

What's On Clonmel

Weekly events guide

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What a week for Clonmel!

*Last Thursday the weekly **Open Mic** organised by Dave Hastie & Louis Quirke gathered musicians from all over for a last hooley at Lonergan's before their move to a new venue.*

*At the weekend people of all ages saw musicians from 10 to 80 perform in every corner and pub of the town centre for the **Busking Festival**, filling the town with a magical buzz. With many more great events in the works, including our first birthday, we can say **Clonmel is rocking!***

Daily

My Little Library • Free books and resources • Clonmel Library  

Order from Chaos • Exhibition exploring the history of policing • Museum of Hidden History  

Young Curators: 2B or Not to Be • Works curated by local Transition Year students • Main Guard  

Plein Air Exhibition • Paintings created entirely on location • Linn Gallery   

4–15/Aug **Frank O'Rourke** • Exhibi-

tion of paintings, mosaics & sculptures • Clonmel Library  

10–14/Aug **Art & Design Summer**

Camp • Painting, print, design, crafts & more • The Yoga Yard  

15–22/Aug **Hands of Heritage** •

Week-long programme of events •

Museum of Hidden History   

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  

Sun & Tue 11:00–13:00 **Clonmel**

Walking Tour • Discover the historic medieval town • Old St. Mary's Church  

Wednesday 12/Aug

9:30–11:30 & 14:30–16:00 **Toy Lib-**

rary • The Circular Square  

19:00 **Christopher Fabie's Irish**

Celebration of Life • Friends, students & musicians gather to remember the inspiring artist a year after his passing • The Coachman  

 recurring	 fee paid	 book. req.	 live music	 session	 dance
 dj	 solidarity	 exhibition	 social	 market	 talk
 learn	 sports	 walk	 children	 eco/green	 health
 theatre	 storytelling	 arts	 history	 language	 crafts
 food		 junction festival		 heritage week	

19:00–21:00 **Knit & Mend Circle** • Knit, crochet, darning & mending circle • The Circular Square ♻️

19:15 **Set Dancing Class** • Clerihan Community Hall 🇮🇪🎵👤

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

21:00 **Sin a bhfuil** • Ballad session • Carey's 🇮🇪🎸

Thursday 13/Aug

11:00 **26 @ 62 Irishtown** • The 1926 census in 62 Irishtown: who was in the house that evening, what were their stories? • 62 Irishtown 🏠

17:30–19:30 **Monthly Repair Club** • Gain confidence repairing stuff • The Circular Square ♻️

19:00 **Games Night** • Chess, darts, pool, board & card games, FIFA & Mario Kart • 37 Queen St 🇮🇪🎮

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

20:00 **Thirsty Thursday** • With DJ Lorcan Ryan • Gleeson's 🇮🇪🎵

21:30 **Vincent Vaughan** • Live music • Moran's 🇮🇪🎵

Friday 14/Aug

10:30 **Set Dance Class** • St. Oliver's Parish Centre 🇮🇪🎵👤

11:00 **Clay Animation Workshop** • Stop-motion workshop with Mike Byrne • Clonmel Library ^{RSVP}🎨🔪

16:00 **Toddler Storytime** • Short stories, rhymes, songs, and lots of

giggles • Clonmel Library 🇮🇪👤📖

18:00 **Sensory Friendly Debs Ball** • Music by Dublin City Ramblers & DJ Billy Bop • Talbot Hotel 🎵🎵🎵

20:00 **Canvas & Cocktails** • Painting class, supplies and cocktail included • 37 Queen St 🎨🍷

20:00 **Clerihan Men's Shed Bingo** • Bus service from Clonmel • Clerihan Community Hall 🇮🇪

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

21:00 **Donnybrook Fair** • Live music celebrating 25 years of Barne Lodge • Barne Lodge 🎵

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

21:30 **Sophie & Richie** • Live Music • Wheat Bar & Bistro 🎵

22:00 **Conor Ocean** • Live music • The Coachman 🎵

Saturday 15/Aug

9:30–14:00 **Farmers Market** • St. Peter & Paul CBS 🇮🇪📖

9:30 **Parkrun** • Walk, jog or run 5k • Gashouse Bridge 🇮🇪^{RSVP}🚶🏃🚴

10:00–13:00 **Marlfield History & Nature Walk & Medieval Ink Workshop** • Explore local history & biodiversity & learn about oak gall ink • Marlfield Lake ^{RSVP}👤🚶🏃🚴

12:00 **The Museum That Joe Built** • Documentary film screening • Clon-

mel Library RSVP 🍷🍷🍷

14:00 From Fleece to Yarn •
Discover the timeless craft of
wool spinning with artist
Grainne Zannis • Clonmel
Library 🧶🧶🧶

14:00 Junior Chess Club • Clonmel
Library ♔♚

14:00 Solidarity with Palestine •
Come stand with the people of
Palestine • Main Guard 🇵🇸🇵🇸

**15:00 Ladies Dragon Boating
Taster •** As part of HER Outdoors
Week • Clonmel Rowing Club 🐉🐉

**15:00 March for Peace and Irish
Neutrality •** Finishing with a rally
at the Plaza • Westgate

19:00 Pool Tournament • In aid of
Marlfield Village defibrillator; cash
prizes, live music with Fred & Derek
• Halfway House 🍷🎵🎵

20:00 Charity Music Bingo • In aid
of C.A.R.E cancer care support in
Clonmel • 37 Queen St 🎲

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

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

21:00 Pa Butler • Live DJ • Ben-
nigan's 🎧

21:30 Monticelli • Three brothers
that love to rock • Gleeson's 🎵

21:30 The Lonergans • Two siblings

Donations



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play rock, pop, country & Ir-
ish • Harney's Final Furlong,
Clerihan 🎵

21:30 Tipperary Ramblers •
Folk, trad, and rebel songs •
Wheat Bar & Bistro 🎵

22:00 Just Johnny • Live music •
Carey's 🎵

**22:00 Marion Kelly & Jason Hen-
nessy •** The Coachman 🎵

Sunday 16/Aug

14:00 Fancy Dress Parade •
Parade to the Medieval Town Wall
Park, led by Banna Chluain Meala •
Fethard Ballroom Car Park 🎵🎵

**14:00 Fethard 100th Heritage Day
Festival •** Entertainment, music, cul-
ture & activities for every age •
Town Wall Watergate 🎵🎵🎵🎵

17:00 One Way Round • Pop, rock,
country & dance • The Coachman 🎵

20:30 Social Dancing • Live music
by Magic Moments • Fethard Ball-
room 🎵🎵🎵🎵

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

Monday 17/Aug

**8:45 & 9:45 Heritage on a Plate: A
Local Tipperary Food Journey •**
Day-long bus tour of local producers
• Museum of Hidden History RSVP 🎵🎵

**9:00 Stagecraft Junior Summer
Camp & Senior Summer Project •**
5-day program for ages 5–13 & 13–

18: acting, singing, dancing & more •

St. Peter & Paul CBS    

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

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

21:00 **Ryans and Friends** • Trad session • Baker's  

Tuesday 18/Aug

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

18:00 **Scraps** • An incredible musical mash-up; information meeting • St. Peter & Paul CBS  

19:00 **Spanish for Beginners** • For adults • The Coachman   

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

Wednesday 19/Aug

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

10:30 **A Lifelong Love of Knitting** • Leisa Grey explores the role of knitting through history & cultures • Museum of Hidden History   

11:00–13:00 **Play, Connect & Explore Summer Sessions** • For ages 0–5 • Clonmel Og GAA Club  

12:30–15:00 **Joanne Slevin: Sheep**

Farmer and expert Spinner •

Transforming fleece into yarn • Museum of Hidden History   

19:00–21:00 **Sew Social** • Practice your sewing skills • The Circular Square  

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

20:00 **Caleb Clauder & Reeb**

Willms • Two soul singers of country music, from the Foghorn Stringband • Baker's  

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