



Comhairle Contae
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South Dublin
County Council

Tallaght, Castletymon and Mobile Libraries ACM Report

June 2026



May Stats - Tallaght library

SDCC

Footfall	24,288
Events	145
Event attendees	2,340
Items issued	7127
New members	529



June Highlights: PRIDE!

SDCC

- Create your own pride earrings or keyring
- Pride bingo
- Movie club – *The History of Sound*
- Pride sing-along meetup
- Pride book display



June Highlights: Adult Events

SDCC

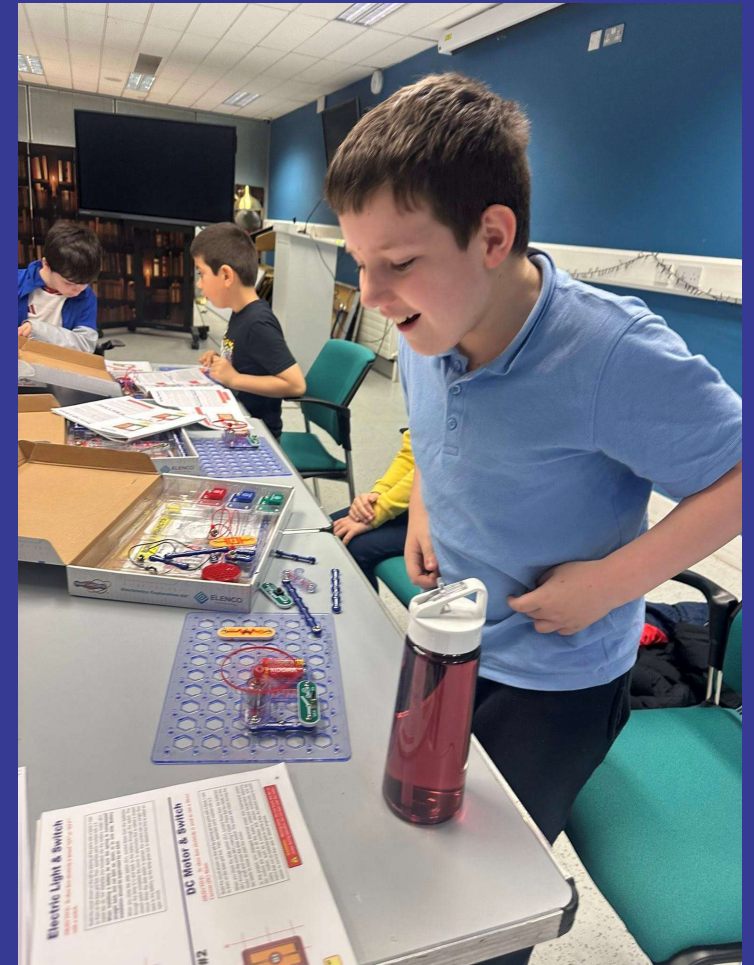
- **Dementia Awareness Information Day** – Wednesday 3 June
- **Mendermeets sewing clinic** – Saturday 6 June
- **Cleaner Greener Home and Garden** – Thursday 11 June
- **Introduction to family history workshop** – Tuesday 23 June
- **Chair yoga with Sally** - Wednesday 24 June
- **Crafts with Kim Jenkinson** -Tuesday 30 June



June Highlights: Children's Event

SDCC

- **Cruinniú na nÓg Saturday 6 June:** Conor's Cowboy outfit Dance workshop and Pass the Dance (ages 9-12)
- **STEAM:** Make your own ice-cream workshop Saturday 13 June
- **Sensory sessions:** Yoga bubbles Monday 15 June
- **Teen book club:** sticker making workshop Monday 8 June
- **Teens Dungeons & Dragons:** Saturday 20 June
- **Little Library Bags** available for children starting school



Upcoming Summer Events

Summer Sláinte Series – a series of health events in July

Local Studies Summer School – A four-week course & a chance to learn more about doing family history research.

Teen Creative Writing Summer Programme – writing workshops from author Claire Hennessy to support short story competition.

Summer Stars reading challenge – with prizes and lots of fun events!



Castletymon Library

May statistics

SDCC

Castletymon hosted 32 events, attended by 513 people, issued 2658 items and registered 59 new borrowers. 6020 people visited Castletymon library in May

Cruinniú na nÓg (6th)

Pass The Dance

Two creative dance workshops for young children (ages 6-8 and 9-12). Children will be trying different types of movement. The workshop will be filmed and shared to connect with other groups and make a dance film.

Plant Dyes & Botanical Flag Making

Artists Gráinne O'Carroll and Kathryn Davie will be hosting a hands-on workshop using plants to dye fabric and make botanical flags. Participants will explore natural colour, plant inks, and simple mark-making to create fabric and paper pieces inspired by local plants. *Part of Garden Shed Manifesto Project.*



Castletymon Library June 2026 Highlights

Local Plants, Local Stories (5th June)

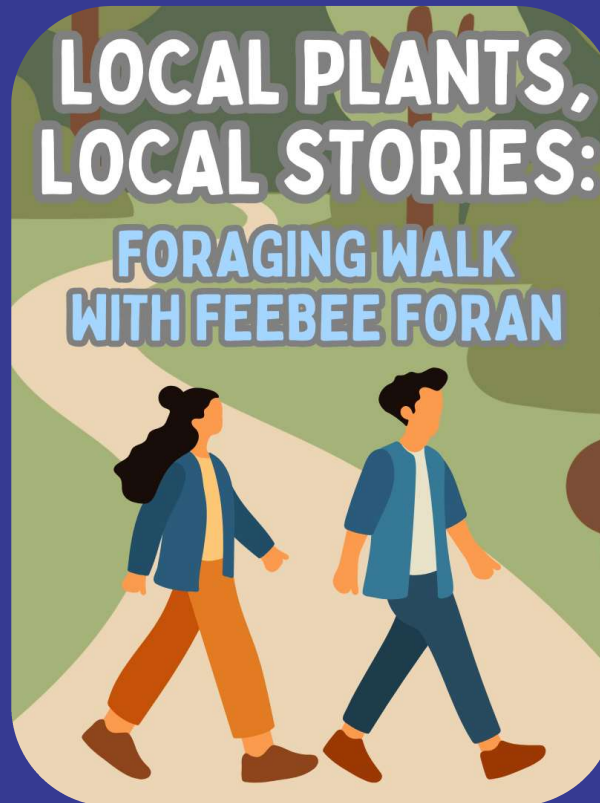
Join artists Grainne O'Carroll and horticulturist Feebee Foran for a relaxed outdoor storytelling walk exploring local plants, ecology, memory, and seasonal change. The session will move at an easy pace, with time for conversation, observation, and shared stories. *This event is for adults and is Age Friendly. Part of Garden Shed Manifesto Project.*

Concert with Firhouse Ukulele Group

Join us for this special summer concert with the Firhouse Ukulele Group on 27th June.

Adult Book Club

This month, our book club will be discussing *The Frozen River* by Ariel Lawhon.



Mobile libraries May statistics

The Mobile Library had 119 Public stops in with 2896 visitors.

7994 items were issued

157 new members joined

Mobile Libraries made 75 Library at Home visits

In May Mobiles visited 16 schools

A new stop was introduced at Foxwood Barn in Citywest. There are now 34 public stops.



Mobile libraries, highlights for June

6th June - Summer events begin with Cruinniú na nÓg and Ruaille Buaille festival day at Lucan House.

20th June - Outdoor cinema at Jobstown Park

21st June- Summer Solstice day at Sean Walsh Park in collaboration SDCC park rangers celebrating the beautiful Celtic Mythology carvings that were recently installed there

27th June mobile libraries will take part in the Dublin PRIDE parade



Mobile libraries, Summer

11th July - Bru Chronain Family Funday in Clondalkin

18th July The Square Tallaght Community Day

Sundays 26th July and 30th August at Tymon park with Dublin Markets for the food market Days

Mobile Library Park Days begin on Wednesday 8th July. They will run every Wed, Thurs and Friday morning from 10am to 12noon for 6 weeks.

These are free family mornings in our parks, and they are a favourite with families of young children, creches and Summer camps

Parks to be visited include Corcagh, Tymon Airlie, Tandy's lane, Jobstown, Collinstown, Griffeen, Rathfarnham castle and Waterstown parks. Our last Summer park morning will be a history and Heritage event on 20th August in one of those parks.





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