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SOUTH DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL



# LUCAN AREA COMMITTEE MEETING

**TUESDAY 24th OCTOBER 2017**

**ITEM NO. (14)**

**November 2017**

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| ***Lucan*** | ***Events*** | ***Date*** |
| **Early Childhood** | Story Time  For 3-5 year olds | Tuesdays at 3pm |
|  | Toddler Time  With Sarah Tully  Fun, educational joint activity for pre-school children and their parent/guardian who helps their child participate, promoting literacy skills. | Wednesday 1st November from 10am - 11am |
|  | Musical Tots  Interactive musical workshop for pre-schoolers with their parent/guardian. | Friday 10th November, 11.45am - 12.45pm |
|  | Gymboree (TBC)  Interactive musical workshop for pre-schoolers with their parent/guardian. | Thursday 30th November from 10am - 11am |
| **Children’s** | Seasonal Art & Creativity with Elena (for mid-term break)  For 6-8 year olds | Wednesday 1st November from 3pm - 4pm |
|  | Song Writing Workshop (mid-term break) with Sarah McHugh (library staff) for 8-11 year olds. | Thursday 2nd November from 3pm - 4pm |
|  | Chess for Beginners and Competent Players  For 8-15 years | Saturday 4th, 11th & 18th November from 10am - 11.30am |
|  | Art & Creativity with Elena  For 9-11 year olds | Wednesday 8th November from 3.30pm - 4.30pm |
|  | Meet the Author-Kim Hood  Teen author visit. Suitable for secondary school | Wednesday 22nd November from 11.30am - 12.30pm |
| **Science Week** | Amazing Science with Junior Einsteins. Showing children how fascinating science is through hands-on fun. Includes slime, electricity generation, hands-on lighting and explosions.  For Junior Infants to 6th Class. | Monday 13th November from 10am - 11am |
|  | Colourful Chemistry with Anyone4Science  Learn about acids, bases and indicators through colourful chemical reactions.  Junior Infants to 6th Class. Two sessions. | Wednesday 15th November at 10am and 11.15am |
|  | Rockets! With Professor Messalot  How to build two types of rockets, one from straws and one from insulation foam and elastic bands, focussing on how to harness energy.  For 4th – 6th class. Two sessions. | Friday 17th November at 10am and 11.30am |
| **Social Inclusion Week** | The Great Lucan Bake Off!  Baking competition for adults. Three categories: Small bakes; Large bakes; Bread.  Judging and prizes for best entries. | Saturday 18th November from 2pm - 4pm |
|  | Craft event  (via Social Inclusion Unit) | Thursday 23rd November from 10am-12pm |
| **Local Business** | Christmas Craft Fair | Friday 24th & Saturday 25th November, 10am-4pm |
| **Community** | Cuidiú  Local parenting support group, focussing on breastfeeding. (www.cuidiu.ie) | Monday 20th November from 1pm - 3pm |
|  | Lucan Men’s Shed (TBC)  Local group meeting. | Monday 20th November from 6pm - 7.30pm |
|  | South Dublin Volunteer Bureau  Staffed stand with information on volunteering | Tuesday 28th November from 2pm - 4pm |
| **Books & Reading** | Children’s Book Club  For 10-12 year olds | Tuesday 7th & 21st November, 3.45pm |
|  | Library to Home Service  New borrowers welcome | Friday 24th November from  10am - 12pm |
|  | Lucan Library Book Club  New members welcome | Wednesday 29th November at 7pm |
| **Life Long Learning** | Lucan Knitting Club  All welcome | Mondays from 10.30am – 12noon |
|  | Adult Creative Writing Group  New members welcome. | Thursday 2nd & 16th November from 10am – 12pm |
|  | Art & Creativity with Elena  For Stewart’s Hospital clients | Monday 6th November from 2pm - 3pm |
|  | Internet Classes for Adults  With Searsol  Introduction to internet security, email, searching, government services, shopping and more.  Five week course, three time slots. | Tuesdays 7th November – 5th December,  9.45am -11.15am or 11.15am -12.45pm or 12.45pm - 2.15pm |
|  | ‘Selfies & Portraits’: Readings from the Library After Dark Writers' Cafe  An afternoon of poetry and prose with the Library After Dark writers' café from Clondalkin. The writers will perform original pieces from the Anthology "Selfies & Portraits" along with some new work. | Saturday 11th November from 2pm - 4pm. |
| **Exhibitions** | Clonburris SDZ Public Consultation Display | 22 September – 17 November |
|  | Lucan Photography Club | 13 November – 2 December |
|  | National Accessibility Week | 27 November – 4 December |
| **Languages** | English Language Class for beginners  10 week course | Tuesdays from 6pm - 7pm |
|  | English Language Class for improvers  10 week course | Tuesdays from 7pm -8pm |
|  | Basic Irish for Beginners Class / Rang Gaeilge  10 week course | Thursdays from 6pm – 7pm |
|  | Irish for Parents of Children Learning Irish  10 week course | Thursdays from 7pm – 8pm |
|  | Japanese Family Group  Parent and children group with arts and crafts activities for local Japanese families. | Thursday 9th & 23rd November, (TBC)  3.30pm - 5.30pm |
| **Literacy** | Touch Type Read Spell Group | Wednesdays from 6pm - 7pm |
| **Class Visits** | Stewart’s Hospital  Schools, crèches etc. welcome, by appointment | Every Thursday and Friday morning |

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| ***Palmerstown Library Digital Hub*** | ***Events*** | ***Date*** |
| **Science Week** | Amazing Science with Junior Einsteins. Our wonderful scientists will have you enthralled by 2 types of SLIME, playing with a Van Der Graff generator, lighting lightbulbs by just touching them, and of course EXPLOSIONS!Class booking suitable for Junior Infants – 6th Class. One class only. | Thursday 16th November at 10am |
|  | Library Opening Hours | Tuesday’s & Thursday’s 1pm – 8pm |

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| ***Stewarts*** | ***Events*** | ***Date*** |
| **Books and Reading** | Book club meeting.  Solar Bones by Mike McCormack | Tuesday 7th November at 4pm  \*note change of time for this month only |
|  | Introduction to Irish sign Language workshop with Derval Cleland | Wednesday 22nd November at 6.30pm |
|  | Mill Lane writers Group resumes for the autumn. Fornightly meetings until Spring. | Monday 6th Nov and Monday 20th Nov at 6.30pm |
|  | Pre-concert talk no 2 (Friday night series at NCH) with Ted Courtney. Bernstein, Elgar and Durufle | Thursday 23rd November at 7pm |
| **Exhibition** | Exhibition of poster competition entries on “Smoking is bad for your health” competition in Stewarts. Part of Tobacco free Campus drive |  |
| **Class Visits** | Pre School Visit | Mondays at 1.30pm |
|  | Pre School Visit | Wednesdays at 1.30pm |
|  | Pre School Visit | Thursdays at 11.30pm |
|  | Junior Group Visit | Mondays at 1.30pm |
|  | Junior Group Visit | Wednesdays at 1.30pm |
|  | Junior Group Visit | Fridays at 10am |
|  | Junior Group Visit | Fridays at 2pm |
|  | Sewing group for Adults | Tuesdays at 3pm |
|  | Sewing group for Adults | Fridays at 2.30pm |
|  | Adult Group Visit | Tuesdays at 11am |
|  | Adult Group Visit | Wednesdays at 10.30am, 11am, 11.30am & 2.30pm |
|  | Adult Group Visit | Thursdays at 10.30am, 11am & 3pm |
|  | Adult Group Visit | Fridays at 11am |

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| ***Tallaght*** | ***Events*** | ***Date*** |
| **Children’s events** | Junior Chess with Fred | Tuesdays from 4pm - 5pm |
|  | Toddler Time with Yvonne Ruane | Wednesdays from 10am – 11am |
| **Mid-Term activities** | Harry Potter movies1-7  Harry Potter Lego Workshop (Age 7-12) | Wednesday 1st November from 3pm - 4.30pm |
|  | Sarah Sparkles witches and wizards story time (Age 3-6) | Thursday 2nd November from 11am – 12noon |
|  | Harry Potter arts and crafts with Kim Jenkinson (Age 6-8) | Friday 3rd November 12noon - 1pm |
|  | Jack Flash Magic Show (All Ages) | Friday 3rd November 2.30pm - 3.30pm |
| **Science Week Events** | Fantastic Physics with Anyone4science (jun infants to 6th class) | Monday 13th November from 10am and 11.15am |
|  | The Solar System and its robot explorers with Deirdre Kelleghan (2nd-6th class) | Tuesday 14th November from 11.30am and 12.30pm |
|  | Amazing Science with Junior Einsteins (Jun infants-6th class) | Wednesday 15th November at 12pm |
|  | The Science of Bubbles with Scientific Sue (Primary or Secondary students) | Friday 17th November at 10am – Secondary Schools  12pm & 1.30pm- Primary Schools |
| **Creative Campus**  **Support for Secondary school students** | Study Skills session with Gerard Ryder(5th/6th year) | Wednesday 8th November at 10.30am |
|  | Primary Sources History Workshop with Dr. Cecelia Hartsell. (5th/6th year) | Monday 20th November at 10.30am |
|  | UCAS Presentation for students thinking of studying abroad. (College Awareness Week) | Wednesday 22nd November at 10am |
|  | Senior Cycle. Class Booking  Author Visit: Kim Hood  (1st/2nd/3rd Years) | Thursday 23rd November at 10am |
| **Culture** | Movie Club: Desire. | Thursday 30th November from 6.30pm - 8pm |
| **Heritage** | Tallaght Historical Society Lectures: Jonathon Swift the Dublin Connection by Brendan Twomney | Tuesday 14th November at 7pm |
|  | Ogham Stones, Trees & 3DTechnology by Dr. Dr. Nora White Ogham 3D Project | Tuesday 21st November at 7pm |
| **Early childhood** | Story time for Children | Every Tuesday at 3.30pm |
| **Exhibitions** | Exhibition of Work by Tallaght Creative Writers Group | November 1st - 18th |
|  | Exhibition of WildLife Photography by photographer Michael Finn | November 20th onwards |
|  | Exhibition of Art pieces by the clients of St. Michaels House  (Including paintings & 3D pieces) | November 20th onwards |
| **Life Long Learning** | Basic Computer Classes for Adults with Age Action Ireland | Mondays 10am - 12pm |
|  | Basic Computer Classes for Adults with Aine Cotter-Roche | Tuesdays from 10am – 12noon |
|  | Irish Language Classes – Beginners & Intermediate | Tuesdays at 12pm and 1pm |
|  | Hobby Hub/Crafts | Every Wednesday from 6.30pm - 8pm |
|  | Irish Crochet Workshop | Saturday 18th November from 10am - 4pm |
| **Social Inclusion Week** | Craft Class | Tuesday 21st November 10am -12noon |
|  | Homeless Awareness Event with the Simon Community, Treshold | Wednesday 22nd November from 6.30 - 8pm |
|  | Yoga for Adults | Friday 24th November from 12.30am-1.30pm |
|  | English Classes for Foreign Students Beginners & Intermediate | Wednesdays in October 5pm & 6pm |
|  | Spanish Classes for Adults | Mondays in November 6pm-7pm |
| **Health & Wellbeing** | Create Inner Confidence for outer successwith Mary O' Connor **Thrivingfast.com** | Tuesday 17th November at 6.30pm |
| **Supporting Employment and Employers** | IE Network Business Meeting – Innovation Enterprise Network | Thursdays from 10am - 12.30pm |
| **Partnership With Other Agencies** | English Conversation Group | Monday to Thursday in November from 10am - 1pm |
|  | Tús Nua: Older persons’ forum | Friday 3rd November at 10am |
|  | Romanian Community Event | Saturday 11th November 1pm-4pm |
|  | BRI (Brain Related Injury Support Group) | Monday 13th November from 6pm - 8pm |
|  | SDCC Disability & Advisory Consultative Panel | Thursday 16th November 10am-12pm |
|  | Stroke Support Group | Continues in November |
|  | BRI Art Group | Fridays in November from 2pm - 4pm |

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| ***Mobiles*** | ***Events*** | ***Date*** |
| **Science Week** | **CSI MURDER MYSTERY & FORENSIC SCIENCE** **WITH ANYONE4SCIENCE**A murder, six suspects, a note and some soil. Come to our forensics workshop and learn two analytical techniques to see if you can work out who did it! | Wednesday 15th November at 10am |
| **Lucan**  **Public stops** | **Adamstown**: near Londis  **Earlsfort:** Earlsfort Avenue  **Foxborough:** Foxborough Walk  **Ballyowen:** Ballyowen Castle SC  **Larkfield:** Larkfield Avenue  **Beech Park:** Beech Park  **Newcastle:** Aylmer Road  **Rathcoole:** Forest Hills & Broadfield Estate  **Palmerstown:**  Palmerstown Wood (new stop)  Whitehorn Estate (new stop)  Glenmaroon Park  Woodfarm Drive | Weekly |
| **Centre Stops** | Rosscourt Resource Centre | Monthly |
| **School Stops** | **Palmerstown**: St Lorcan’s BNS  **Lucan:** Lucan East Educate Together NS  Lucan Educate Together NS  **Esker:** Esker Educate Together NS  **Rathcoole:** Holy Family NS | Monthly |
| **Playschool and Creche Deliveries** | Giraffe crèche  **Adamstown:** Educate Together  **Newcastle:** Cocoon crèche  Rocking Horse  Griain na nOg  **Rathcoole:** Junior Genius  **Palmerstown:** Oval crèche |  |
| **Rathfarnham**  **Public stops** | **Ballycullen:** Woodstown Park  Hunters Wood  **Templeogue:** Cypress Grove South  Rossmore Road  **Whitechurch:** Whitechurch Green, Palmer Park | Weekly |
| **Special Services** | St Michael’s House | Monthly |
| **School Visits** | **Knocklyon**: St. Colmcille’s JNS  **Whitechurch**: Scoil Mhuire | Monthly |
| **Playschool and Creche Deliveries** | Prospect Montessori  Kiddywinks Montessori |  |
| **Tallaght**  **Public stops** | **Firhouse**: Woodlawn Park Avenue,  Parklands Avenue  **Ballycragh**: Allenton Drive  **Aylesbury**: Heatherview Drive  **Tallaght** : Mac Uilliams Estate  **Brookfield:** Glenshane Drive  **Kilnamanagh**: outside school  **Kingswood**: Sylvan Avenue  **Fettercairn**: outside St Anne’s NS  **Belgard Heights**: outside shops  **Greenhills:** Prospect Manor, Palmer Park, Keadeen Avenue,  Greenhills Church | Weekly |
| **Public stops** | **Brittas:** Gortlum Cottages  **Saggart:** outside church  **Tallaght:** Ard Mor Estate  **Avonbeg**: Avonbeg Road | Fortnightly |
| **School stops** | **Glenasmole:** National School  **Firhouse:** Scoil Treasa  **Greenhills:** Holy Spirit, JNS (delivery)  **Kilnamanagh:** Abacas Special School  **Citywest:** Citywest ETNS  City West and Saggart CNS  **Belgard**: Solas Chriost | Monthly |
| **Community Centre Deliveries** | Kiltipper Woods Nursing Home | Monthly |
| **Teens Services** | Priory Youth Reach | Monthly |
| **Crèches Deliveries** | An Turas  Brookview Childcare  Caitlin Maud, Killinarden  Caitlin Maud, Jobstown  Ard Mor Community Creche  Care and Cuddles, Citywest  Discoveries  Early Steps  Glenview Montessori  Laugh and Learn Playschool  Leapfrog Daycare  Little Children’s Centre  Little Ladybirds  Castleview Community Playschool Chuckleberries, Hunter’s Walk  Chuckleberries, Dal Riada  Kidorama, Saggart  Ticklest! Firhouse | Monthly |
| **Clondalkin**  **Public stops** | **Sruleen:** outside the Church  **Foxdene:** Foxdene Park  **Rowlagh:** Community Centre (new stop)  **Neilstown**: Neilstown Crescent  **Greenfort:** Greenfort Avenue  **Kilmahuddrick:** Kilmahuddrick Crescent  **Melrose:** Melrose Green  **Bawnogue Rd:** opp Church  **Cherrywood**: Cherrywood Crescent | Weekly |
| **School stops** | **Sruleen:** Sacred Heart NS, Clondalkin Montessori  **Balgaddy:** Divine Mercy NS  **Deansrath**: St Ronan’s NS  **Bawnogue:** Scoil Nano Nagle NS  **Balgaddy**: Scoil Mochua | Monthly |
| **Playschool and Creche Deliveries** | Limetree Childcare  Fonthill Lodge SDCC  Happy Tots  Rowlagh Parish Creche |  |
| **Community Centres Deliveries** | Liscarne Court | Monthly |
| **Crèche Service** | Sruleen Parent and Toddler Group. | Monthly |

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