

Events

2018

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16th ([Hambly & Hambly](#)) Opening of *Liberté, Égalité, Sororité* Summer Exhibition celebrating women artists. 2-6 pm. Exhibition runs to 27th July

22nd ([The Thing Itself](#)) Mulhern's Cellar Bar, Belmore Street 7.30 pm
Spoken word by Mel Bradley alongside songwriter Aoife the Sly and Rae O'Dowd

May

2nd – 6th *Where We Are Now* LGBT+ [Theatre Festival](#) various venues Sligo and Leitrim

25th ([The Thing Itself](#)) Mulhern's Cellar Bar, Belmore Street 7.30 pm with Colin Dardis and Geraldine O'Kane

APRIL

11th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) Franz Schubert – 'Die Schone Mullerin' sung by [Andrew Irwin](#)

17th (Killtyclogher Community Centre) [Green and Blue](#) 7.30 pm

25th ([The Glens Centre](#)) [From Under the Bed](#) by Seamus O'Rourke 8.30 pm

28th ([The Thing Itself](#)) Mulhern's Cellar Bar, Belmore Street 7.30 pm Spoken word by Michael Wilson & David Hynes, music by Katie Armstrong

March

8th ([Women Aloud](#)) Poetry and Prose readings in Blakes of the Hollow, Enniskillen 7.30 pm

23rd – 21st April Exhibition of Photographs by Richard Pierce opening 7pm at Hambly & Hambly Dunbar House 143 Loughshore Road Enniskillen

FEbruary

5th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) Three Piano Quartets by [The Vanburgh](#) with Michael Hale 8 pm

23rd (and following 4 Fridays [Ardhowen Theatre Studio](#)) The Art of Drawing

23rd ([The Thing Itself](#)) Poetry Readings @ Mulhern's Cellar Bar, Belmore Street 7.30 pm featuring Abby Oliveira & Myles McCormack

January

19th ([The Thing Itself](#)) Poetry Readings @ Mulhern's Cellar Bar, Belmore Street 7.30 pm featuring Elizabeth McGeown, Adrian Young & Andrew Train

24th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) Fermanagh Film Club 10th Anniversary 3.30-9.30

25th ([North West Words](#)) Poetry Reading and Awards Florence Food Co Letterkenny 8 pm

26-29th Yeats Winter School Guest Writer Nuala ni Dhomhnaill [Sligo Park Hotel](#)

27th Short Story workshop with [Jan Carson](#) Omagh Library 11-3.30
Phone 02882440733 to book.

2017

November

2nd-5th ([John O'Connor Writing School](#)) Literary Arts Festival Armagh

October

20-22nd ([Strule Arts Centre](#)) Omagh Literary Festival

7th Final of All-Ireland Poetry Slam, 4-7 pm Mulhern's Bar

5th Launch of Fermanagh Writers anthology [Remembering and Forgetting](#), Blakes of the Hollow, Enniskillen 8 pm

4th-8th [Fermanagh Live](#) Festival, Enniskillen

September

29th (The Thing Itself) Live Poetry with Hazel Hogan and others, 7 pm
Mulhern's Bar

(Some ongoing [Fermanagh Live](#) Events)

13th till 30th October *Tactile Postcards* exhibition by Tara Moran Woods, Fermanagh House

11th till 31st October *Emergence* Visual Arts Trail by students of South West College

8th till 31st October *Thread Softly Through Memories* Solo exhibition by Jenny McGrail, The Jolly Sandwich, Belmore Street

7th till 9th October *Precious Cargo II* small works by Noelle McAlinden

6th – 30th *Elsewhere* Solo exhibition by Douglas Hutton, Waterways Ireland, Enniskillen

August

25th All-Ireland Poetry Slam – Fermanagh Heat @ Mulhern's Cellar Bar, Belmore Street Enniskillen 7 pm

July

7th ([The Thing Itself](#)) Poetry Readings @ Mulhern's Cellar Bar, Belmore Street 7 pm featuring Stephen Murphy and Cat Brogan

June

13th (Yeats Memorial Building Sligo) Launch of Paula Lahiff's poetry collection *From India to Ithaca* with Damien Brennan 1 pm

MAY

26th ([The Thing Itself](#)) Poetry Readings @ The Happiness Trap 7 pm featuring Mel Bradley

22nd & 23rd ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Vernacular Carpentry Workshop with [Niall Walsh](#)

19th (The New Suite, Main Street, Omagh) Book Launch *The Blossom or the Bole* by PHEME GLASS

13th & 14th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Wood Construction & Workshop with [David Spence](#)

13th & 14th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Woodturning Workshop with [David Spence](#)

6th & 7th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Stone Lettercutting Workshop with Seamus Dunbar

6th & 7th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Make Your Own Casting Facility Workshop with Nick Hughes

5th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) Celebrating 40 Years of *2000AD* 7.30 pm Tickets £8

April

29th & 30th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Stone Carving Workshop with Jackie McKenna

29th & 30th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Sand Casting In Aluminium Workshop with Kate Oram. Patterns can be made in a 3D printer next door at the [FabLab](#)

29th ([Common Ground](#)) 3-6 pm Poetry Workshop and readings in aid of [Ulster Wildlife](#)

28th ([The Thing Itself](#)) Poetry Readings @ The Happiness Trap Enniskillen with Rory Jones, former All Ireland Slam Champion

22nd Monica Corish [Sligo Writing Workshop](#), in partnership with *Comhlamh* – Development Workers in Global Solidarity

8th (Fermanagh Writers) Writing Memoir workshop with tutor [Lynda Kirby](#), in Fermanagh House, Enniskillen 1pm-5pm. Limited places. [Booking Essential](#)

7th ([Higher Bridges Gallery](#)) Opening of *Cirque des Oiseaux: Artists & Augurs* 7 pm. Exhibit continues to 29 April

March

3rd – 11th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) 37th Enniskillen Annual Drama Festival

29th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) *Music in Fermanagh* presents *Musici Ireland* – Flute, Viola and Harp

February

5th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) Matinee Performance by *The Vanburgh String Quartet* with soloist William Butt 3.00 pm

4th (Fermanagh Writers) Writing Poetry workshop with tutor [Monica Corish](#), in Fermanagh House, Enniskillen 10am-5pm. Limited places. [Booking Essential](#)

January

19th (Clinton Centre) [Together One Voice](#) singing classes begin weekly 7.30 pm – 9.30 pm

27th ([Higher Bridges Gallery](#)) Opening of *Interpretations of a Landscape New Work* by Jill Mulligan 7 pm. Exhibit continues to 25 February

2016

November

3rd-6th [Allingham Festival](#) Ballyshannon

October

30th Fermanagh Writers read their work on *Time of Our Lives* Radio Ulster 2 pm.

22nd – 23rd ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Modelling The Head In Clay – From Life Workshop

17th (Omagh Library) *Beneath the Hat* a collection of verse by Patrick Montague, launched by Joe Mahon of *Lesser Spotted Ulster*

16th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) Matinee performance by Ashley Wass, winner of the London International Piano Competition 3 pm

15th (Ulster American Folk Park) *The Great War in Memory, Writing and Drama* 10.30 -4pm

1st Ulster Final of the All-Ireland Poetry Slam @ Blakes of the Hollow, Enniskillen 5 pm

September

30th-3rd October [Seamus Heaney Homeplace](#) Opening Weekend

30th-8th October Exhibition of Paintings and Prints by [Michael Brown](#) at Enniskillen Castle

29th-1st October [FLive](#) Festival Enniskillen

25th (Allingham Festival) Midday deadline for online entries in [Poetry and Flash Fiction Competition](#)

23rd ([Jack Harte Bursary](#)) Deadline for applications 2 weeks writer-in-residence at the [Tyrone Guthrie Centre](#)

16th- 25th ([Higher Bridges Gallery](#)) Enniskillen Visual Arts Open Exhibition launch 5-8 pm

16th [Culture Night](#) at Enniskillen Castle. Readings by Fermanagh Writers 7-8 pm

10th & 11th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Sand Casting In Aluminium Workshop

10th (Fermanagh Writers) Writing Workshop with crime writer Brian McGilloway Fermanagh House 10am – 5pm Limited Places. [Booking Essential](#)

5-16th [Wordsworth's Ulster](#) Exhibition Enniskillen Library

3rd Regional Heat of the All-Ireland Poetry Slam @ Blakes of the Hollow, Enniskillen 4.30 pm (Poets register at 4pm to perform three poems of less than three minutes each)

August

30th ([AT the Edge](#)) Poetry Readings (Breda Wall Ryan, Colin Dardis and Marie Cadden) and Open Mic Johnstone Library Cavan 6.30 pm

25th-28th ([Five Glens Arts Festival](#)) Manorhamilton

20th ([Common Ground](#)) Annual Gathering

20th ([EADS](#)) Acting Workshop with James McAnespy Devenish College Enniskillen 11-6 pm

13th ([Eoghan Timoney](#)) *Writers in the Wood* Workshop on Conscious Writing in Longford Demense, Beltra Co. Sligo facilitated by Olive Travers.

6th ([Ardhowen Theatre](#)) 9 pm *An Evening of Songs and Poems* with Anthony Toner and Frank Ormsby

July

30th & 1st August ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Stone Carving Workshop

30th & 31st ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Reproduction Moulding For Artists & Architects

28th Launch of [A Dying Language](#) poetry collection by Monica Corish

24th-5th August [Yeats International Summer School](#) Sligo

24th Deadline for Submission to [Boyne Berries](#) anthology

23th & 24th ([Leitrim Sculpture Centre](#)) Workshop in Vernacular Carpentry

18th-19th Living Legacies WWI project writing workshop Castle Museum Enniskillen

9th ([Higher Bridges Gallery](#)) Opening Night of the [Summer Show Exhibition](#)
7.00pm

1st ([Slieve Beagh Arts](#)) One-day exhibition @ [Mullaghfad Church](#) 8.30-12.00pm

JUNE

14th ([Fermanagh Writers](#))-[FSNI](#) poetry competition launch & readings.
@[Enniskillen Library](#)

7th Corncrake issue#1 launch 7.30pm