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Leabharlann Bhaile Bhlainséir Blanchardstown Library



Events - Eachtraí March - Márta 2020



Handling Anxiety in Children & Teenagers

Stella O'Malley

Láimhseáil Imní i bPáistí agus Déagóirí

Monday, 9th March 2020 from 18.30pm



Anxiety is often described as an over-estimation of the danger and an under-estimation of your ability to cope. This talk provides helpful tips and strategies for parents to teach their perspective and help their children feel more able to cope.

Booking essential

CPR Demonstration and how to use an AED

Taispeántas ASC agus Úsáid Dífibrileoir

Tuesday, 24th March 2020 at 18.30pm - 19.30pm

St John's ambulances will provide a CPR Demonstration and how to use an AED (Automated External Defibrillator).

This demonstration is open to any member of the public who is interested in learning this life saving skill.

Booking essential

Library on the Radio—An Leabharlann ar an Raidió

Join Andy, Domhnall and guests on the Blanchardstown Library Radio Show at 13:40pm each Monday on 92.5 Phoenix FM. Each show features library news, views, book reviews, and the occasional library themed joke!





Sean-Nós Singing & Traditional Music Amhránaíocht ar an Sean-Nós

Thursday, 12th March 2020 at 13.00pm

Seachtain na Gaeilge will be celebrated in the purest of Irish tradition with Antaine Ó Faracháin and Nollaig Mac Cárthaigh.

Antaine Ó Faracháin sings in the native style in both Irish and English. He organises the Sean-Nós Cois Life song festival and has created four series for TG4.

Nollaig Mac Cárthaigh is an excellent piper who is renowned for his skills as a musician. He teaches uilleann pipes and he can be heard regularly in the City Centre.

All welcome. This will be a bilingual event



Ronaldo Fanzini, king of mayhem Ronaldo Fanzini, Rí na Mainneoise

Thursday, 19th March 2020 from 15.30pm - 16.30pm

Gather round, gather all, and you'll be open-mouthed when you see the unbelievable feats this man from Kerry - where else! - is happy to undertake. As Ronaldo Fanzini presents this wonderfully funny and madcap circus for young and old, be prepared for an amazing time at your library.

Suitable for all ages

Booking essential and opens on Eventbrite from March, 2nd at 10am

Conversation exchanges

Ciorcail Cómhrá

(Informal and casual drop-in chat with no teacher)

Adult only, strictly over 18s

Spanish Conversation Group

Mondays at 18.30pm

English Conversation Group

Wednesdays at 18.00pm

French Conversation Group

Saturdays at 10am

Irish Conversation Group

Saturdays at 12pm

Library News - Nuacht na Leabharlanna

Follow Fingal Libraries on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram to stay up to date with all the activity in Blanchardstown Library!

Twitter: @fingallibraries

Facebook: Fingal Libraries

Instagram: @librariesfingal

You can also check out our library blog posts on www.fingal.ie/blog/?cat=5

Opening Hours - Uaireanta Oscailte

Mon - Thurs: 9.45am - 8.00pm

Fri - Sat: 9.45am - 5.00pm

Bank Holiday Weekends: Closed Saturday & Monday

St Patrick's Day bank holiday closing date:

Tuesday, 17th March 2020

Reopening on Wednesday, 18th March 2020



Lá Féile Pádraig Beidh An Leabharlann Dúnta 17 Márta 2020

A thosclófar an Leabharlann 18 Márta 2020

For more information or to book in for events:

Le haghaidh níos mó eolas nó chun d'áit a chur in áireamh:

Phone/Guthán: 01 890 5563

Ríomhphost: blanchlibrary@fingal.ie



STEPS
Engineers Week
 29 Feb - 6 Mar 2020

E2 Young Engineers Lego Bricks Challenge

Monday, 2nd March 2020 at 15.30pm - 16.30pm

To celebrate Engineers Week your budding engineer will be able to build a model that demonstrates the lesson's subject using LEGO® bricks and Technic LEGO®. Each participant receives our unique Young Engineers kit which has been designed and manufactured especially for this purpose.

Ages: 6 - 12 Years.

Booking essential opens on Eventbrite.ie

Board Games and Chess Club
Club Cluichí Cláir agus Ficheall

Every Wednesday at 16.00pm

Join Ali, Neil and friends for an hour of fun and games.

All welcome

Baby Book Club - Club Leabhar Leanbh

Tuesday, 24th March from 11:30am - 12pm

This month, Ciara will lead another excellent storytelling session for children of pre-school age. Enjoy songs, stories and games with your toddler for half an hour on the third Tuesday of each month.

All welcome

The Parent & Toddler Group
Grúpa Páistí agus Tuismitheoirí

Every Wednesday from 10am to 1pm

An excellent social space for both parents and children.

All are welcome to drop in at any time.

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Autism Friendly Event
Eachtraí do Dhaoine Uathach

Storytime with Clíodhna - Scéaltaí le Clíodhna

Saturday, 28th March at 11am - 12pm

Ages: 4+ years

Join Clíodhna as she weaves a gentle story that will delight children and adults alike. This is an inclusive event and all are welcome.

Booking essential on Eventbrite.ie

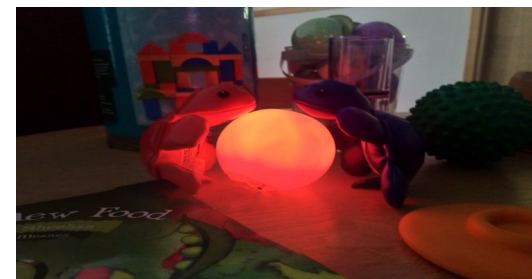
Jabba Jabba Jembe Drumming Circle
Ciorcal Drumadóireachta le Jabba Jabba Jembe

Monday, 16th March 2020 from 16.00pm – 17.00pm

Suitable for all ages

Jabba Jabba Jembe are well known for their high energy performances and workshops. This interactive drum circle is guaranteed to be fun for all the family

All Welcome



Coming soon in your library: Free Touch-Type Read and Spell a multi-sensory online course that teaches touch-typing, reading and spelling at the same time! So watch out for this literacy-friendly, web-based wonder.



Adult Events Eachtraí do Dhaoine Fásta

eService Information Clinic Seisiún Eolas ar na rSeirbhísí

Wednesday, 18th March from 2pm to 3pm

Our online services include free eBooks, audiobooks, newspapers, magazines, comics, courses, and music—all free of charge! If you would like further information, or for assistance in downloading the Fingal Library App, call in during our information clinic with your smartphone, tablet, laptop or Kindle Fire, and our eServices team will help you get set up.

No booking required

LEO Business Advice Clinics Comhairle Gnó le LEO

Thursday, 12th & 26th March 2020

Blanchardstown Europe Direct Information Centre and Work Matters - the library's Business, Enterprise and Employment Support Service - in conjunction with the Local Enterprise Office in Fingal (LEO) are offering Business Advice clinics in Blanchardstown Library. Booking is essential. **For more information and to book an individual session go to:**

<https://www.localenterprise.ie/Fingal> or phone 01 8900800.

Blanchardstown/Castleknock History Society Cumann Stair Baile Bhlainséir agus Caisleán Cnucha

For more information on the History Society, please call Aingeal at 085 749 1672, email a.mcmorrow.b.c.h.s@gmail.com or visit <https://blanchardstowncastleknockhistorysociety.wordpress.com/>

All welcome

LifeRing

LifeRing is an international organisation of support groups for people who want to live free of alcohol or other addictive drugs. It provides an environment for interactive sharing and participation, and meets in the library on **Saturdays from 1pm to 3pm.**

For further information please email lifering.dublin@gmail.com

Using Market Research Effectively with James Wilson from Mintel

Ag Úsáid Taighde Margaidh Go hÉifeachtach le James Wilson

Thursday, 05th March 2020 at 18.30pm – 19.30pm

Why is it important to conduct market research and an overview of the main methodologies? How do you use this information this process produces. This is part of the Work Matters at the Library programme supporting business and employment and Local Enterprise Week (2nd – 6th March).

Booking essential

The Treatment of Tuberculosis in Dublin 1896-1955 Déileáil leis an Eitinn i mBaile Átha Cliath 1896-1955

Monday, 9th March 2020 at 14.30pm

In the mid 19th century tuberculosis reached epidemic proportions in Ireland being responsible for 1 in every 8.75 deaths. Alan Carthy will discuss the state of medical knowledge and treatments for the disease and the role of government in determining the type and location of facilities for Dublin residents suffering from tuberculosis.

Booking essential



Blanchardstown Europe Direct Information Centre in Blanchardstown Library is one of a network of local contact points that serves as the direct link between citizens and the EU Institutions. It helps you find the answers to your questions about the EU and offers information on topics related to the EU including your rights and opportunities as an EU citizen.



Website: www.europedirect.ie

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