

weekend.

From legendary classics and rare collector vehicles to modern supercars and the latest in automotive innovation, this year's fifth anniversary event promises its biggest and most exciting programme yet.

Taking place in Dundrum Town's Red Car Park on Level 1, the space will once again be transformed into a premium automotive showcase, featuring a red-carpet display of exceptional vehicles in an accessible indoor setting.

With wide walkways, family-friendly facilities and Dundrum Town's shopping and dining destinations just moments away, it's the perfect day out for visitors of all ages.

Among the headline attractions announced so far are a 1971 Ferrari 365 GTB/4 "Daytona", a 2020 McLaren 720S and an Audi R8 V10 Plus.

New for 2026 is an exclusive VIP Experience, taking place on Saturday morning from 10am to 11am and on Sunday morning from 9.30am to 10.30am, before the event opens to the public.

Also launching this year is Five for Five: An Evening with Carl Mullan, a brand-new Saturday evening event celebrating five years of Supercar Weekend.

Hosted by radio presenter and car enthusiast Carl Mullan, the exclusive ticketed event will feature a live panel discussion with curator John Mohan and a selection of supercar owners, exploring the stories behind the cars, memorable driving experiences, the passion for collecting and the community that has



RATHCOOLE

Fun for a good cause with Peamount FoundationPalmerstown

James Dillon

Peamount Foundation invites all to a special supper and song show on August 6th next at the Avoca, Rathcoole.

There will be a special appearance by Bella Duo. Tickets are €80.

Later in the month there will be a four-ball (€1,000 entry) golf classic at Palmerstown estate. Note the date: August 28th.

The day includes: breakfast bap, 3-course dinner, drinks' reception, 18 hole course, goodie bags, raffle and auction. Can't attend?

Sponsor a tee box for €250 and get noticed, or donate a raffle prize to support the event.



SWORDS

Conradh na Gaeilge has been re-established in area

Craobh Cholm Cille, Conradh na Gaeilge has been re-established in Swords.

The same branch was in the town as far back as 1902. There is a language revival underway at the moment and we want to cater for that interest and represent those that are interested in promoting our national language. The success of the gael scoileanna movement in recent years means there are many Irish speakers looking to preserve their language skills and help pass the gift to the next generations.

We intend to provide speaking opportunities, organise Irish lessons, run Irish language juvenile sports camps, inspire social occasions trí ghaeilge and to make An Ghaeilge available to the people of Swords.

If you would like more information please contact: craobhcholmcille@cnag.ie

helped make Supercar Weekend such a success over the past five years.

Visitors can also enjoy interactive experiences throughout the weekend, including Carzone's Coffee Zone and an interactive Turbo Catch Challenge game.

August for its 15th year.

And the organisers will be hoping for the usual sunshine as the theme of the Big Jam this year is weather which will see ukulele players taking on songs such as "You are my Sunshine" and "Rainy night in Soho."

The Ukulele Hooley will feature home-grown and international ukulele players on stage for a free concert in the People's Park, Dun Laoghaire, on Sunday, August 23rd.

The Hooley will run from Saturday, August

22nd to Sunday, August 23rd, with the usual popular features such as the Bus Busk, Flash Mob, Open Mic, UKE Factor Competition and Workshops ending with the Big Concert in the People's Park on the Sunday afternoon.

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Ukulele Hooley returns next month

Two thousand ukulele players – amateur and professional – will be in tune for the Big Jam at the world-famous Ukulele Hooley which is back in Dun Laoghaire in

Comhairle Contae
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Fingal County
Council



ACQUISITION NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ACQUIRE LAND UNDER SECTION 45 OF THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2000 (AS AMENDED AND SUBSTITUTED)

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTS 2000 TO 2024 AND ALL OTHER ACTS THEREBY ENABLING ACQUISITION OF OPEN SPACE LANDS AT AT BROOKFORD, BROOK LANE, RUSH

Notice is hereby given that Fingal County Council in exercise of the power conferred on them by Section 45 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, intend to acquire by Order that section of the land described hereunder.

A copy of the map referred to in the Order may be seen and inspected at the offices of Fingal County Council, Reception Desk, County Hall, Main Street, Swords, Co. Dublin, K67 X8Y2 and Fingal County Council, Reception Desk, Civic Offices, Grove Road, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15, D15 W638, Monday to Thursday 9.00 am – 5.00 pm, Friday 9.00 am to 4.30 pm (excluding Bank Holidays) from **16th of July 2026 to 14th of August 2026** (inclusive).

The map is also available on the Fingal County Council website www.fingal.ie/vesting-order

Further information may be obtained from Aisling Doyle, Senior Staff Officer, Property Services Division, Fingal County Council, County Hall, Swords, Fingal, Co. Dublin, K67 X8Y2. Telephone no. 01 890 5000, E-mail: property.mgt@fingal.ie

Any person having an interest in the land to which this acquisition notice relates, may before the **14th day of August 2026** appeal to An Coimisiún Pleanála.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND INTENDED TO BE ACQUIRED

Open Space Lands at Brookford, Brook Lane, Rush

Dated this the 16th July 2026

Natalie Dineen,
Administrative Officer,
Property Services,
Economic, Community & Cultural Development.



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SECTION 75 OF THE ROADS ACT 1993 TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF R117 DUNDRUM WOOD, DUNDRUM

Dun Laoghaire Rathdown County Council has approved an application from Kavanagh Crane Hire Ltd to temporarily close R117 Dundrum Wood, Dundrum from the entrance to Castlebrook Estate (South East end) to the Car Park entrance to Dundrum Town Centre off R117 (North West end) from **00:01 hours to 09:00 hours on Sunday 26th July 2026**.

A Traffic Management Plan will be in operation and pedestrian and local access will be maintained at all times. Diversion routes will be clearly signposted.

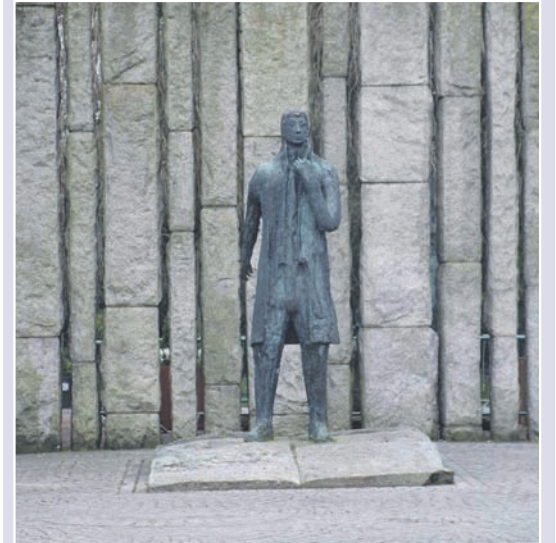
The purpose of the closure is for upgrade of heating / air con units for the new Penny's store in the Town Centre.

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Theobald Wolf Tone

Theobald Wolfe Tone was born 20 June 1763 in 27 St Bride's St. near Dublin Castle, and shortly afterwards his family moved to 44 Stafford St. (renamed Wolfe Tone St. in his honour).

He was the eldest of sixteen children born to Peter Tone and Margaret Lamport, of which only six of them survived beyond infancy. They were a middle-class protestant family and Peter, who was born in Bodenstown, County Kildare was a successful coachbuilder.

After school he entered Trinity College in 1781, although he had wanted to become a soldier. He was a good student, winning a scholarship (on his graduation in 1786) and medals in the College Historical Society, a noted debating forum that had been founded in 1745 by former student and eminent politician Edmund Burke.

In 1785 he and Matilda Witherington eloped and were married on 21 July without her parent's permission, something that damaged the future relationship with his in-laws. They had four children with none of them living later than 1806.

He went to London in 1786 and studied law at Middle Temple, while writing articles and a novel. Returning to Dublin he was called to the Bar in 1789 and practised on the Leinster circuit. However, it was not for him and he said, 'I soon got sick and weary of the law'. Politics and the world-changing effect of the French Revolution drew him in.

In the early 1790s Tone began writing pamphlets and his An argument on behalf of the Catholics of Ireland, which was published in August 1791, became his most famous effort. This got him noticed, and along with others they formed the United Irishmen on 14 October 1791, which held its first meeting four days later with the declaration 'AN EQUAL REPRESENTATION OF ALL THE PEOPLE IN PARLIAMENT'.

Tone was captured in October 1798 as he tried to land with French troops and military supplies. He was sentenced to hang for treason, but he died on 19 November from a self-inflicted knife wound to his neck. Later, he was buried in Bodenstown graveyard.