's Church

14:30–16:00 **Pottery Painting for Adults** • Materials provided • The Platform, Showgrounds

18:00–19:00 **Plein Air Exhibition Opening** • Linn Gallery

20:00 **Muck** • A rehearsed reading & Q&A by author Roseanna Purcell • Showgrounds S. C. Theatre

20:00 **Trivia Tuesday** • Free table quiz • Lonergan's

20:15 **Bachata Dance** • Class for Beginners • The Coachman

21:00 **Platform 5** • Showcase of original music • Gleeson's

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