

European Heritage Days 2018



European Heritage Days (EHDs), a joint initiative of the Council of Europe and the European Commission, are the most widely celebrated participatory cultural events shared by the citizens of Europe.

Over 70,000 events are organised every year in order to help raise awareness of Europe's common heritage and the continuous need for its protection.

This year, the countries taking part in European Heritage Days are celebrating the European Year of Cultural Heritage through the common theme of The Art of Sharing.

EHDs events take place in the 50 countries party to the European Cultural Convention. During this time, doors are opened to numerous monuments and sites, allowing Europe's citizens to enjoy free visits and learn about their shared cultural heritage and encouraging them to become actively involved in the safeguarding and enhancement of this heritage for present and future generations.

www.europeanheritagedays.com



European Heritage Days
Journées européennes du patrimoine

European Year of Cultural Heritage: The Art of Sharing

An Chomhairle Oidhreachta
The Heritage Council



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NATIONAL HERITAGE WEEK 2018 18-26 AUG

WATERFORD EVENT GUIDE
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www.heritageweek.ie



NATIONAL HERITAGE WEEK 2018



Original Irish Hotels

HERITAGE COMPETITION

To celebrate Heritage Week, Original Irish Hotels are offering one lucky winner and guest a fantastic two night B&B break, including dinner on one evening, in one of their unique owner-run hotels located in Ireland's most outstanding destinations.

Prize is subject to availability.

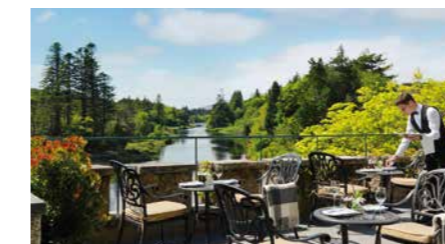
To be in with a chance to win, correctly answer these 3 questions at heritageweek.ie

Win a two night Original Irish Hotels B&B Break

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How to enter:

Visit heritageweek.ie and click on the competition area to submit your answers. This is an online competition.



Terms and Conditions

The closing date for receipt of entries is Friday 31 August 2018 and entries may only be submitted online via www.heritageweek.ie

The winner will be randomly selected from entries with all 3 correct answers
The winner of the competition will be contacted by the Heritage Council
The prize is for two night B&B break, including dinner on one evening, in one of the luxurious Original Irish Hotels around Ireland. Transport and other costs

associated with taking the prize are not included
It is the responsibility of the winner to redeem their prize directly with Original Irish Hotels
No alternative prize will be offered
There is no cash redemption value for the prize
Prize winners will have a choice of hotels depending on availability and at the discretion of Original Irish Hotels

Q1. In what county is Knockranny House Hotel?

- Meath
- Monaghan
- Mayo

Q2. Which Original Irish Hotel has a recently restored walled garden?

- Dingle Benners Hotel
- Knockranny House Hotel
- Ballynahinch Castle Hotel

Q3. What festival is hosted by the Seaview House Hotel during Heritage Week?

- The Ellen Hutchins Festival
- The Loughrea Medieval Festival
- Festival of Early Irish Harp

ORIGINAL IRISH HOTELS HERITAGE WEEK EVENTS

Welcome to a world of difference... Welcome to Original Irish Hotels. Open the door to the magic of unmissable moments with Ireland's leading collection of independent hotels. Here are some of the highlight events happening at Original Irish Hotels during Heritage Week:



The Macreddin Mile, A Guided Walk
BrookLodge & Macreddin Village, Co. Wicklow

A self-guided walk along The Macreddin Mile tells the historical story of local landmarks, plants and wild life. Special walk with local historian on Sunday 19 August 5 - 7pm.

Date: Sunday 18th - 26th August, 7am - 9pm
Telephone: 0402 36444
Email: info@brooklodge.com
Website: brooklodge.com



Secret Stories of Dingle

Dingle Benners Hotel, Dingle, Co. Kerry

Kevin O'Shea will share Dingle's best kept secrets as he meanders through the streets of Dingle town. Enjoy complimentary Tea/Coffee & Pastries on your return to the historic Dingle Benners Hotel.

Date: Wednesday 22nd August, 10am - 12pm
Cost: Adult €12, Child €6, Concession €10, Family €25
Telephone: +353 66 9151638
Email: reception@dinglebenners.com
Website: dinglebenners.com



Living History: Letter Writing 1808

Seaview House Hotel, Ballylickey, Co. Cork

As part of the Ellen Hutchins Festival, learn letter writing practices of 1808, write with a quill pen and hear about Ellen's correspondence; with Carrie O'Flynn, re-enactor and Anne Secord, researcher.

Date: 24th August, 2pm - 4pm
Website: ellenhutchins.com



Westport Walking Tour

Knockranny House Hotel, Westport, Co. Mayo

Enjoy a complimentary guided walking tour of Westport as part of your stay with us in conjunction with Westport Walking Tours.

Date: 20th - 24th August, 10am - 4pm
Cost: FREE



Guided Walk & Talk with Lunch

Ballynahinch Castle Hotel, Recess, Connemara, Co. Galway

A guided walk & talk of the recently restored walled garden followed by lunch in the Fisherman's Pub.

Date: Wednesday 22nd August, 12pm - 2.30pm
Cost: €25 Per Person
Telephone: +353 95 31006



OPEN HISTORIC PROPERTY OR HERITAGE SITE

Children's Heritage Hunt

Christ Church's interior is full of decorative details and carvings. Come hunt for hidden animals and symbols in the cathedral - find them all and win a prize. Everyone welcome!

Venue: Christ Church Cathedral, Waterford

Organiser: Christ Church Cathedral, Waterford

Telephone: +353 51 858958

Website: christchurchwaterford.com



Date	Start Time	End Time
Mon 20th	13:15	13:45
Thu 23rd	13:15	13:45
Fri 24th	13:15	13:45

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Full) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)



OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, TALK

Gallows Hill Community Excavation

Community archaeological excavation at Gallows Hill, Dungarvan, Co Waterford 17th -23rd August. Volunteers will be on hand each day to provide tours and talks at the excavation site.

Venue: Gallows Hill, Dungarvan, Co Waterford

Organiser: Gallows Hill Community Group/Waterford County Museum

Email: history@waterfordmuseum.ie

Telephone: 058 45960

Website: history@waterfordmuseum.ie



Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 18th	09:00	17:00
Thu 23rd	09:00	17:00

(Not suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)



EXHIBITION

Making Connections

This Heritage week we ask all visitors to Reginald's Tower to connect with us. Show us where you are from by placing a pin in a map and share a story with us about anything and everything.

Venue: Reginald's Tower, The Quay, Waterford City

Organiser: Office of Public Works

Email: reginaldstower@opw.ie

Telephone: 051304220

Website: heritageireland.ie



Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 18th	09:30	17:00
Sun 19th	09:30	17:00
Mon 20th	09:30	17:00
Tue 21st	09:30	17:00
Wed 22nd	09:30	17:00
Thu 23rd	09:30	17:00
Fri 24th	09:30	17:00
Sat 25th	09:30	17:00
Sun 26th	09:30	17:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Free)



OPEN HISTORIC PROPERTY OR HERITAGE SITE

Curraghmore "Tales and Traditions"

Curraghmore house with it 800 years of history is home to Lord and Lady Waterford. 2500 acres of formal gardens, woodland and grazing fields makes it one of the finest places to visit in Ireland.

Venue: Curraghmore Estate

Organiser: Curraghmore House

Admission: Adult: €15

Email: Info@curraghmorehouse.ie

Telephone: 086-8211917

Website: curraghmore.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 18th	10:00	17:00

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WORKSHOP

Swords, Shields and Stories

Design and decorate your own sword and shield. Learn how to make your own transfer stencils, and enhance your sword and shield with Viking, Norman and ancient symbols to create your own unique story

Venue: Reginald's Tower

Organiser: Office of Public Works

Email: reginaldstower@opw.ie

Telephone: 051 304220

Website: heritageireland.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 18th	11:00	13:00
Sat 18th	14:00	16:00
Sat 25th	11:00	13:00
Sat 25th	14:00	16:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Car Parking Available) (Free)

TALK

George Lennon IRA Cmdt/Peace Activist

A talk on George Lennon, Commander of the West Waterford Brigade and his journey from IRA Commandant to Peace Activist by his son Ivan Lennon author of the book "Ulster to the Déise: Lennons in Time"

Venue: Dungarvan Library, Davitt's Quay, Dungarvan

Organiser: Waterford City and County Council

Email: archivist@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761102144

Website: waterfordcouncil.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sat 18th	16:00	17:00

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PERFORMANCE OR REENACTMENT

Rambling House

In every parish there was a rambling house where everyone was welcome to call in and warm themselves by the fire, share the local news and enjoy a cup of tea. It was the social media of it's day.

Venue: Nell's Farm House

Organiser: Nell's Farm House

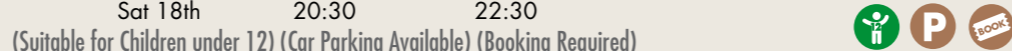
Admission: Adult: €10.00, Child: €5.00

Email: info@nellsfarmhouse.ie

Telephone: 0862206007

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Sat 18th	20:30	22:30

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OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, WORKSHOP

The Big Viking Dig at Gallowshill

The School of Irish Archaeology will recreate a replica 'Viking House' and excavation site where children can explore the Viking world through a simulated archaeology dig.

Venue: Gallowshill, Dungarvan, Co Waterford

Organiser: Gallowshill/Waterford County Museum

Email: history@waterfordmuseum.ie

Telephone: 058 45960

Website: waterfordmuseum.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 19th	10:30	15:30

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OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, FESTIVAL

Gallowshill Archaeology Festival

Step Back in Time at Gallowshill, Co Waterford Community Festival celebrating centuries of Dungarvan's conquests and battles including Vikings, Medieval knights and Gallowglass Warriors.

Venue: Gallowshill, Dungarvan

Organiser: Gallowshill Group/Waterford County Museum

Email: history@waterfordmuseum.ie

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EXHIBITION

Birds of Prey Experience

Little has changed in ancient art of Falconry for the last 4,000 years. Why not join us at Dungarvan Castle to discover the history of raptors and their natural habitats.

Venue: Dungarvan Castle

Organiser: Office of Public Works

Email: charlesfort@opw.ie

Telephone: 058 48144

Website: heritageireland.ie

Date	Start Time	End Time
Sun 19th	12:00	17:00

(Suitable for Children under 12) (Wheelchair Access - Partial) (No Car Parking Available) (Free)



WORKSHOP

Colouring Competition

Colouring competition aimed at children aged 8 years & under. Participants are asked to colour pictures that represent cultural traditions, historical events or historic buildings.

Venue: Brown's Road Library, Lisduffgan

Organiser: Waterford City & County Library Service

Email: amodoherty@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2614

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WORKSHOP

Voices From The Past

Writing competition aimed at primary school children between the ages of 8 & 12. Participants will be asked to write a diary entry pretending to be someone living in the past.

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Organiser: Waterford City & County Library Services

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Telephone: 0761 10 2614

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TALK

Lecture about coastal archaeology

A lecture by Dr Edward Pollard of the Cherish Project (Cherishproj.eu) entitled 'Coastal archaeological investigations of early medieval counties Waterford and Wexford'.

Venue: Copper Coast Geopark Visitor Centre, Bunmahon, County Waterford

Organiser: CHERISH/ The Discovery Programme/ Atlantic Geoparks

Email: lindashine@discoveryprogramme.ie

Telephone: 051 292828

Website: discoveryprogramme.ie/news/294-heritage-week-events-2018

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OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE, PERFORMANCE OR REENACTMENT

De La Salle Scout Pipe Band

De La Salle Scout Pipe Band will perform on Tramore Promenade at 8pm sharp

Venue: Tramore Prom, Old Lifeguard hut

Organiser: Waterford Libraries

Email: tmceneaney@waterfordcouncil.ie

Telephone: 0761 10 2844

Website: waterfordlibraries.ie

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Mon 20th	20:00	21:00

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OUTDOORS AND ACTIVE

Bat Walk Along Woodland Path

20 min talk on Irish bats and then 300m walk to Blackwater river along 270 year old dike with talks on bats, local history and commerce (trains) and ice-houses.

Venue: Glenribbeen Lodge, Glenribbeen (L5023), Lismore, Co Waterford

Organiser: Glenribbeen Bat Walk

Email: pfiddle@gmail.com

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Mon 20th	21:00	22:30
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