#### Glendalough Heritage Exhibitions @ Brockagh Centre.

An opportunity to view once more the Monastic Mappery and the Glendalough An Ageless Attraction exhibitions showcasing the depictions of the valley in early maps and in historic photos over the years.

E: glendaloughheritageforum@gmail.com

Г: 0404 45600

Web: facebook.com/GlendaloughHeritageForum/

Sat 17th – Sun 25th, 9am – 6pm ⊕ (♣) **F** P

# Archaeology & Music at St. Crispins Cell, Greystones Enjoy traditional music, ballads & popular songs performed

by Canadh Le Cheile . Featuring also an exhibition of artefacts found during last year's archaeological dig with narration by David McIlreavy the project archaeologist.

E: frankpcoyne@gmail.com

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### Old Kilbride Gravevard, Arklow

Old Kilbride Graveyard, Co. Wicklow has a pyramid which dates back to 1785. Viscount Wicklow and 18 members of his family are buried here. Sat 17th - Sun 25th, 9am - 5an

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#### **Arklow Maritime Museum**

The Maritime Museum is a treasure trove of shipbuilders and models

F. info@arklowmaritimemuseum ie Г: 0864460784

Web: arklowmaritimeheritage.ie

Sat 17th – Sun 25th, 10am – 5pm



#### **Our Wicklow Women**

Greystones Library is delighted to host the "Our Wicklow Women " exhibition during August. The focus will be on the inspirational Wicklow women associated with Greystones and its' surrounds. It will highlight the vital contributions made to our community by these women of Wicklow: stories of success, struggle, adventure or quiet diligence.

E: greylib@wicklowcoco.ie

Г: 012873548

Sat 17th, Sun 24th 10am - 5pm



#### Glendalough Open Day

Open Day at UCD archaeological excavations at Glendalough (field next to Round Tower). Go on a guided tour of the site, inspect artefacts and examine displays. Also featuring local woodland and mining themed exhibits. E: glendaloughheritageforum@gmail.com

Sat 17th, 11am – 4pm



School of Irish Archaeology's 'Big Dig' for Kids. The ever popular simulated archaeological excavation takes place in the field next to the Round Tower at Glendalough. Sessions last a half hour and take place on the hour.

E: info@sia.ie

Sat 17th, 11am – 4pm



# **Dunlavin: Make an Insect Hotel**

It's holiday season so let's not leave out the insects! They need somewhere to stay too. Come along to this hands-on workshop to make an insect hotel in our playground. F: aislingobrien@hotmail.com

T. 087 962 7389

Sat 17th, 11am – 12pm



# **Bray Past and Present Walking Tour**

Visiting old Harbour and Bray schools, est 1820. Tour will also visit Carlisle Sports, Duncairn Terrace. Start and finish at the Royal Hotel established in 1792.

The tour will look at the person who worked and lived on the Seapoint Road, Seymour Road, Duncairn Terrace and Galtrim Park

E: brayhistory@gmail.com T: 087 230 9185 Web: bravcualannhistorical.ie



#### Nature & St. Kevin at Glendalough

Join us on a walk from Information office, Upper Lake exploring the stories around St. Kevin and his close ties to Nature.

E: wickloweducationcentre@chg.gov.ie T: 0404 45425

Web: wicklowmountainsnationalpark.ie Sun 18th, 11am – 1pm

#### Delgany: Old Burial Ground

Discover more about the Old burial ground dating back to the 9th century and 13th Century Church, part of which is still standing. There are also twenty dome shaped 18th Century slated limestone slab tomb stones, with very fine Elizabethan lettering clearly showing.

E: laillidebuitlear@gmail.com T: 01 287 6094 Sun 18th, 12pm – 1:30pm, Thu 22nd, 11:30am – 1:30pm Sat 24th, 11:30am – 1:30pm

# Trip to the Quaker House at Ballymurrin

Trip to the Quaker House at Ballymurrin, meet at Tesco Car Park Arklow. E: arklowmaritime.m.grs.heritage@gmail.com ⊕ & € B

Mon 19th, 10am – 1pm

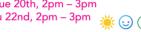
# **Digitally Recording Glendalough**

Demonstrations by Discovery Programme staff of the digital and other techniques used in modern archaeological research at St. Kevin's Church in Glendalough Monastery. Participants will also have the chance to view 3D models of some of the sites at Glendalough that are not accessible to the public, St Kevin's Bed & Temple Na Skellig E: LindaShine@DiscoveryProgramme.ie T: 01 639 3039 Mon 19th, 11am – 2pm **⊕ ⓑ F P** 

### **Excavation Tours: Glendalough**

Guided Tours of the UCD Archaeology/Glendalough Heritage Forum excavations at Glendalough. Meet at 2pm at round tower in cemetery. Please note that parking can be very difficult in Glendalough. For potential wheel chair access please contact organisers.

E: glendaloughheritageforum@gmail.com Mon 19th, 2pm – 3pm, Tue 20th, 2pm – 3pm Wed 21, 3pm – 3pm, Thu 22nd, 2pm – 3pm Fri 23rd, 2pm – 3pm

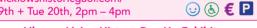


#### Tour of Wicklow Gaol

Wicklow's Historic Gaol is fast-becoming one of the most iconic 'must-visits' on the trail of Ireland's Ancient East. Enjoy discounted entry and bring to life two of the most turbulent centuries of Irish history.

E: info@wicklowshistoricgaol.com T: 0404 61599 Web: wicklowshistoricgaol.com/

Mon 19th + Tue 20th, 2pm - 4pm



# **Enniskerry Library: Living History Pop Up Exhibit**

Photographs, documents and items of local historic significance will be displayed in the library for Heritage Week. Many of the exhibits are submitted by members of the local community, as well as from the archives, making this a showcase of the living history of Enniskerry and its

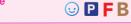
E: smmulligan@wicklowcoco.ie T: 01 286 4339 Web: wicklow.ie/Living/Services/Libraries

Tue 20th, 11am – 5pm, Wed 21st, 2pm – 8:30pm Fri 23rd, 11am – 5pm, Sat 24th, 11am – 1pm 😈 🔥 F 📔

## **Textile Tour of Stratford-on-Slaney**

A walking tour of Stratford-on-Slaney, which explores the cotton mill and textile heritage of this purpose-built model industrial town.

: 087 994 4729 Web: camphill.ie Tue 20th, 10:30am – 12:30pm



### Art Workshop at Dunlavin

A really enjoyable art workshop based on our iconic Market House building. Children will be invited to take part in this drawing and painting workshop, focusing on our Dunlavin

E: aislingobrien@hotmail.com T: 087 962 7389 Tue 20th, 11am – 1pm



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Tue 20th, 11am – 1pm



#### The Abercorn Masonic Hall Arklow

Visit the Abercorn Masonic Hall founded in the 19thcentury. Open to all ages. Child friendly. E: arklowmaritime.m.grs.heritage@gmail.com

Tue 20th, 4pm – 9pm

# **Arklow Library - An Evening with Author Charles Egan** Author Charles Egan visits Arklow library to discuss his trio of historical novels based on the Great Famine: "The

Killing Snows", "The Exile Breed" and "Cold is the Dawn". E: arklowlibrary@wicklowcoco.ie T: 0402 39977 Tue 20th. 7pm – 8:30pm BFP

## **Dunlavin: The Native Irish Honey Bee**

Loretta Neary presents a very informative workshop entitled 'Bee keeping and honey production with the Native Irish Honey Bee'.

Venue: Scoil Nioclais Naofa

E: aislingobrien@hotmail.com T: 087 962 7389 Tue 20th, 7:30pm – 9pm



# Rat Walk in Mount Usher Ashford

Meet in the courtyard of the gardens to join East Wicklow Rivers trust in a nightime excursion to view bats (weather dependant).

Tues 20th 8.30-10pm Web: https://wicklowrivers.ie/ E: whitmore.jennifer@yahoo.com **⊕FPB** 

# **SUAS Project Open Day at Hollywood Community Centre**

Find out more about this sustainable agri-environmental scheme for the Wicklow Uplands through a series of short talks and a site visit to a participating upland farm.

T: 01 2818406 E: info@wicklowuplands.ie **PB** Tues 20th 11am -3 pm

**Dunlavin: Camphill Grangebeg's Weavery Visit** Visit Camphill Grangebeg weavery and find out more about the ancient craft of weaving.

T: 045 406053 Web: camphill.ie



# Family Nature Walk Dunlavin

Wed 21st, 2:30pm - 4:30pm

Take a walk on the wild side with Patrick Hunt as we explore what our ditches and hedgerows have to offer. This promises to be a really enjoyable and informative evening for all the family.

Venue: Scoil Nioclais Naofa E: aislingobrien@hotmail.com Г: 087 962 7389

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# **Open Mic Night Dunlavin**

Open Mic Night highlighting heritage week. Do you have a song, tune, poem or a story? Come along and join an evening highlighting Irish Heritage through music, song and poetry.

E: aislingobrien@hotmail.com T: 087 962 7389 **⊕ ♠ P F** Wed 21st. 7pm - 9pm

#### Arklow: Fishermen's Mission Service

All are welcome at the Methodist Church for this rembrance service dedicated to our fishing community. E: arklowmaritime.m.grs.heritage@gmail.com

Wed 21st, 7:30pm – 8:30pm

#### Mount Usher Gardens, Ashford

Free Guided Tours of Mount Usher Gardens with admission charge. The Garden is recognized as one of the greatest examples of the Robinsonian style, containing the national collections of both Northofagus and Eucryphia trees in addition to a beautiful collection of plants and trees from around the world.

E: mountusher-gardens@avoca.com T: 0404 49672 Web: mountushergardens.ie

#### Dunlavin Music Time for Toddlers

Focusing on Traditional Irish Music, music time for toddlers under the beautiful oak tree in Market Square Park promises to be one of the highlights of the week! E: aislingobrien@hotmail.com

Г: 087 962 7389

Thu 22nd, 11am - 12pm

This event at Bray Library, Ballywaltrim recalls events in Bray from August 17th to August 25th 1944 in Bray. r: 01 272 3205

Thu 22nd, 11:30am – 12:15pm

#### John Turpin: History of the RHA

This talk in Greystones Library by the Royal Hibernian Academy's historian traces its development from its foundation in 1821 through the destruction of its original Lr Abbey St premises during the Easter Rising to its establishment at its present location at 15 Ely Place.

Г: 01 287 3548

Web: wicklow.ie/Living/Services/Libraries/Library-Branches/Grevstones Thu 22nd, 7pm – 8:30pm

# **Hurling Heroes at Dunlavin**

We are delighted to partner with Dunlavin GAA to run this event at their grounds. Children from five to 12 will improve their hurling skills, enjoy novelty skills, games and maybe come away with some hurling goodies!

: 087 962 7389

Fri 23rd, 11am – 1pm

This talk at Bray Library, Eglington Road will recall events in and around Bray from August 17th to August 25th, 1919. F. braylib@wicklowcoco ie

T: 01 286 2600 Web: wicklow.ie/library-services Fri 23rd, 11:30am – 12:15pm

#### Autism Friendly: Delgany Fairy Trail Magical launch of the autism & sensory-friendly Delgany Fairy Trail. Fun and games for all those who believe in fairies and magical kingdoms. Venue: Blind Lane, Priory

Road, Delgany. E: events@delgany.ie

Web: delgany.ie Fri 23rd, 6:30pm – 7:30pm



# All Ireland Hurling Final Programme Exhibition Dunlavin

An exhibition of official match programmes for the All Ireland Hurling Finals from as far back as 1971! This is a really unique opportunity and we urge people to come along. We are very grateful to Mr. Kevin Glynn for sharing his collection with us. Venue: Scoil Nioclais Naofa.

F: aislingobrien@hotmail.com

T: 087 962 7389 Fri 23rd, 7:30pm – 9am



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#### **Newcastle: 19th Century Farmyard Tour**

This will involve a tour of a 19th century farmyard with vintage and modern machinery on display. There will be a talk on the history of the farmyard and the local area. Meet at Newcastle Community Centre.

E: careymic@eircom.net T: 086 253 8678

Sat 24th, 12pm – 1am

Sat 25th, 2:30pm – 4:30pm

#### Killruddery: The Earl of Meath's Library

Genealogist and lecturer, Sean J Murphy, is presenting on the Earl of Meath, and the Brabazon family's involvement with the development of the Liberties in Dublin. Meet at the front of Killruddery house. Free entry to the house and gardens on the day with a complimentary house tour following the talk. Limited availability - booking necessary E: auides@killrudderv.com Web: killruddery.com/

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# Nuns Cross Church, Killiskey, Ashford

Two open days to explore a Gothic Revival 200 year old church influenced by architect, Francis Johnston (1760/61-1829) with connections to Sir Roger Casement and J.M. Synge and in continual use today.

T: 086 601 4755 E: awdunne@iol.ie Web: www.nunscrosschurch.ie

Sat 24th & Sun 25th 2-5pm

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# Ceiliruadh A Celtic Miscellany at Hollywood

An acoustic candle lit concert with Maca and Ger Fitzgerald (bean an sean-nos) at St. Kevin's Church of Ireland, Hollywood.

To Book: T: 086 075 2072 E: pat.conlan2013@gmail.com Sat 24th 8pm

# Whale Watch Ireland 2019: Bray Head

The Irish Whale and Dolphin Group invites you to their annual, free and guided land-based whale watch at a local headland, as part of All-Ireland Whale Watch day. While there are no guarantees of sightings, given reasonable weather you have a good chance of seeing some of the marine species that can be viewed locally. Bring binoculars, your sense of humour and refreshments for this 3 hour field event.

E: jcivory67@gmail.com T: 087 683 3898 Web: iwdg.ie

Sat 24th, 2pm – 5pm



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# Whale Watch Ireland 2019: Wicklow Town

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Web: iwdg.ie Sat 24th, 2pm – 5pm

E: ronan.hici@gmail.com T: 086 385 0568

**Delgany Fairy Trail Launch** Magical launch of the Delgany Fairy Trail along a mythical section that forms part of the Delgany Heritage Trail. Fun and games for all those who believe in fairies and magical kingdoms. Meet at Blind Lane, Priory Road, Delgany.

E: events@delgany.ie T: 086 319 2379 Web: delgany.ie Sat 24th, 2:30 – 4pm

**Dunlavin Family Selfie Scavenger Hunt** Solve the clues to figure out what feature of our heritage you are looking for - find it and take a selfie with all your team members. It couldn't be easier!

Venue: Market House E: aislingobrien@hotmail.com T: 087 962 7389 Sat 24th, 7pm – 8:30pm

**Open Day at Wicklow Lighthouse** 

Imagine life as a lighthouse keeper on a self-guided tour of this restored 18th century lighthouse. This will be an opportunity to see the conservation work of Irish Landmark Trust. Please park in the car park on the left before the

lighthouse when approaching from Wicklow town.

E:caroline@irishlandmark.com T: 01 670 4733 Web: irishlandmark.com Sun 25th, 10am – 4pm

# **Cliff Walk Wicklow Town**

See spectacular scenery, flora and fauna on a historical loop walk. Moderate level of agility required. Young children need supervision as walk is along cliffs. Historical talk will be given at Like Kiln Bay. E: margaretcoen@gmail.com

Г: 087 947 3072 Web: friendsofthemurrough.com Sun 15th, 12pm- 2pm

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# Kilcoole: Georgian House and Walled Garden

Enjoy guided tours of Darraghville House and Gardens and a pop up cafe on the day. Our Family friendly event welcomes all to experience old world splendor and charm. The Holy Faith Sisters sold the property in 2017 and Luisne continues to run courses and events here.

F: office@luisne ie

T: 086 051 7575 Web: luisne.ie

Sun 25th. 12:30-5pm

# **Carrick Mountain Holy Well Walk**

This is a guided walk to Lady's Well (Carrick Mountain). It's an ancient well marked on the Neville Maps of 1760 rediscovered in 2013. There will be a talk on the history of the well and the area

Venue: Moneystown Community Centre

E: rosaleendurkin8@gmail.com Web: irishsacredwells.com Sun 25th, 6pm - 8:30pm

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### **Dunlavin: Historical Walk and Talk**

Meet at the Market House for this guided walk around the historical village of Dunlavin visiting notable buildings and landmarks along the way.

E: aislingobrien@hotmail.com T: 087 962 7389 Sun 25th, 7pm – 8:30pm

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#### Baltinglass - A street walk down memory lane Join this walking tour of the town, visiting local shops and other buildings and discovering more about their fascinat-

ing history and former uses. Starting at Reilly's Filling

station, Parkmore and finishing at the R.C Church Tues 20th , 6.30-8.30 pm (£) ⊕ **F P** - 087 815 9090 **Baltinglass - Irelands Hillfort Capital** 

A talk in Baltinglass Courthouse by Alan Hawkes, Archaeol-

ogist on the archaeological significance of the Baltinglass

Hillfort complex with special reference to the most recent

discoveries supported by Wicklow County Council. Prior to the talk there will be an opportunity to visit the old cells and the courthouse building.

#### Thurs 22nd Aug 7-8 pm Visit Courthouse, 8pm Talk : 087 815 9090 **ⓑ ⓒ F ₽**

**Baltinglass - Big Dig at the Courthouse** Join the School of Irish Archaeology on this simulated archaeological excavation for children from 4-12. Bookings needed for hourly slots where your child tries out archaeological excavation techniques and learns more about the

heritage that lies beneath. Sat 24th Aug 11 am to 3 4pm.

www.sia.ie E: info@sia.ie

Tel: 0404 45656

# Glendalough Woodland Heritage Join a National Park guide for hourly Woodland walks

(lasting a half an hour) on the hour. Starting and finishing at the visitor centre. Discover the history, ecology, conservation and challenges of the woodlands here in the National Park. Sat 17th Aug. 11am – 3 pm

# Celebrating 120 years! -**Exhibition in County Buildings, Wicklow Town**

E: wickloweducationcentre@ahq.gov.ie

April 2019 marked the 120th anniversary of local democracy in Ireland. This exhibition was compiled and curated by the Local Authority Archivists and Record Managers group and funded by the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government. Detailing the key local government events in Ireland over the past 120 years and featuring specially selected items from the Wicklow County Archives. 19th – 30th August 9am- 5pm (mon- fri) Tel: 0404 20100

cwright@wicklowcoco.ie







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