

A SOCIAL GUIDE TO CORKMAS PARADE

The Corkmas Parade is on November 14th 2025. It starts at 7pm and will finish at 8pm.

To see the parade you need to stand on the footpath along the parade route. You can see a map on the website of where it will pass. It will take a while to pass where you are.

On these pages are some pictures of the parade last year, to show you what it will probably be like at the parade.



Where this guide says 'You' this could be your support person or parent instead

The streets will be very busy – like this



Wherever this guide says 'the website' that means:

www.Corkmas.ie



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The city will be very busy.

Some roads will be closed, and some buses will need to go a different way, but they will still get you very close to where you need to be – find that information on the website.

There are no seats or toilets on the parade route.

You need to make sure you won't need them for the time you are standing.

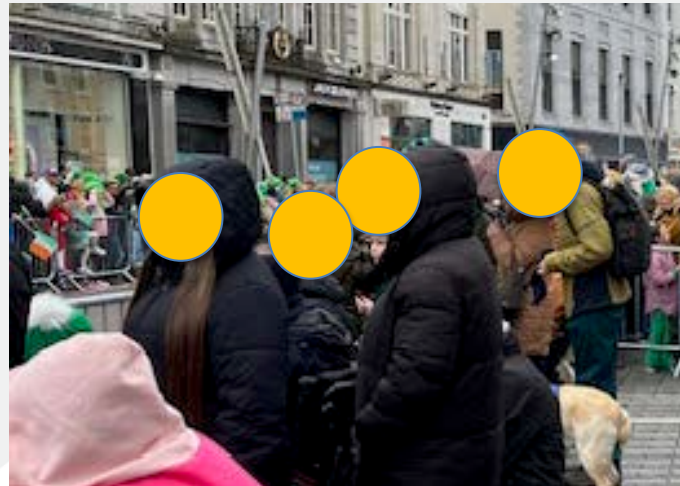
It might be cold, windy, or raining – or all 3! – so prepare for the weather before you leave home.

It will be dark outside, but the streetlights will be on.



The sky will be dark but the streets will be bright. It might rain.

Some roads will be closed for a short while.



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The streets will be very full of people. They will be excited and noisy.

If crowds bother you can come to an area at **Dunnes Stores on Patrick Street** for people who need more space or a seat.

This space is called the **Accessible Zone** and will have a sign on it – you can see that sign here.

Accessible Zone



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If crowds and noise really bother you, we can allow you go to a place that is quiet and there are very few people.

You will be able to see the parade from there.

To be allowed go there, please arrive early and talk to the staff in the area outside Dunnes stores.

You will need to have a support person/parent go with you to this Quiet Space.



This is the view from the Quiet Space.
The parade will pass by on the road you
can see out this window.

These 2 pictures are of the inside
of the Quiet Space.

You will need to walk up some stairs
to get there.



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