

# CULTURE NIGHT, TONIGHT

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2013, 6.00pm-10.00pm

**ALL EVENTS FREE, at the LINENHALL ARTS CENTRE**

Places reserved on the night on a first come first served basis. No Pre-Booking.

## **BRIGHT SPARKS**, 6.00pm – 7.30pm, Coffee Shop

A series of snappy inspiring talks from creative people in our locality. These zippy five minute talks take place in the informal setting of the Linenhall Coffee Shop. Featuring John Brady (visual artist), Graeme King (furniture designer), Niall McCormick & Colman Munnely (Colmac Robotics), Andrew Pelham-Burn (Carrowholly Cheese), Paul Soye (writer) and Lynda Huxley (GMIT Green Campus). Suitable for all ages

## **LINE UP FOR MAYO!**, 6.15pm – 6.45pm & 7.00pm – 7.30pm Community Arts Room

As the Mayo team prepare for the big day, artist Betty Gannon will be keeping it all green and red in this workshop which will explore drawing with paper lines. Using a range of techniques including sticking, weaving, and collage Betty will have you thinking about lines in a whole new way. Suitable for ages 5 - adult.

## **MAYO IN SONG WORKSHOP**, 7.30pm-8.00pm, Theatre

Have you got a song up your sleeve for the weekend that's in it? Well here's your chance to learn one, and get tips on how to deliver it in style! Soprano Anne Marie Gibbons, one of our county's finest voices, will be on hand to ensure that you'll be supporting your county in song. And what's more, you'll be able to join in our Sing A Song for Mayo event at 9.30pm!

## **"ISLAND" VISUAL ART WORKSHOP**, 8.00pm-9.30pm, Community Arts Room

Join our Community Arts Team for a hands-on exploration of Niamh O'Malley's "Island" which is currently on show in our gallery. You will have the opportunity to see and talk about the work, as well as create a very short film focusing on one particular element of O'Malley's visual language. Suitable for older children (10yrs+) and adults

## **SING A SONG FOR MAYO**, 9.30pm-10.00pm, Coffee Shop

For the weekend that's in it, loosen up your vocal chords and join us for some rousing Mayo songs. Soprano Anne Marie Gibbons returns from Australia, where she has been performing in the opera Salome, to lead us in this evening of song.

## **NIAMH O'MALLEY exhibition**, 6.00pm-10.00pm, Gallery

This month, Mayo-born artist Niamh O'Malley returns to her home county for a unique exhibition featuring recent examples of her work in five different venues around the Mayo region. Here at the Linenhall her video projection "Island" 2010 (8mins 13sec) is on show.

## **A CASE FOR CRAFTS**, 6.00pm-10.00pm, Foyer

Members of Craftworks Mayo will deliver craft demonstrations that echo our connection with our creativity, culture and traditions. Patricia Overton (hand crochet), Paul Walsh (wooden gifts) and June Burke (homespun natural dye wool gifts) will be on hand to talk about and demonstrate their work.

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