

# one book one community

This community reading project brings together families, schools, libraries & literacy groups on the northside of Cork. It follows the One Book One Shandon initiative which was celebrated during the festival last year. This time the book chosen is *The Butterfly Lion* by Michael Morpurgo and pupils at the participating schools have taken home free copies of it to read with their families.

The project is part of the continuing work of teachers who are Home School Community Liaison Co-ordinators and aims to promote family literacy. One Book One Community has been generously funded by: Cork City Partnership, the Daughters of Charity, Knocknaheeny, the Department of Social & Family Affairs, Cork City Council, the Parish Committee, Knocknaheeny, Cllr Tony Fitzgerald's Ward Fund.

During the festival a number of events take place in schools, libraries & other centres – see the following pages for details.

## Info:

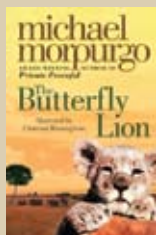
contact Home School Community Liaison teachers:

Ann Neff – Knocknaheeny 439 1001;

Eileen Geaney – Farranree 086 829 2566;

Margaret McSwiney – Mayfield 086 380 5164;

John Daly – Blackpool 086 873 2941



## 8.45- 9.45am

Leisureworld Churchfield



## Take to the water

Learn how to improve your health, fitness and wellbeing by using the facilities for free - have a swim, sauna, steam session. Staff will answer any queries. Lots of free parking. Free events here daily until Friday.

Info: Louise O'Sullivan 439 7868

## 9am – 5pm

Coláiste Stiofáin Naofa,

College of Further Education, Tramore Rd

## Imprints of Shandon

Visit an exhibition of print & stitch work by first year students on the Access with Design Course. The public is very welcome to view the students' response to the characteristic cobbles and columns of Shandon's streetscape - a collection of prints and fabric pieces based on their visual research in this historic part of the city.

Info: 496 1020

Continues until Friday.



## 9.30am – 4.30pm

Knocknaheeny Youth Centre, Hollyhill

## Kites of Hopes & Dreams

Students from four local primary schools and Terence MacSwiney Secondary exhibit their artwork, which was inspired by reading *The Butterfly Lion*, the One Book, One Community project. Continues until Thursday when at 10am they fly their kites. Organised by the Local Education Committee Literacy Forum from Knocknaheeny, Hollyhill, Strawberry Hill, Churchfield.

Participating: Home School Community Liaison, Junior Cert Schools Programme, Hollyhill Library, NICHE, Write



Together, Oceans of Notions Drama School, local Parish Committee, parents, students, teachers & principals at all local schools. Info: Ann Neff 439 1001

## 9.30am – 5.30pm

Alliance Française de Cork, 36 Mary St, off Georges Quay

## Energy - sustainable development, why?

Exhibition of posters addressing environmental issues & the development of sustainable energy. Info: Ytene Laucyte 431 0677. Alliance Française promotes French language & culture, with courses for all ages, and a programme of events & exhibitions year round. Call in & pick up a brochure.

## 10am – noon

UCC



## Pathways to Education

Parents of children attending the 10 schools participating in the Primary School Strand of Pathways to Education visit the campus & hear about educational opportunities & the work of the Access Office. Visits daily until Friday, co-ordinated through Home School Community Liaison teachers. Info: Dr. Tracey Connolly 490 3946 or email t.connolly@ucc.ie

## 10am – 12 noon

School of the Divine Child, Lavanagh Centre, Ballintemple

## View a mural about Spring

See how the students & staff have responded to the development of Spring in their environment. The School of the Divine Child, Lavanagh Centre, is a primary and second level school for students with physical and multiple disabilities. Info: Anne Brennan 429 4803 ext 219 Continues until Friday.

## 10am – 12.30pm

Meeting Room 1, Student Centre, CIT



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## Access & supports for disabled students

Hear from Carmel Hennessy (Assistive Technology Outreach Co-ordinator) how to overcome challenges faced by disabled students. Watch demonstrations of helpful technologies. Laura O'Rourke (Disability Support Officer) explains the DARE (Disability Access to Education) scheme, & other supports available & how to access them. Current CIT students talk about their experiences & the support they receive. Refreshments served. Session repeated this afternoon. Numbers limited, booking essential: Laura 433 5107 – 087 177 6755; Carmel 433 5137 – 087 416 3752

## 10am - 1pm

Mayfield Community Arts Centre  
Newbury House, Old Youghal Rd

## See artwork & visit studios

Mayfield teenagers and Columbian artists display work they produced for the St Patrick's Festival. Cuig artists' studios are also open to the public with an exhibition of their work. Cúig - Creativity Unlimited, is an integrated group of five artists with disability, employed as artists in residence here, under the Community Services Programme, and trained in a range of skills. They engage with local schools and run arts workshops for various groups to promote the ability and inclusion of individuals with disabilities. Their work is exhibited in festivals and arts events citywide. The public can see the exhibitions & visit the studios until Friday. Info: 453 0434 www.mayfieldarts.org

## 10am – 3.30pm

Shopping Centre, Hollyhill



## Children enjoy young animals

The Knocknaheeny/Hollyhill Community Education Network welcomes the AgriAware Mobile Farm. Local children get the chance to hold & feed young animals and to learn a bit about farm life. Info: Siobhan O'Riordan 087 230 3429 or Ann Neff 439 1001

## 10am – 8pm

Language Centre, G36 Ground Floor  
O'Rahilly Building, UCC

## Open Day & Evening

Learn about the courses offered: full & part-time taught courses, day & evening, in English as a Foreign Language (EFL) at various levels, as well as English for Specific Purposes, Fluency & Exam preparation. Meet some of the teaching, resource & administrative staff who will answer questions. It is an examination centre for internationally recognised qualifications, and also offers Teacher Training courses in EFL. If you're interested in flexible learning or other languages the Centre has facilities for open-access self-instruction, for use by staff & students at UCC, and by the general public (at a nominal fee). The Centre also offers a translation/interpreting service to internal (UCC) and external clients. All welcome. Café in building T: 490 2043 or 490 2898 E: info@langcent.ucc.ie W: www.ucc.ie/esol

**10.30am – 11.30am**

*Alliance Française, 36 Mary St*



## Learn about the Schumann Plan

Marking the 60th anniversary of the Schumann Plan for Europe, Alliance Director H el ene Duquin gives a talk, followed by a Q & A session. All welcome. Info: 431 0677

**10.30am – 1pm**

*We made this, South Presentation City Project, Evergreen St*

## Hands-on learning

Linking up with local people, the Craft Group teaches them how to knit & crochet and alter or fix clothes. Bring along an item and see how you can add a touch of class to it! Also see a display of crafts made by the group. Repeated this afternoon. Info: Margaret O'Driscoll 086 246 7161

**11am – 12.30pm**

*North Presentation Secondary School, Farranree*

## A celebration – music, song & poetry

Celebrate the genius of Luke Kelly & Patrick Kavanagh with an entertaining & remarkable weaving of song and poetry from Liam Hutchinson & Bob Jennings. In Adult Education Room. Park on Knockpogue Ave. Info: Anne Twomey, Adult Education Organiser 430 3330

Organised by the Farranree Education Network. Members: Home School Community Liaison, North Presentation Secondary School, Scoil Aiseiri Christ, Scoil Iosag ain, North Presentation Adult Education Centre, Farranree Alcohol & Drugs Awareness Project (FADA), Farranree Family Centre, HSE Springboard Project, Ogra Lodge Project, FAYRE Project, RAPID, Garda Sioch ana, Community Warden, Community Development Project.

**11am – 2.30pm**

*Col aiste Stiof ain Naofa, Tramore Rd*



## Stone Circle – exhibition of student photographs

The students on the Cultural & Heritage Studies course spent the winter photographing stone circles around County Cork. This exhibition features the best and most evocative images they produced. Continues until Friday.

Info: Shane Lehane 496 1020

**11am – 3pm**

*City of Cork VEC Centre for Education,  
Teach Barra, Dean Street*



## Beneath St Finbarr's Spires – open day

See a display of student art & watch a short film on the work of the centre, which includes interviews with students past & present. Visitors can try a hands-on class in basic computer skills with an expert tutor.

A teacher takes groups on a guided tour of the old Deanery gardens Info: Rory Sheehan 496 6950  
Daily until Friday.

**11.00am**

*Thomas Crosbie Holdings, Parnell Place*

## Official Opening of 7th Festival

Minister for Education & Science, Mr Batt O'Keeffe TD, officially opens the seventh annual festival.

Lord Mayor of Cork, Councillor Dara Murphy, formally announces a new initiative linking festivals in Cork & Belfast.

Info: Tina Neylon 492 4527

Event hosted by Thomas Crosbie Holdings in association with Co-operation Ireland (Cork branch)



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**2pm – 3pm**

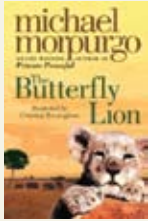
*G19, Kane Building, UCC*

## Learn about Muslim - Christian Relations

All welcome to a lecture by Dr Oliver Scharbrodt, of the Study of Religions Department & a specialist in Islam and the Middle East. It's part of the course Religions in the Contemporary World: An Introduction to the Study of Religions, a new Religions & Global Diversity undergraduate programme. UCC's Study of Religions Dept is the first in Ireland & its approach is objective, with no connection to religious institutions. More details at <http://www.ucc.ie/en/studyofreligions/>

**11.30am - 1pm**

*Terence MacSwiney Secondary School, Knocknaheeny*



## One Book One Community – a celebration

A dramatisation on the theme of the book *The Butterfly Lion* and a performance by army personnel of music, with a display of World War uniforms & weaponry. Organised by the Local Education Committee

Literacy Forum from Knocknaheeny, Hollyhill, Strawberry Hill, Churchfield. For participants see 9.30am entry.  
Info: Ann Neff 439 1001

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**Noon – 4pm**

*Mahon Family Resource Centre  
Mahon Drive*

## Art on display

Work by the women's art group can be seen daily until Friday. Call in and see it & find out about all the regular activities here. The Family Resource Centre is a member of the Mahon Education Network. Info: 435 8866

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**1pm - 2pm**

*Civic Trust House,  
50 Pope's Quay*

## Introduction to film-making

Join tutor Ciara Hyland, who teaches courses in Documentary and Short Film-making, for an introductory session about starting to make films. Event organised by Cork Film Centre. Info: Nicki French Davis 421 5101

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**1.30pm – 2.30pm**

*School of the Divine Child, Lavanagh Centre, Ballintemple*

**Exhibition** – see the Spring mural – details at 10am.

**2pm**

*Ursuline Secondary School,  
Blackrock*



## Fun Quiz for young & old

Come along and enjoy a quiz with teams a mix of older people & students working together to win the top prize. A Mahon Education Network event. During festival week a series of workshops raising awareness of positive ageing also take place in Mahon/Blackrock schools. If you're an older person living in the area & want to take part in the quiz, call Lynda Wakefield 435 9070

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**2pm – 3pm**

*Blackrock Castle Observatory*

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## Learn about a new planet – workshop for adults

Discover a strange new planet in this light-hearted workshop, which outlines how we have studied & explored our solar system. Ample free parking. Booking essential. Call Frances McCarthy 435 7917 or email [info@bcc.ie](mailto:info@bcc.ie)  
Repeated daily all week.

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**2pm – 3pm**

*Alliance Française de Cork, 36 Mary St*

## Learn a bit about Bordeaux

Enjoy a virtual tour of the Bordeaux region, its wines, food, specific culture, with native tutor, Matthieu Nivard.  
Info: 431 0677

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**2pm - 3.30pm**

*Civic Trust House, Pope's Quay*

## Introduction to film-making

Repeat session with Ciara Hyland (see entry at 1pm) followed by information on the resources available to all film-makers, amateur and professional, through Cork Film Centre. Info: Nicki French Davis 421 5101



**2pm – 4pm**

*Crawford Art Gallery, Emmet Place*



## Tour of gallery & sketching workshop

The Crawford Art Gallery is a learning resource for everyone and entry is always free. Today Cork artist Julie Kelleher leads a short and lively tour tracing the history of the gallery with a special focus on stained glass. It's a great opportunity to find out about Cork's cultural heritage in conversation with an artist. After a tea break and chat, participants can join Julie in a short sketching session to explore design ideas for stained glass. All drawing materials supplied.

€3 contribution requested for refreshments. Places limited, booking essential – Anne Boddaert/Emma Klemencic 490 7857 or email:anneboddaert@crawfordartgallery.ie

**2pm – 4.30pm**

*Meeting Room 1, Student Centre, CIT*

## Access & supports for disabled students

- Information seminar. Details see 10am.



**2.30pm – 5pm**

*Bishopstown Senior Social Centre, Wilton Park House*

## Older people have fun

All week the public is very welcome to visit the centre and try out its regular activities. Today it's dancing with Noel Carrey. Enjoy free refreshments & chat too. New members always welcome to this prizewinning centre; awards include Pride of Place & the first Lord Mayor's Communit & Voluntary



Award in the category Lifelong Learning. The centre is a member of the Bishopstown Education Network. Info: Roger Coughlan 086 386 6975

**2.30pm – 3.30pm**

*Meeting Room 1, Student Centre  
Cork Institute of Technology*



*Science for Life*

## Learn about science & health

The Access Service Science for Life Project Officer Dr Sharon Lawton tells you about microbiology, health, hygiene & the human defence system, with particular emphasis on Swine Flu. Includes an interactive session on disease transmission. Reserve your place & parking, call Sharon: 433 5108 or 087 956 4937 or email: sharon.lawton@cit.ie

**2.30pm - 4pm**

*We made this, South Presentation City Project, Evergreen St*

## Hands-on learning

– details see 10.30am

**3pm – 4pm**

*University College Cork*



**UCC**  
Coláiste na hOllscoile Corcaigh, Éire  
University College Cork, Ireland

## Guided historical tour of UCC

UCC guide takes you on a free tour of the college, visiting the Aula Maxima, Stone Corridor, Honan Chapel, the main quadrangle, the President's garden & the Crawford Observatory. Meet at Visitors' Centre. Tours are available year round, with a fee charged. Info: JP Quinn 490 1876 Repeated daily until Friday, when there's also an evening tour.

**5.30pm – 7.00pm**

*Civic Trust House, 50 Pope's Quay*



## So you want to be...an Arts Producer? Programmer? Director?

Interested in a career behind the scenes? Put your questions to a panel of arts managers from Cork Midsummer Festival and find out what it's like in the hot seat, how they got to where they are, the highs and lows. Whether you are starting out, having a mid career re-think, or are just interested in finding out more, you are very welcome. Info: Nicki french Davis 421 5101

**6.15pm – 7pm**

*Cork Dance Studio, Unit 70, Penrose Wharf*

## Try a Salsa class

After years teaching in different venues Cork Dance Studio opened its new home here two years ago. With 3500 square feet of dance space, it's a dream venue, and the Studio offers classes in up to 20 different dance styles – truly something for everyone. During the festival you can try a variety of them. Tonight it's Salsa. For more info, call Kathleen Farrelly 450 6967 or 086 212 1273 – see [www.corkdancestudio.com](http://www.corkdancestudio.com)

**7pm – 8pm**

*Youth Centre, Ballinlough Rd*



## Try a karate class

Rising Sun School of Karate invites adults to a beginners' class where Sensei Barry O'Regan will teach a step by step introduction to Shotokan Karate. Wear loose clothing. Info: 429 1313 – 086 869 1815

**7pm**

*Glen CDP, Glen Resource Centre*



## Seminar on personal wellbeing – for women

Learn from Claire Cullinane about women's wellbeing – self awareness, assertiveness, confidence building, posture, image and make-up. Event organised by Glen Education Network. Places limited – reserve yours by calling Ronnie Byrne 455 0519.

**7pm**

*The Palace Bar, Everyman Palace Theatre, MacCurtain St*

## Hamlet: director Alan Stanford speaks

Ever wondered how a modern theatre director approaches the works of Shakespeare? Well here's your chance! Meet Alan Stanford, one of Ireland's finest theatre directors, with over 40 years in the business and hear his thoughts on the creative process, and an insider's view on the staging of Hamlet. Free but ticketed with numbers limited to 50. Also discounted €15 tickets available to those attending his talk for tonight's 8pm show. Book: 450 1673



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**7.30pm**

*Mahon Youth Centre,  
Portcabins, Mahon Drive*

## Southside

Organised by Mahon Education Network.  
Info: Viv Sadd 435 9070.

**7.30pm**

*The Hut,  
Gurranabraher*

## Northside

Organised by Gurranabraher CDP  
Info: Ann Long 430 1700

## Forum for the Unemployed

Are you unemployed? Do you want to hear about supports to help get you back into the workforce? Panel of experts from: LES – Cork City Partnership's Local Employment Service; FÁS, Department of Social & Family Affairs, City of Cork VEC, including its Adult Guidance Service – will answer your questions. Come along...all welcome. Refreshments.

**7.30pm – 8.40pm**

*Mahon Point Shopping Centre*

## Try a Pilates class for free

Experience how, in just one Pilates session, you can feel stronger, taller, calmer. Jaconel Janssen runs regular classes upstairs in Mahon Point. Places limited, to book call 085 161 3505



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**7.30pm – 9pm**

*Mahon Family Resource, Centre, Mahon Drive*

## Spelling Workshop

Students & tutors are invited to a workshop exploring ways to help you spell – activities will include crosswords, word games & strategies. Event organised by Mahon Literacy & Adult Basic Education Support, member of the Mahon Education Network. Info: Brid Murphy 086 857 7820



**7.30pm – 10pm**

*Conference Room, 8 North Mall*

## Managing stress – caring for our wellbeing

An evening workshop organised by The Social & Health Education Project (SHEP). SHEP is a community-based training and development organisation, working with individuals and communities to develop capacities for positive change, to enhance health and well-being and to promote social justice. It does this through a range of initiatives. Info: Mary Mangan 466 6180



**8pm**

*Assembly Hall, Ursuline Convent Secondary School*

## Learn about Sicily

The Dante Alighieri Society invites you to an illustrated talk by Laura Ginevra, who comes from Sicily, on the island's history & culture. Find out about the Italian Society's regular meetings & language classes. All welcome. Large car park. Info: Leo Brownen – 435 7376 – 087 240 5212



**8pm**

*Gymnasium, Douglas Community School*

## Try the sport of Short Mat bowls

It's never too early, or too late, to learn a new skill. Join the members of Douglas Community School Indoor Bowls Club and enjoy a bit of tuition in the sport. Both men & women, and all ages, will be made very welcome. Parking at rear of school. Info: Steve Wingate – 086 845 9996 Repeated Thurs.



**8.30pm – 9.30pm**

*Room G45, CIT Cork School of Music, Union Quay*

## Try a little Samba

Everyone is welcome to an open rehearsal with CIT Carnival Samba. The group performs regularly at the St. Patrick's Day Parade, at concerts in venues such as City Hall & here and at outdoor events around the city. Feel free to join in playing some exciting Brazilian percussion music.

No previous experience necessary. Info: Director Stephen Kelly 086 064 8363



## LIBRARIES FOR LEARNING



*Bishopstown Library, Wilton*

**All day**

Bishopstown Knitathon

We supply the wool & needles, you do the stitches. Experienced knitters on hand to show you how.

Fun event for all the family – continues all week

T 492 4950



*Rory Gallagher Music Library, Grand Parade*

**All week**

Exhibition: Aloys Fleischmann Family and Friends - part of Cork City's celebration of Aloys Fleischmann's life and work throughout 2010.



**11am**

Town and Gown: The Contribution of Aloys Fleischmann to Cork's Musical Life - a lecture by Dr Susan O' Regan on Professor Fleischmann's unique and lasting contribution to music in the city.

**2pm – 3.30pm**

Bodhran for Beginners (for adults).

Bring your bodhran and join Colm Murphy for a class. Colm is an acclaimed bodhran player and tutor who has performed and recorded with musicians including De Dannan, Seamus Creagh and Jackie Daly. Places limited.

Booking essential. T 492 4919



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