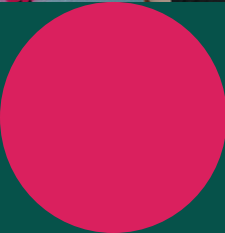
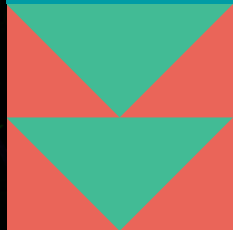
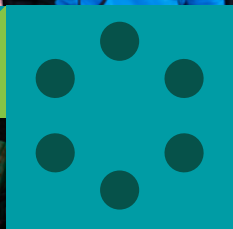
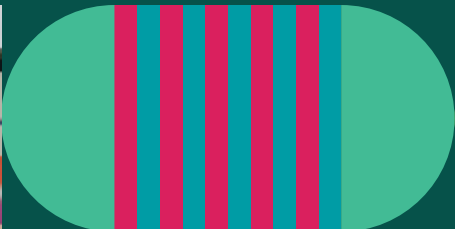


Limerick and Clare Education and Training Board's
Local Creative Youth Partnership presents

Call & Response 2022

A festive trail of arts and creative events
on both sides of the Shannon Estuary



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Call & Response 2022

a Creative Youth Festival around the Shannon Estuary

Join us on for Call & Response 2022, our third annual festival, celebrating youth creativity in Limerick and Clare. Dance, drama, visual art, music and cultural gatherings are at the core of this year's events - all of which are designed based on the voice of the young person. Participants and audiences can enjoy new murals in Pallasgreen, Askeaton and Rathkeale as well as outdoor exhibitions in Ennis and Limerick City.

For the first time, our festival foregrounds the voice of the very young child through INSPIRE, our early years programme, initiated in partnership with Clare County Childcare Committee and Limerick Childcare Committee in 2019. In Clare, very young children will hear recordings of their peers' voices through workshops in Clare County Library branches. In Limerick, Naíonra na nÓg Pre-School, Caherdavin open their doors to very limited audiences who can observe some of our dance and movement workshops.

A Teenage Gathering in glór, a radio play premiere, created by young people from Dóchas Midwest, a work-in-progress drama in the Belltable, a clay workshop in the Hunt Museum, a dance jam in Dance Limerick and a new music video for Abbeyfeale's 'Succeed' crew add to the multidisciplinary mix that makes up an exciting programme of work.

Sincere thanks to our funding partners who enable this work to happen, to our collaborators from the youth and cultural sectors, and the many community and voluntary organisations who support our work.

We hope you enjoy the programme!
The Local Creative Youth Partnership

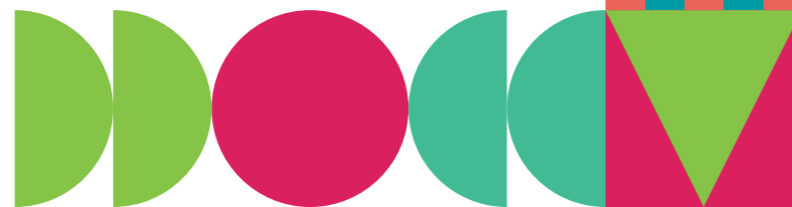
Pailís Ghréine; The Sun Goddess, Mural Launch

Friday, September 16th 6.30pm - 7.30pm

The first event in this year's Call & Response programme is the launch of a new mural in Pallasgreen's Sensory Garden in the heart of the East Limerick village. This mural was created by over twenty young people working with artists Julianne Hennelly and James Ryan during the summer months of 2022. Supported by Pallasgreen Templebraiden Community Council and led by youth leader Stephen O'Neill, this ambitious public art project received funding from the National Youth Council of Ireland, Limerick Arts Office, Ballyhoura Development Company as well as core funding from the Local Creative Youth Partnership who co-managed the project with Pallasgreen Youth Club.

The community party will include food and music with performances from Pallasgreen's emerging young musicians.

The launch party is free and open to all members of the local community. Pre-registration is essential via email to monica.spencer@lcteb.ie



A Teenage Gathering

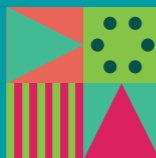
glór, Ennis, Saturday September 17th 1.30 to 3.30pm

Teenagers, aged 13 to 19, are invited to a social and cultural gathering to share and enjoy performances, music, photography, dance, spoken word, make-up, henna tattoo and food sharing. This September Teenage Gathering in glór builds on similar events held elsewhere in the Midwest, which began as a process of informal cultural sharing, providing an atmosphere where teenagers can enjoy a range of creative experiences or simply hang out.

Some of the Local Creative Youth Partnership's expert tutors and artists will be on hand to support young attendees to try out different experiences with taster workshops in a range of art forms.

A Teenage Gathering is free but participants are asked to bring something to share in the form of a song, poem, drawing, food or any part of their everyday culture that others might like to see or hear.

This event is limited to teenagers and pre-registration is essential. Parents/guardians and group leaders should contact monica.spencer@lctb.ie for more information.



Culture Night Newcastle West

Friday, September 23rd, 12 Noon to 8pm
Visual Art Exhibition and taster workshops

Newcastle West goes festive for Culture Night as young artists aged 10 to 18 from Foróige's Creative Learning Hub, present an exhibition of work and offer workshops in a range of creative disciplines. Over the summer months of 2022 young people worked on a project involving painting 15 post boxes and 15 canvas pieces, all of which will be exhibited in The Red Door Gallery for Culture Night. Members of the public can view the work from 12pm to 2pm and from 7pm to 8pm in The Red Door Gallery, after which, the post boxes will be installed in locations around the town. Newcastle West Tidy Towns and Newcastle West Arts have been instrumental in helping get this project off the ground and the young people are very excited to have their work enhance West Limerick's County Town of which they are very proud.



Members of the Creative Hub also invite young people to try out workshops across a variety of artistic disciplines including music with County Limerick Music Generation, visual art and craft. Each workshop runs for two hours giving participants time to have a quality engagement in more than one activity.

Exhibition opening time for members of the public
12 Noon to 2pm and 7pm to 8pm

Workshop times in the Foróige Youth Centre and The Red Door Gallery
2pm to 4pm for 13 to 18 year olds
5pm to 7pm for 10 to 12 year olds

Workshop places limited - booking essential -
Contact Elaine Williams at Foróige on
086 8579895 for booking link.

The Spectrum and The Game

a radio drama presented by Dóchas Midwest Youth Group. Limerick City Community Radio, Sunday September 25th at 3.30pm

Tune into LCCR's Community Focus programme on Sunday afternoon, September 25th to hear the world premiere of The Spectrum and The Game, a new radio play written and performed by young people associated with Dóchas Midwest Autism Support. During periods of lockdown in 2021 and 2022, members of this group worked with Local Creative Youth Partnership Tutor and theatre maker John Hogan to devise and perform a script which was recorded at the Learning Hub in Kileely. Community Focus presenter, Ger Leddin will chat to some of the young participants from this project about how they came up with the idea and turned it into a radio drama. The Spectrum and The Game is just ten minutes long and is set in a gaming shop on a morning when a new game is due to go on sale. A very excited young girl ventures into the shop to enquire about the game and is met with a none too pleasant experience.

You can find Limerick City Community Radio on 99.9FM or online at LCCR.ie. The Spectrum and the Game will be broadcast during Community Focus between 3.30 and 4pm on Sunday, September 25th.



Music Video Launch for 'Succeed' by Abbeyfeale's Succeed Crew

Saturday, September 24th 12 Noon

Having worked hard creating their own track in recent months and reaching over 15,000 hits to date on Soundcloud, Abbeyfeale's Succeed Crew invite you to celebrate the launch of their new music video, recorded by Ellie Mallon with support from Frank McCarthy and members of the Cúla Búla crew. In collaboration with West Limerick Resources SICAP programme. Links to the video launch will be available on the Local Creative Youth Partnership's twitter handle @LimClareETB_CYP and our Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/LimClareETBYouthWork>. Launch time is 12 Noon on Saturday, September 24th.



Shape the Clay Taster Workshop

Hunt Museum, Saturday October 1st, 11.00am to 1pm

Experimentation in clay is the order of the day during this workshop. Young people can try their hand at coil building, a foundational and ancient skill used since the Neolithic Stone Age period to create pottery vessels. They will also explore and get to grips with the Ancient Greek's graffito technique, a method of scratching away painted clay to create popping images, patterns and textures. All materials are supplied but participants should bring an apron or wear old clothes.

Pre-registration for these workshops is essential. Email educationoffice@huntmuseum.com or call **061 490089**.



INSPIRE: The Art of Storytelling

Children's Workshops in Clare County Library branches, October 8th, 14th and 21st

Clare County Childcare Committee, Creative Ireland Clare and the Local Creative Youth Partnership collaborate to present workshops for children aged 2½ to 5 years. Children will be welcomed to the library branches listed below to hear the voices of preschool children, which were recorded earlier this year by artist, John Lillis, in Funscoil, Carrigaholt, Burren Sonas Kindergarten and Teach Spraoi, Toonagh. The aim of this programme, which began in 2019, is to hear the stories that young children are telling us through their play. On the day, children will have the opportunity to participate in short drawing workshops as they listen to the voices of their peers. As part of this ongoing storytelling initiative, the children's conversations will be recorded throughout.

Clare County Library:

- Kilkee, Sweeney Memorial Public Library, Wednesday, October 5th. 10am and 11am
- Ennis, De Valera Library, Friday, October 14th 10.00am to 11.00am
- Corofin Library, Friday, October 21st 10.00am to 11.00am

INSPIRE: Movement and Dance for Pre-school Children

Open workshop September 26th

Limerick Childcare Committee, Dance Limerick and the Local Creative Youth Partnership have been working together, since 2019, to develop dance and movement programmes for very young children. In April and May of 2022, dance artist, Aoife Roche worked in a number of early years settings, facilitating dance workshops with very young children. As these workshops resume for an autumn season, Naionra na nÓg Pre-School in Caherdavin will open its doors to a small audience to observe one of these sessions. Audiences may attend a workshop on the following date:

Naionra na nÓg Pre-School, Caherdavin, Limerick
September 26th 10am.

Pre-registration for all early years workshops is essential. Email monica.spencer@lcteb.ie for further information and booking details.



INSPIRE: Storytelling Workshop for Early Childhood Educators

Ennis, Saturday October 8th



With support from Creative Ireland Clare and in partnership with Clare County Childcare Committee, the Local Creative Youth Partnership invites early years educators to attend a free storytelling workshop. Theatre artists Jacinta Sheerin and Georgina Miller will facilitate a morning workshop for early years educators who wish to develop their storytelling skills with young children. Both Jacinta and Georgina have extensive experience as facilitators and as parents in creating stories with the very young. In 2021, Jacinta was resident in two early education centres in Loop Head, as part of the INSPIRE programme and she subsequently created a video based on a character Fontane the Bear. This workshop will provide participants with the information and skills to develop vocal technique, story creation, and interactive storytelling skills. Saturday, October 8th 10.30am to 12.30pm Limerick and Clare Education and Training Board Clonroad Campus.

Pre-registration for these workshops is essential. Email monica.spencer@lcteb.ie for further information and booking details.

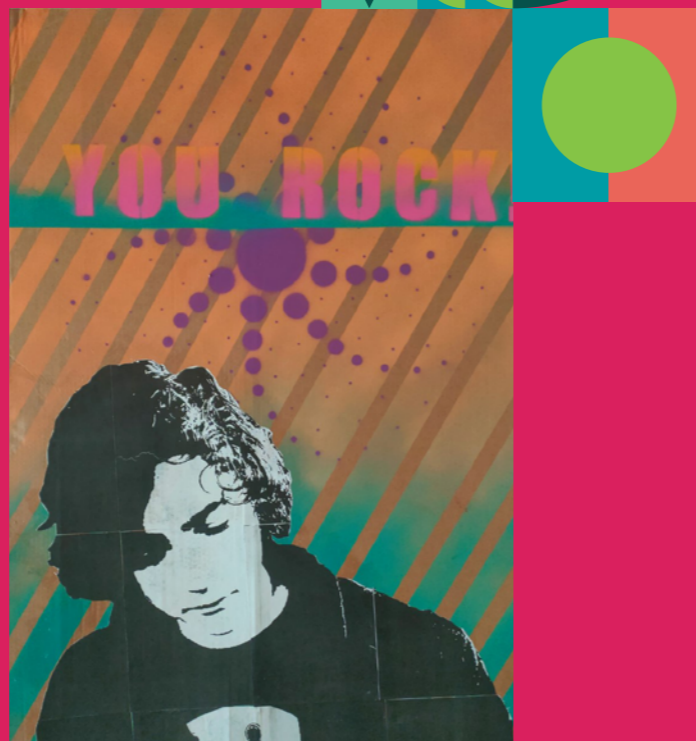


Launch of Outdoor Exhibition

Clare Youth Service, Ennis, October 10th 4pm

Clare Youth Service marks World Mental Health Day with a new mobile, outdoor exhibition to be unveiled at CYS headquarters on Carmody St. in Ennis on October 10th. This project is part of the Five a Day for your Mental Health programme and reflects the work of Clare Youth Service members in promoting positive mental health through its Five a Day programme of work. Led by Ennis based artist, Ana Colomer, young people will share the work they have created, and which will be available, going forward, to tour to outdoor locations throughout Clare and beyond.

Members of the public can view the new pieces of work from Carmody St. and young people are invited to join one of the activities in the youth service headquarters from 5pm. Further information from pmcmullin@clareyouthservice.org.



Thomond Youth Theatre Open Workshop

Beltable, Limerick, Tuesday October 11th 7pm

In collaboration with Thomond Community College and the Bualadh Bos Children's festival, the Local Creative Youth Partnership is delighted to present the Thomond Youth Theatre Open Workshop. Developed by young people through after school workshops on Limerick City's north side, this event represents an informal sharing of creative writing, original artwork and drama - made by and for young people over the last 6 months. Facilitated by Zara Starr-Madden, John Hogan and Liam McCarthy.

Booking and further information from boxoffice@limetreetheatre.ie 061 953400.



Teenage Dance Jam

Dance Limerick Church, John's Square, Limerick.
Saturday 15th October, 1.30pm to 3.30pm

Teenagers, aged 13 to 18, are invited to join us at Dance Limerick for a celebration of Hip Hop, Contemporary, Afro Beat Folk and popular dance styles that young people enjoy and request. This session will take place in Dance Limerick Church, John's Square and promises to be a fun afternoon of sharing and dance-offs as the closing event of our Call & Response Festival 2022.

Pre-registration for these workshops is essential.
Email monica.spencer@lcteb.ie for further information and booking details.



OUTDOOR EXHIBITIONS AND MURALS

The Walls of West Limerick

Mural Projects in Rathkeale and Askeaton, ONGOING

It is worth a visit to the West Limerick towns of Askeaton and Rathkeale in the coming months to take a look at some magnificent work created by members of Limerick Youth Service groups. Working with artist Rachel Grainger, the work of the young people has had a dramatic impact on the wall of The Solar Youth Space at the Askeaton Community Centre. During September, a second mural - also guided by Rachel, was created in the patio area of Rathkeale Youth Space. Both Rathkeale Youth Space and Askeaton Community Centre are landmark buildings in their respective towns and are accessible to members of the public during daytime hours.



My Island, Photographic Exhibition

Exchange Wall Nicholas St., Limerick, ONGOING

Young members from the Nicholas St. Branch of Limerick Youth Service, present impressions of their community through the medium of largescale photographic images, mounted in the arches of the historic Exchange Wall in the heart of Limerick's most historic quarter. Working with photographic artist, Stephen Lappin, in recent months, this group now shares their sense of pride in their community through a series of quality images for the public.



Festival at a glance – Events in order of date

DATE	LOCATION	TIME	PAGE	BOOKING NOTE
Friday September 16th	Pallasgreen Mural Launch	6.30pm – 7.30pm	2	Pre registration*
Saturday September 17th	A Teenage Gathering, glór, Ennis	1.30pm – 3.30pm	3	Pre registration*
Friday September 23rd	Culture Night Newcastle West	2pm – 8pm	4	Pre registration*
Saturday September 24th	'Succeed' Abbeyfeale Music Video Launch	12pm	6	Online event
Sunday September 25th	The Spectrum and the Game, radio drama	3.30pm – 4pm	5	Radio event
Monday September 26th	INSPIRE: Baby Movement, Caherdavin Crèche	10am – 10.20am	7	Pre registration*
Saturday October 1st	Shape the Clay, Hunt Museum	11am – 1pm	6	Pre registration*
Monday October 3rd	INSPIRE: Baby Movement, Childworld Weston	10am – 10.20am	7	Pre registration*
Wednesday October 5th	INSPIRE: Storytelling Workshop, Kilkee Library	10am – 11am	7	Pre registration*
Saturday October 8th	INSPIRE: Storytelling Workshop, LCETB Clonroad Campus, Ennis	10.30am – 12.30pm	8	Pre registration*
Monday October 10th	Clare Youth Service, Exhibition at Carmody St.	4pm	9	Pre registration*
Tuesday October 11th	Thomond Youth Theatre, Belltable, Limerick and local creative events	7pm	10	Pre registration*
Friday October 14th	INSPIRE: Storytelling Workshop, Ennis Library in line with Department of Education guidelines	10am and 11am	7	Pre registration*
Saturday October 15th	Teenage Dance Jam, Dance Limerick	1.30pm – 3.30pm	11	Pre registration*
Friday October 21st	INSPIRE: Storytelling Workshop, Corofin Library	10am and 11am	7	Pre registration*
Ongoing	The Walls of West Limerick, Murals	Daytime	12	Public Space
Ongoing	Nicholas St. Youth Space Exhibition	Daytime	12	Public Space

Booking and Event Information

- All events listed in Call & Response 2022 are FREE
- Consent forms for under 18s must be completed by a parent/guardian in order to confirm participation in all events.

While every effort has been made to ensure that all details in this programme are accurate, weather, public health guidelines, and other external factors may cause events to change. For up to date information on all Call & Response events, check out the Local Creative Youth Partnership web page or social medial platforms nearer to the time of the event.

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