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Lucan, Palmerstown, North Clondalkin ACM, June 2025

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May Stats NCL, Lucan, Palmerstown & Mobile Libraries

NCL had 227 events attended by 764 people, issued 3084 items and registered 90 new borrowers and had 9161 visitors.

Lucan Library had 61 events, issued 8480 items and registered 279 new borrowers and had 14,586 visitors. My Open Library registered 65 new borrowers and 1699 visitors used the service. My Open Library has been very busy as we approach the State exams.

Palmerstown Library issued 864 items and registered 38 new borrowers and had 1749 visitors.

Mobile Libraries issued 8756 items and registered 66 new borrowers.



Cruinniú na nÓg at NCL, 7th June

11.30am **Drumming Session** with Thomas Annag

Age: 7

Venue: Library Floor/Library Garden (Weather permitting)

2pm: **Circus Skills** with Stefan Petrov

Age: 6-10 years.

Venue: Conference Room

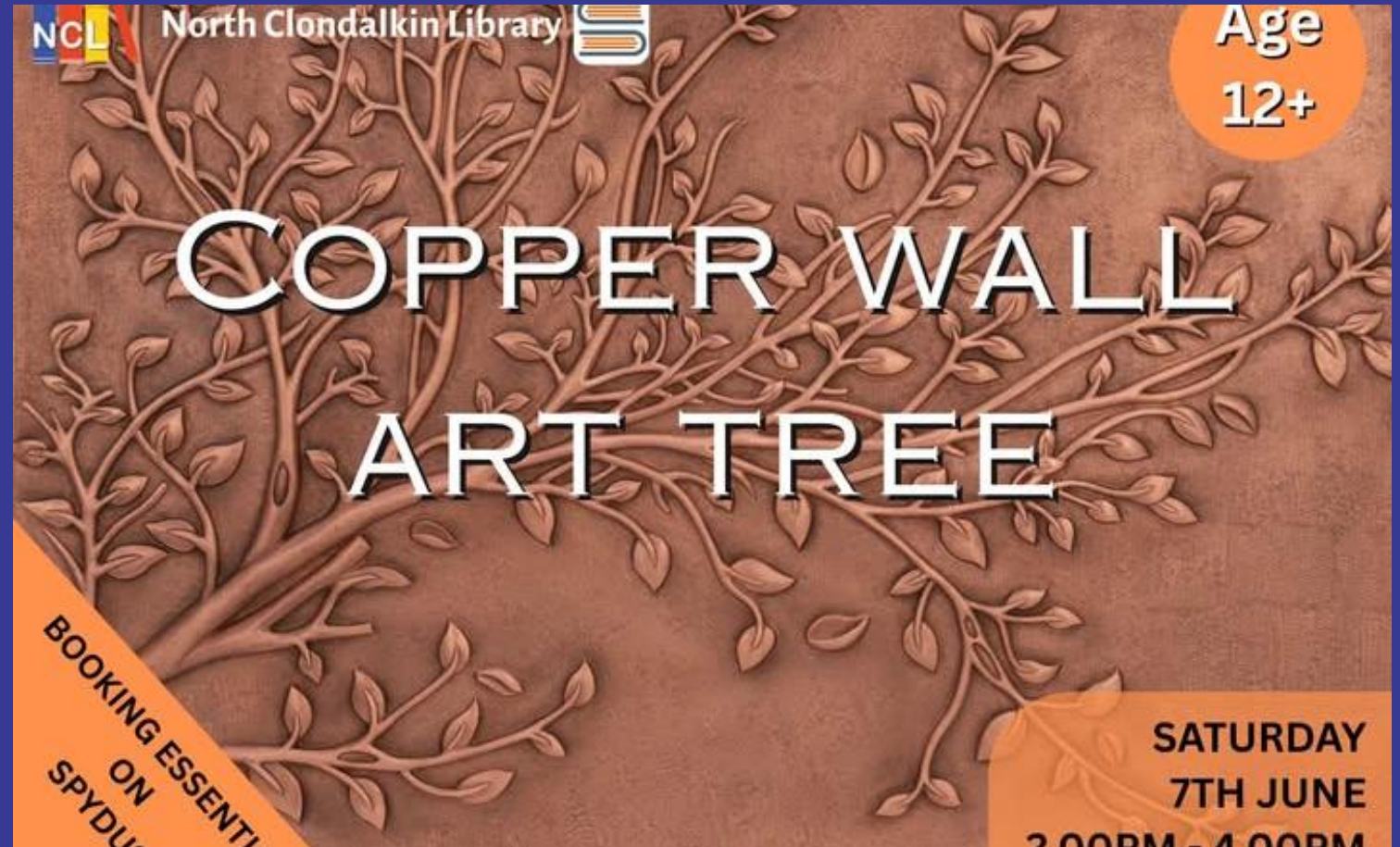
2pm: **Wall Art Project** with Shane Lynch (Copper Craft)

Age: 12-18.

This project will result in a large piece of wall art being created for a wall in the teenage area.

A workshop will take place on Saturday with participating teenagers creating their own art piece for the tree.

Venue: Maker Space.



Pride at NCL

Title: **Pride Keyring Decoration for children**

Date & Time: Tuesday, 3 June 6–7 PM

Blurb: Show Your True Colours with the Colour Pride 3D Keyring! 🌈 ✨

Age Group: 8-12

Title: 🎨 ☕ **Pride Mug Design for children**

Date & Time: Thursday, 12 June 5-6:30PM

Blurb: 🎨 ☕ Pride Mug Fun!

Join us for a creative session where kids can design and print their very own Pride-themed mugs! A fun way to celebrate love, identity, and self-expression – one colourful mug at a time! 🌈 💖

Age Group: 8-12



Pride at NCL

Title: 🌈📖 **Be You Storytime + crafts for children**

Date & Time: Tuesday, 17 June 3-4PM

Blurb: 🌈📖 **Be You Storytime + Crafts**
Celebrate uniqueness and self-expression with joyful stories and creative crafts! A fun, inclusive session for children to explore what makes them *uniquely them!* ❤️

Age Group: Under 8

Title: 🎤🌈 **Family Rainbow Karaoke**

Date & Time: Thursday 26th June, 6:30-7:30pm

Blurb: 🎤🌈 **Family Rainbow Karaoke**

Dress in your brightest colours and sing your heart out! A fun-filled, family-friendly karaoke session celebrating pride, joy, and togetherness through music! 🎵👯



Men's Health Week 2025 NCL

Men's Health Week 2025 Workshop – Supporting Men's Wellbeing

Date: Wednesday 11th June.

As part of **Men's Health Week 2025**, we invite you to take part in a practical, engaging and interactive **Men's Health Workshop**, designed to support men in leading healthier, more connected lives. The session runs for **1 to 1.5 hours** and is delivered by two experienced **Health Promotion and Improvement Officers** from the HSE.

All men welcome – no experience or prep needed. Just show up and get involved



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Lucan Library June Highlights

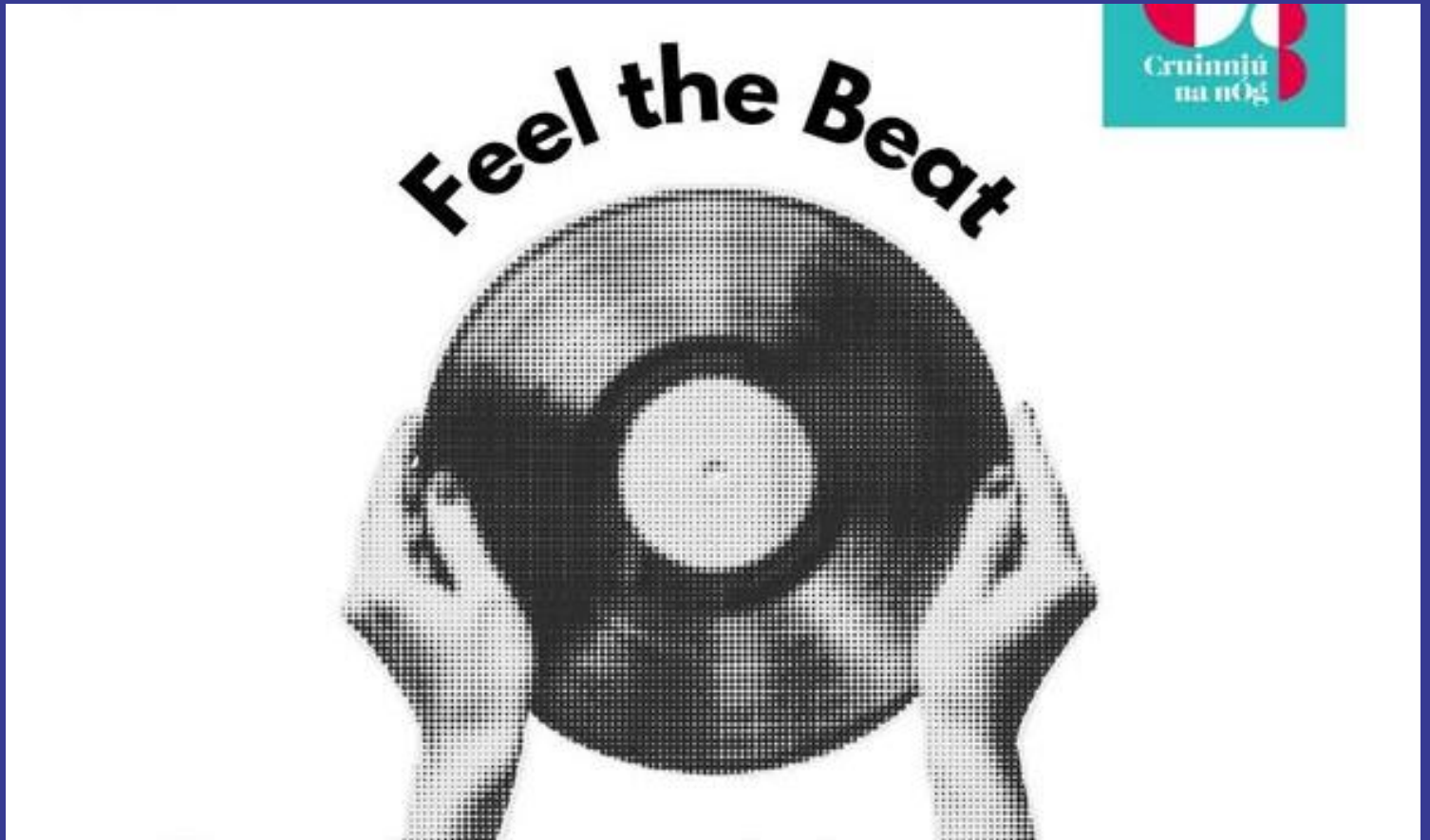
Crinniú na nÓg Saturday 7th June: Feel the Beat with Jane Hackett, an exploratory sound workshop designed to bring music to life for d/Deaf and CODA children. We were delighted to host this unique event.

Ruaille Buaille 2025: The Lullaby Project, an early years music and culture workshop with Eamon Sweeney, Malachy Robinson, Lisa McGuinness. Two sessions for families were fully booked and enjoyed.

History Talks for Adults:

Thursday 12th June, 7pm: Secret Placenames of Dublin with Cathy Scuffil

Thursday 19th June, 6.30pm: The Civil War and The People of the Inner City with Liz Gillis



Lucan Library June Highlights

Liaison with External Agencies:

EirGrid, operator of the electricity grid, is hosting a drop-in information event for members of the public to learn more about plans for its latest infrastructure project, the Kildare Dublin Grid Reinforcement Project. Members of the project team will be in the library on Wednesday 18th June from 12noon to 7.30pm.

Exhibition:

Hues to My Muse, an art exhibition by Satabdi Deb, along with a live demonstration by the artist on Saturday 14th June at 1.30pm.

The Proclamation of the Irish Republic: A typographical view



Palmerstown Library June Highlights

Palmerstown Library held approximately 21 events in June 2025 - ranging from knitting clubs to book clubs to craft workshops for adults and children.

Each Saturday morning we run workshops for kids ranging from Music workshops to Arts & Crafts.

Each Thursday we hold class visits with the local primary schools.

To celebrate Cruinniú na nÓg, we are having a 'Music Maestro' session for toddlers and a Drumming Session for older kids.

Ongoing are our book clubs, adult and junior and Family Tree Research Group who meet twice a month.

New to Palmerstown Library is our weekly 'Knit & Chat' group for adults.

Weekly storytime @ The Library with our resident storyteller for kids and Saturday morning events for kids are ongoing



Mobile Libraries June Highlights

School Visits: Our regular visits (21 schools) will pause at the end of June and resume in September.

Library at Home: Promoted at the National Older People's Council Convention (Maldron Hotel) and featured in the new Age Friendly Library Services brochure, now being distributed to community centres and Meals on Wheels hubs.

Family Visits: Positive response from Citywest Hotel and City Ark Aparthotel on 10th May. Monthly weekend visits will replace Thursday Ukrainian visits: 14th June, 12th July, 16th August (1:30–3:00pm)

Events:

Africa Day – 24th May, Tymon Park

Dublin Pride Parade – 28th June

Summer Camps: Bookings underway for community centre programmes.

Summer Parks Programme launching July–August in SDCC parks: Corkagh, Tymon, Waterstown, Jobstown, Airlie, Griffeen, Collinstown, and Rathfarnham.





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Thank you