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EVENT GUIDE**

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EXHIBITION

Shopfront Heritage Trail

Dungarvan Shopfront Heritage Trail will treat you to an array of window displays of heritage memorabilia ranging from vintage fashions to pharmacy potions, children's toys to creative confectionery.

Venue: Dungarvan Town

Organiser: Dungarvan Shopfront Heritage.

Email: coolecottages@eircom.net

Telephone: 087-9228311

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 19th	09:30	18:00
Sun 27th	09:30	06:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

TOUR, OPEN HISTORIC PROPERTY OR HERITAGE SITE

Guided Tour of Curraghmore House & Gardens

Curraghmore House in Waterford is the historic home of the 9th Marquis of Waterford. His ancestors (the de la Poers) came to Ireland from Normandy around 1170. Known as one of "Ireland's Hidden Gems".

Venue: Curraghmore House, Portlaoise

Organiser: Alan Walsh

Admission: Adult: €15, Child: €5, Concession: €15

Email: Alan@curraghmorehouse.ie

Telephone: 086-8211917

Website: curraghmore.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 19th	10:00	17:00
Sun 20th	10:00	17:00
Mon 21st	10:00	17:00
Tue 22nd	10:00	17:00
Wed 23rd	10:00	17:00

Thu 24th	10:00	17:00
Fri 25th	10:00	17:00
Sat 26th	10:00	17:00
Sun 27th	10:00	17:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required)

WORKSHOP

Fun and Games

Come along and enjoy this children workshop combining games and natural heritage! For further information please check out our Facebook page.

Venue: Reginald's Tower OPW
Organiser: Reginald's Tower OPW
Email: reginaldstower@opw.ie
Telephone: 051 304220
Website: heritageireland.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 19th	10:00	12:00
Sun 20th	10:00	12:00
Tue 22nd	10:00	12:00
Sat 19th	14:00	16:00
Sun 20th	14:00	16:00
Tue 22nd	14:00	16:00

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EXHIBITION

Neolithic Caves to Medieval Motte

Gallows Hill Community Archaeology Group will exhibit their 2017 excavation work at Gallows Hill and supporting excavation work with the Dungarvan Valley Caves Project.

Venue: Waterford County Musuem, Friary Street
Organiser: Gallows Hill Community Archaeology Group

Telephone: 058 45960

Website: waterfordmuseum.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 19th	12:00	13:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required) (Free)

TALK

Newfoundland Images People & Places

Talk and images of 'Newfoundland' People and Places by Dr. Nora Duggan of the Huston School of Film and Digital Media.

Venue: Tramore Library

Organiser: Waterford City and County Council/Tramore Heritage Group

Email: tmceneaney@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2593

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie/departments/library

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 19th	14:00	15:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

WORKSHOP, TALK

Taking the Waters

Learn about 18th and 19th-century spa treatments and cures and if you're feeling brave try some examples out!

Venue: Passage East Community Centre

Organiser: Waterford City and County Council

Email: archivist@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761102144

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 19th	14:30	15:30

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

TOUR

Cheekpoint's Maritime Heritage

This event will look at the maritime and fishery heritage of Cheekpoint, situated at the meeting of the three sister rivers; Barrow, Nore and Suir. It's a gentle 2km walk

Venue: Cheekpoint Quay, Cheekpoint, Co Waterford

Organiser: Waterford Harbour Tides'n'Tales

Email: russianside@gmail.com

Telephone: 086 396 8496

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 19th	17:30	19:30

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE

History & Wildlife by Kayak

Exploration by Kayak of the stunning Ardmore coastline. Get up close to the wide variety of marine and bird life and learn about the local history and geology.

Venue: Ardmore Adventures, Main Street, Ardmore

Organiser: Ardmore Adventures

Admission: Adult: €35, Child: €30

Email: info@ardmoreadventures.ie

Telephone: 083 3743889

Website: ardmoreadventures.ie/sea-kayaking-trips/ireland/

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 20th	10:00	13:00
Tue 22nd	10:00	13:00
Thu 24th	10:00	13:00
Sat 26th	10:00	13:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required)

PERFORMANCE OR REENACTMENT

Archery & Weapons Display

Visitors of all ages are encouraged to witness our Archery & Weapons display within the historic setting of Dungarvan Castle. From 12 noon to 1pm & 2pm to 4pm.

Venue: Dungarvan Castle
Organiser: OPW - Dungarvan Castle
Email: dungarvancastle@opw.ie
Telephone: 058 48144
Website: heritageireland.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 20th	12:00	16:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE

Human and Geohistory of Cheekpoint

Local Historian Andrew Doherty and Geologist Bill Sheppard Will Walk You through 450 Million Years of History. Stories from Above and Below the Surface; An introduction to geology.

Venue: Meet at Faithlegg School
Organiser: Bill Sheppard and Andrew Doherty
Email: washere@indigo.ie
Telephone: 0872126677

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 20th	14:00	17:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, TOUR

Geopark Heritage Cycle Launch

Join us on a short (~10km) cycle loop off the Greenway at Durrow to Stradbally Village and beach learning about the geological and human history of this region.

Venue: Durrow Greenway Carpark, Stradbally, Co. Waterford
Organiser: Copper Coast Geopark
Email: robbie@coppercoastgeopark.com
Telephone: 051292828
Website: coppercoastgeopark.com

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 20th	00:00	00:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, TALK

Walk Through time

Discover the spectacularly hidden cove of Tra na Mbo with geologist Robbie Galvin and learn about the Geological forces that created the various different rock types found within it.

Venue: Bunmahon Beach CarPark, Western End, Bunmahon.
Organiser: Copper Coast Geopark
Email: robbie@coppercoastgeopark.com
Telephone: 051292828
Website: coppercoastgeopark.com

Date	Start Time	End Time
Mon 21st	19:00	20:30

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)

TALK

Surveys of Roundhill, Lismore

Results from 'Remote Sensing Surveys' of Roundhill, Lismore, Co Waterford; Images and 3D models

Venue: Lismore Heritage Centre
Organiser: Lismore Heritage Centre
Email: adonoghue@waterfordcouncil.ie
Telephone: 076110 2157

Date	Start Time	End Time
Mon 21st	19:00	20:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, PERFORMANCE OR REENACTMENT

De La Salle Pipe Band Performance

Celebrating 85 years of piping and drumming the De La Salle Pipe Band will perform in Tramore at 8pm on the Promenade

Venue: Lower Prom, Tramore

Organiser: Waterford City and County Council/Tramore Heritage Group

Email: tmceneaney@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2593

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie/departments/library

Date	Start Time	End Time
Mon 21st	20:00	21:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, TALK

Dunmore East Bat Walk

Are you interested in learning about bats? Join us for a walk around Dunmore East and its beautiful woods, where we will watch and listen to bats as they emerge to feed at dusk.

Venue: Public park, Dock Road, Dunmore East

Organiser: Waterford Bat Group

Email: waterfordbatgroup@gmail.com

Telephone: 085 1382418

Date	Start Time	End Time
Mon 21st	20:15	22:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, TALK

Glenribbeen Bat Walk

A 20 minute presentation on Irish bats and a 350m walk to the Blackwater River (across the N72) along a 250 year old path.

Venue: Glenribbeen Eco Lodge, Glenribbeen, LISMORE, XYN-18-Y76 - N72/L5023

Organiser: Glenribbeen Eco Lodge, Lismore

Email: pfiddle@gmail.com

Telephone: 0866017176

Date	Start Time	End Time
Mon 21st	21:00	22:30
Tue 22nd	21:00	22:30
Wed 23rd	21:00	22:30
Thu 24th	21:00	22:30

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE

Ripples in the Rockpools

Rocky shores stretch right around the island and are fascinating places to explore life. We will examine how the plants and animals living in rockpools survive & identify edible seaweeds.

Venue: Tramore Beach - Women's Slip

Organiser: The Sea Gardener

Admission: Adult: €10, Child: €0

Email: marie@theseagardener.ie

Telephone: 086 8124275

Website: theseagardener.ie/

Date	Start Time	End Time
Tue 22nd	12:00	13:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required)

WORKSHOP

Arts & Crafts Workshops

Arts & Crafts Workshops for children with an emphasis on Natural History. Booking required due to limited spaces. For children from the ages of 4 to 10.

Venue: Dungarvan Castle
Organiser: OPW - Dungarvan Castle
Email: dungarvancastle@opw.ie
Telephone: 058 48144
Website: heritageireland.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Wed 23rd	11:30	13:00
Wed 23rd	14:30	16:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (No Car Parking Available) (Booking Required) (Free)

TALK

Online Revolution in Family History

Online Revolution in Irish Family History. Talk by John Grenham, M.A., M.A.G.I., F.i.G.R.S. Consultant Genealogist & Author. Booking for this event is not essential but is advisable.

Venue: Central Library, Lady Lane, Waterford
Organiser: Waterford City & County Council Library Services
Email: centrallibrary@waterfordcouncil.ie
Telephone: 0761102975
Website: waterfordcouncil.ie/departments/library

Date	Start Time	End Time
Wed 23rd	18:15	19:15

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)

TALK

Graves and Sons Shipping Company

'A Voyage of Discovery of the William Graves and Sons Shipping Company at WIT Libraries'
a talk by Kieran Cronin of WIT

Venue: Tramore Library
Organiser: Waterford City and County Council/Tramore Heritage Group
Email: tmceneaney@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2583

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie/departments/library

Date	Start Time	End Time
Wed 23rd	19:00	20:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

TALK

Heritage of Kitchen Gardens

Talk about the history of the Kitchen Garden in Ireland and Waterford by organic horticulturist and writer Klaus Laitenberger.

Venue: Dungarvan Library Davitt's Quay

Organiser: Waterford City & County Council

Email: bguest@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2668

Date	Start Time	End Time
Wed 23rd	19:30	21:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, TALK

Siúlóid ar Rian Glas na nDéise

Siúlóid an Dúlra ar Rian Glas na nDéise agus Gairdíní Bruach Aille eagraithe ag Ciorcal Cainte Cathrach Phort Láirge. (A Nature Walk on the Waterford Greenway and Mount Congreve Gardens)

Venue: Carrchlós Carraig an Óir (in aice le Arena IT Phortláirge)

Organiser: Aidan Barrett / Ciorcal Cainte Cathrach Phort Láirge

Admission: Adult: €5, Child: €0, Concession: €5

Email: aidanbarrett12@gmail.com

Telephone: 087 2648363

Date	Start Time	End Time
Thu 24th	10:30	14:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (Car Parking Available)

TALK

Online Revolution in Family History

Online Revolution in Irish Family History. Talk by John Grenham, M.A., M.A.G.I., F.I.G.R.S. Consultant Genealogist & Author. Booking for this event is not essential but is advisable.

Venue: Dungarvan Library, Davitt's Quay, Dungarvan

Organiser: Waterford City & County Council Library Services

Email: dungarvanlibrary@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2141

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie/departments/library

Date	Start Time	End Time
Thu 24th	11:15	12:15

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE

Roundhill Walk

Lady Louisa's walk by the river Blackwater, continue on to the Round Hill where your guide will tell you the stories and legends of the Ancient site

Venue: Lismore Heritage Centre

Organiser: Lismore Heritage Centre

Email: adonoghue@lismoreheritage.ie

Telephone: 058-54975

Website: discoverlismore.com

Date	Start Time	End Time
Thu 24th	14:00	15:30

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required) (Free)

PERFORMANCE OR REENACTMENT, OPEN HISTORIC PROPERTY OR HERITAGE SITE

Vintage Afternoon Tea

Vintage Afternoon Tea at the House. The Power family, invite you to attend their Vintage Afternoon Tea at the House charity event, celebrating their unique 182-year relationship with Bewley's.

Venue: Athenaeum House Hotel, Christendom, Co. Waterford
Organiser: Athenaeum House Hotel, Christendom, Co. Waterford
Admission: Adult: €25.00, Child: €12.50
Email: info@athenaeumhousehotel.com
Telephone: 051 833999
Website: athenaeumhousehotel.com

Date	Start Time	End Time
Thu 24th	14:00	16:30

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required)

TALK

People Who Made Waterford Famous

Join members of the Waterford Archaeological & Historical Society who will present a miscellany of short talks about historical characters who put Waterford on the map

Venue: The Tapestry Room, Granville Hotel, Meagher's Quay, Waterford City
Organiser: Waterford Archaeological and Historical Society
Email: info@waterford-history.org
Telephone: 087 906 7648
Website: waterford-history.org/

Date	Start Time	End Time
Thu 24th	19:00	21:30

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

TALK

Tall Ship Challenges of Navigating

'The Challenges of Navigating a Tall Ship', a talk by George Thompson of Tramore Heritage.

Venue: Tramore Library
Organiser: Waterford City and County Council/Tramore Heritage Group
Email: tmceneaney@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2593

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie/departments/library

Date	Start Time	End Time
Thu 24th	11:00	12:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

TALK

History of Corballymore House

'The History of Corballymore House' a talk by Noel Power of Tramore Heritage

Venue: Tramore Library

Organiser: Waterford City and County Council/Tramore Heritage Group

Email: tmceneaney@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2593

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie/departments/library

Date	Start Time	End Time
Fri 25th	19:00	20:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE

Bilberry Goat Kids

Get up close and personal with the next generation of the Bilberry Goat Herd. The Bilberry Kids will be happy to meet you at their Habitat Bilberry Rock their home for hundreds of years.

Venue: Bilberry Rock Waterford City

Organiser: Old Kilmeadan Village

Email: mduoye547@gmail.com

Telephone: 0892211313

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 26th	11:00	17:00
Sun 27th	11:00	18:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Booking Required) (Free)

TALK, EXHIBITION

Antique Rock and Mineral show

Come and have a look at our selection of unique minerals and fossils and learn how they tell the story of Waterford's and Ireland's Geological heritage.

Venue: Copper Coast Geopark Visitor Centre

Organiser: Copper Coast Geopark

Email: robbie@coppercoastgeopark.com

Telephone: 051292828

Website: coppercoastgeopark.com

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 26th	12:00	13:30

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE

Whale Watch Ireland 2017

The Irish Whale & Dolphin Group invites you to our annual, free and guided land-based whale watch at Ram Hd. signal tower, Ardmore Head, as part of All-Ireland Whale Watch day on Saturday 26th August.

Venue: Ram Head Signal Tower, Ardmore Head

Organiser: Irish Whale and Dolphin Group

Email: oxmoron@gmail.com

Telephone: 087 7952061

Website: iwdg.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 26th	14:00	17:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OPEN HISTORIC PROPERTY OR HERITAGE SITE

Free Admission

Enjoy free admission to the medieval Tower. Access is via a steep spiral staircase. Parking is available locally. Please check out our Facebook page for details of other Heritage Week events.

Venue: Reginald's Tower
Organiser: Reginald's Tower OPW
Email: reginaldstower@opw.ie
Telephone: 051 304220
Website: heritageireland.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 27th	09:30	16:30

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OPEN HISTORIC PROPERTY OR HERITAGE SITE

Open Day at Salterbridge Lodge

An opportunity to view the conservation work of Irish Landmark Trust. Enjoy a self-guided tour of this elegantly restored classical lodge that is now available as holiday accommodation.

Venue: Salterbridge Gatelodge, Cappoquin
Organiser: Irish Landmark Trust
Email: caroline@irishlandmark.com
Telephone: 016704733
Website: irishlandmark.com

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 27th	10:00	16:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, PERFORMANCE OR REENACTMENT

Go Biking with a Viking

Go Biking with a Viking and explore the Viking history of Waterford along the Woodstown section of the Waterford Greenway. Departing Bilberry in Waterford at 12noon to Woodstown Viking Village.

Venue: Waterford Greenway at Woodstown (Nearest access car park at WIT West Campus Carriganore)

Organiser: Waterford City & County Council and Transport Infrastructure Ireland

Email: bguest@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 086 8590341

Website: visitwaterfordgreenway.com

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 27th	12:00	16:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)

OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, OPEN HISTORIC PROPERTY OR HERITAGE SITE

The Ardmore Cliff Walk

Join us and local historian for a glorious walk around the stunning cliffs of Ardmore and learn about Ardmore Bay's rich history!

Venue: Cliff House Hotel, Ardmore.

Organiser: Cliff House Hotel

Admission: Adult: €5

Email: lhyslop@cliffhousehotel.ie

Telephone: 0876913812

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 27th	14:00	16:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (No Car Parking Available) (Booking Required)